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FOREWORD

MANY members of the Alumni Association have expressed themselves in favor of an Alumni publication that will serve as a medium of exchange and news for the members of the Association. The sentiment in favor of such a project finally became so strong that the Board of Directors of the Association took up the matter. Their recommendations were favorable, but subject to the action of the Association at the annual business meeting, Wednesday, June 14, 1911. The Association, by a unanimous vote, instructed the directors to make arrangements to have the publication launched at once. At the directors' meeting an editor was appointed with the instruction to issue the publication quarterly, beginning with July 15, 1911.

The foregoing is, in brief, the history of the Alumni News Letter up to this time. The articles in this present issue have been written by the members of the Association who were most conversant with the events they narrate. The Board of Directors suggested this as one of the policies of our publication. This suggestion we gladly adopt, for it insures that the news items and articles are the work of the Association and not of one individual only.

The editor has no accurate mailing list of the Alumni of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College. Alumni will confer a great favor upon the editor by informing him of their present address. It is our purpose to send a copy of the Alumni News Letter to every member of the Association. Will you help us by giving us your present address and also by reporting news items?

The editor solicits the co-operation of every Alumnus, letters containing suggestions, in formation concerning members of the Association, the policies of the organization, and the present, past, and future of the College and her Alumni will be greatly appreciated. Let this publication be the organ of the Alumni.

COMMENCEMENT VISITORS.

THE College does not keep an official record of commencement visitors. Consequently the following may not be complete. We are sure none are included who were not here, but some who were at Goshen for only part of the week may have been omitted. The Alumni living in Goshen are not included:

Prof. and Mrs. J. S. Umble, Akron, O.
Miss Lavona Berkey, Chicago, Ill.
Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Yoder, Peru, Ill.
Prof. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole, Milwaukee, Wis.
Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, New Paris, Ind.
Supt. John L. Steiner, Rawson, O.
Miss Lavona Berkey, Chicago, Ill.
Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, Elkhart, Ind.
Miss Anna Christophel, Goshen, Ind.
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind.
Miss Cora Shantz, Elkhart, Ind.
Mrs. Lucinda Y. Kropf, Orrville, O.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler, Elkhart, Ind.
Mrs. Lydia K. Smucker, Smithville, O.
Mr. and Mrs. John Wenger, Goshen, Ind.
Miss Amanda Ebersole, Akron, O.
Miss Ella Wenger, Elkhart, Ind.
Prof. S. E. Zook, Lafayette, Ind.
Prof. Jesse Brenneman, Fulton, Mo.
Mr. Peter Summer, Chicago, Ill.
Miss Delta Kauffman, Mishawaka, Ind.
Mr. H. B. Weiler, Plymouth, Ind.
Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Hostetler, Columbus, O.
Miss Lena Albrecht, Tiskilwa, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Johns, Goshen, Ind.
Miss Alice Treuschel, Elkhart, Ind.
Miss Alma Bontrager, Sturgis, Mich.
Mr. Ben Ebersole, Morrison, Ill.
Miss Anna Hoover, Goshen, Ind.

A large representation of former students, not graduates, members of the Board of Education and friends were in Goshen enjoying the various functions of this, our most largely attended commencement.

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT.

COMMENCEMENT week closed on Friday night, June 16, with the commencement exercises, which consisted of the annual commencement address, the the conferring of degrees, and the awarding of diplomas to the graduates. It was the general opinion of those in attendance that this closed the most successful commencement that Goshen College has yet had.

This year President Byers for the second time conferred the A. B. degree upon a graduating class of Goshen College.

The following received degrees:

Elsie Byler, Samuel Burkhard, Irvin Detweiler, Ruth Ebersole, Rossie Hostetler, Edna Metzler, Alvin Miller, Mabel Miller, Jesse Stutzman, Samuel Weaver, Samuel Zook.

The graduating class of the Academy:

Vernon Smucker, Alfred Walker, Lester Hostetler, Mary Rohrer, Alma Albright, Floyd Yoder, Jacob Brunk, Margaret Detweiler, Meta Martin, Merlin Stump, Charles Haney, Nina Weybright, Tobias Hershey, Fern Elliot, Amos Martin.

Sylvia Bontrager and Clara DeCamp completed the music course, Benjamin Esch and Adda Miller the oratory course, and Noble Yoder, the business course and were awarded diplomas.

The commencement address given by President Howe of Butler College was appreciated by all who heard him. His advice to the graduates was both timely and practical. The tendency for many graduates is to go out into life and not do anything in the community that will help make it better. He encouraged every one to go out and take hold of the practical affairs and be a useful citizen in bringing about better conditions. No man or woman is able to do the most for the community unless he identifies himself with some church and takes an aggressive part in Christian work. The active Christian man or woman is the highest type of good citizen in any community.

He spoke of the present and the future in the history of the class. Much depends upon how a man thinks and what he does as to what his future will be. Could we see our future lot we would most likely eliminate many things from our lives that we now are unconsciously weaving into them; and some of the things omitted would most likely be used in the construction of character.

The address dealt with the everyday problems of life that confront every one. He made a plea for Christian men and women to go out into actual life and make a positive contribution to the welfare of church and state. The call is for strong men to do the work of men in the world in raising social and moral standards of the community.

THE ALUMNI ADDRESS.

THE annual address to the Alumni Association was given Wednesday evening, June 14, by Prof. John S. Umble, Akron, O., of the class of '05. The speaker dealt in a masterly way with his subject, "The Passing of High School Traditions." A brief synopsis of his address follows:

Tradition has largely determined—first, that the high school shall primarily prepare for college; second, that its teachers shall be college and university trained specialists instructing in a single branch of study; third, that college entrance requirements shall prescribe the quality and quantity of the courses in its curriculum.

The Latin grammar school, its successor the academy, and the present high school which has almost entirely superseded both, all were organized to prepare for life and also to fit for college. Each, in turn, was soon devoting most of its time and energy to preparing candidates for college. Only six per cent of the school children in the United States graduate from high school; of these not one in six goes to college. Hence an insistent demand has arisen that the high school shall "prepare its natural and local constituency for the duties of life."

To this end, manual training, technical, agricultural, and domestic science courses have been introduced, not only to keep the boys and girls in school but to train them for efficient service in the community. In the carpenter shop the boys make chairs, tables, settees and other useful articles of furniture. The work at the forge and in the moulding-room is of the same practical nature. Graduates from this course have

not only a good literary foundation but they reduce the four years of their apprenticeship to two years, except in a too-highly unionized shop.

Two-thirds of all women in the United States are practical housekeepers and home-makers. The domestic science course prepares the girls for life's duties by giving instruction in cooking and sewing. They learn the art of cookery by actually cooking, baking, preparing salads, making ices, etc. In the sewing class they are taught measuring, cutting and fitting and how to use a machine.

One-third of all the men in our country are farmers. Courses in agriculture should be introduced into all rural and village high schools. An interest in scientific agriculture will keep the boys on the farm.

The high school teacher must have college and university training, but a mere **scholar** is no longer considered a desirable school **teacher.** He needs special courses to teach him what work the high school must do and how it must do it. In 1907, Brown, Harvard, Columbia, and Illinois led in facilities for observation and practice teaching and offered excellent courses in secondary school education.

The departmental system should be "entirely abolished in the elementary grades and in the first year at least of the high school." The system "is fatal to the slow pupil and vicious in its effects upon all the pupils." Each teacher should have charge of a room of from thirty to forty pupils and be responsible for their complete mental development.

College entrance requirements have stood in the way of needed reforms in the high school. Be their ultimate destination college, business or the work-shop, all children should receive a practical education in the same school and in many of the same branches. What the college will do with this heterogenous product of the cosmopolitan high school must not give us too much concern. It may be that the college course needs to undergo still greater changes to satisfy the practical demands of the age. At all events, the mission of the high school is clear: it must fit all its pupils for the actual duties of life, wisely providing that each shall receive a well-balanced preparation for life, partly academic, partly vocational.

COLLEGE LUNCHEON.

PERHAPS at no time during the commencement week did the power and spirit of Goshen College, past and present, reveal itself more fully than at the after-dinner speeches, following the college luncheon, Friday noon, where there were mingled together in one common body, members of the school board, faculty, alumni and students. President Byers served as toast-master and the following gave toasts in the order named.

Dr. C. H. Smith, Dean of the College and Professor of History; Elsie Byler, one of the first women bachelors of the College; J. Frank Ebersole, an alumnus of the class of 1906, and professor of Economics and Finance in the Robert A. Johnson College of Economics, Milwaukee, Wis., Frances Ebersole, a student, and Dr. S. F. Gingerich, an alumnus of the class of 1902 and Professor of English. The toast by the last named concluded with a poem, which had been prepared for the occasion and which summed up the spirit of the meeting. The poem is as follows:

Oh, Goshen College, thou art great,
More great than prophet, bard or sage—
For they grow old and pass away,
But thou art young at every age.

Oh, Goshen College, maiden fair,
Immortal child of youth and light,
Immune from all decay of years,
Thou art the foe of age and night.

Oh, Goshen College, hero strong,
With strength that combats mortal sin,
Thy purity is mailed might,
For him who strives to find and win.

Oh, Goshen College, light of life,
Thy radiant light befriends the weak,
The innocent, the just, the brave,
And all that dare and all that seek.

Oh, Goshen College, wisdom sweet
Hangs o'er thy brow with winning grace,
We know not anything more fair
Than is the smile upon thy face.

Oh, Goshen College, wise and great,
Thou hast the power to make us free,
And by that freedom which is truth,
To make us live for truth and thee.

ALUMNI REUNION.

FOLLOWING the Alumni address, the annual reunion was held in the dining-room of Kulp Hall. It was a real home-coming of our Alma Mater's children. After a delightful social hour, during which old friendships were renewed and new ones formed, the toastmaster of the evening, Dr. O. C. Yoder, Peru, Ill., was introduced and in his usual vein of boundless good humor kept the spirit of the gathering at an unusually high pitch of good fellowship. The toasts of the evening were responded to by Mrs. J. F. Ebersole, Milwaukee, Wis.; Prof. J. S. Umble, Akron, O.; Mr. G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind., and Miss Ruth Ebersole, North Tonawanda, N. Y.

All enjoyed the reunion so thoroughly that many expressed themselves well repaid for the long journey they made and the postponing of important business interests to be present at Goshen for such events as this one. The older alumni were surprised at the growth of the college and the younger alumni were surprised at the large things that their older brethren were actually doing.

A strong feeling of loyalty to and enthusiastically for the aims and ideals of Goshen College pervaded the entire gathering and this augurs well for the future of our institution.

THE COLLEGE SENIOR CLASS.

IT is somewhat significant that as many as ten persons finished the work for the A. B. degree at Goshen College this year. It shows that the institution is growing at the place where growth is most needed—in the upper classes. If Goshen College can turn out large and still larger classes in future years the right and the necessity of her existence will be proved. For the point of proof is made largely by the product a school turns out. This fact should be considered by those alumni and friends of the school who have not taken their A. B. degrees, but who wish some time to do so. Let such persons consider the advantage to the institution as well as to themselves by completing their work at Goshen College. Let each class in the future be larger and as strong as the class of 1911.

THE ACADAMY SENIOR CLASS.

THE Nineteen Eleven Academy Senior Class, organized with Merlin Stump, president, and Meta Martin, secretary. There were twenty-two members in the class—eighteen academy, two oratory and two commercial. This class was, perhaps, not as well socialized as some that have preceded it, but in thinking of the class one is impressed with the versatility of it. In scholarship the class has an enviable reputation. In oratory, it twice won the highest college honors; in elocution, it has two graduate readers; in music, it has a soloist and a member of the Rambler Quartette; in matrimony, two of its members have espoused the cause.

The class program showed much originality and careful preparation. The fine opening in the form of a prophecy was one of the special features. Longfellow's poem, "The Bridge," translated in German and read by Alma Albrecht, received favorable comment. The debate between Lester Hostetler and Vernon Smucker on the general proposition of the best way to solve the liquor problem, was also a new and very interesting feature. The talk on "Talkability," by Clifford Brunk, was especially well rendered. The most vital contribution was A. E. Kreider's oration, "The Common People as a Factor in Civilization."

The hopeful feature about the class is that nearly all are planning to continue their work in college. So this is but the initial step in their educational career and no doubt we will hear more from them.

CLASS REUNIONS.

THE classes of '01 and '06 held their first five-year reunions on Wednesday afternoon of commencement week. The members of '01 met at the college and spent several hours together recalling pleasant memories of by-gone days. This class has the distinction of being the first to complete the four-year Latin-scientific course at the Elkhart Institute, which was an important event in the history of the institution. About half of the class was present to participate in this pleasant occasion.

The college class of '06 was entertained at luncheon at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

S. F. Gingerich on Eighth street. The only absent members were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Esch. With so near a complete representation the class held a very happy and enjoyable reunion.

The rapid increase in attendance at these class reunions since they were first held two years ago, is very gratifying and there is every reason to believe that this interest will continue in the future. The college day, so full of life and hope and fond anticipations are in a way lived over again at these pleasant gatherings of classmates and friends. Those who have attended one of these gatherings enthusiastically commend the plan and are already looking forward to their second quinqenial class reunion. Next year the classes of '02 and '07 will meet for their first reunions and a large attendence is expected.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETINGS.

THE annual business meeting of the Alumni Association was held on Wednesday, June 14. Quite a number of the Alumni were present and sixteen new members were received into the Association. The following persons were elected members of the Board of Directors for a term of three years:

J. M. Kurtz, S. E. Zook, F. S. Ebersole, Elsie Byler. Miss Byler represents the Senior Class.

After a brief statement by the president that the Association had been incorporated according to the resolution passed at the last annual meeting, the Alumni publication was taken up and discussed. The sentiment expressed favored such a publication and a motion was passed instructing the Board of Directors to appoint an editor for an Alumni publication to be issued quarterly, the first number to appear not later than July 15.

A letter from M. C. Lehman, Dhamtari, India, presenting some of the educational needs of the India Mission, was read and discussed and referred to the Board of Directors.

A spirit of good-will and friendly co-operation prevailed throughout the meeting and manifested in a real way the loyalty of the Alumni to their Alma Mater.

The Board of Directors held two meetings during commencement week. The first meeting was held on June 14, immediately preceding the annual business meeting of the Association, for the purpose of organizing the Association according to the legal requirements of a corporation.

The second meeting, held on June 15, was the regular annual meeting of the Board of Directors. The following members were present: Dr. O. C. Yoder, Peru, Ill; Dr. W. B. Christophel, New Paris, Ind.; Mrs. J. E. Hartzler, Elkhart, Ind.; Miss Elsie Byler, Newton, Kan.; Mrs. N. E. Byers, J. M. Kurtz, and F. S. Ebersole, Goshen, Ind. The absent members were S. E. Zook, Lafayette, Ind; G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind.; J. O. Herr, Northumberland, Pa.; J. S. Yoder, Goshen, Ind.; and W. W. Oesch, Hesston, Kan.

The officers and executive committee of the previous year were unanimously re-elected, viz:

J. M. Kurtz, president; W. W. Oesch, first vice-president; H. F. Reist, second vice-president; Mrs. N. E. Byers, recording secretary; Nancy B. Kulp, corresponding secretary; J. S. Yoder, treasurer. Executive committee, J. M. Kurtz, W. W. Oesch, Mrs. N. E. Byers, J. S. Yoder and F. S. Ebersole.

To carry out the instructions given by the Association, the board elected Prof. Paul E. Whitmer editor of the Alumni publication, which is to appear quarterly. It was voted that the expenses for this publication be paid out of the treasury.

The board discussed the proposition presented by the India missionaries and decided that the project was a worthy one and should be supported by the Alumni individually rather than as an association.

FINAL DEVOTIONAL MEETING.

ON Friday forenoon after the last chapel exercises of the school year, the students, faculty, and visitors met in Assembly Hall for the final devotional meeting. This has always been one of the strongest religious meetings of the school year. The messages are heart messages and give expression to ones deepest religious convictions and most abiding Christian faith. This meeting was a characteristic one and its impressions will be sacredly cherished.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

To the Alumni Association of Goshen College:—

THERE are a number of things that might be discussed in a report of this kind, but I will limit myself to such matters as are of direct interest to the members of the Association.

At the last annual meeting of the Alumni Association a resolution was passed asking the Board of Directors to take the necessary steps to incorporate the Association. These instructions were acted upon and we are now a corporate body according to the laws of the State of Indiana. The officers of the Association who were elected at the meeting of the Board of Directors last year were re-elected by the board today at a meeting held for that special purpose, so that we can proceed now to do business as a corporation. A few details had to be changed in the constitution to conform to the legal requirements of the State, but in all our annual elections and general business matters, we will proceed as we always have heretofore.

Last year the president, Dr. O. C. Yoder, in his annual report to the Association, made several recommendations, one of which I will repeat verbatim:

"I have for years looked forward to the time when we can have a publication by our Alumni directed especially to our interests. I think it could well be both a news sheet and an organ of utterance for those Alumni capable and inclined to literary or scientific discussion. I think an editor should be selected to arrange and put out such a periodical, the frequency of its publication to be determined by the needs and the talent available. At the present time we may not be ready for a monthly nor even a quarterly edition, but I believe an annual report is necessary. In this could be published the various reports and proceedings which would thus be recorded. To illustrate its necessity, we now have no records except in our memories of any of the Alumni programs or reunions, except the business meetings of the Association and its committees, a matter that concerns us less than the Association of fifty years hence."

This recommendation is certainly a very important one and one in which all the members of the Association are interested. At a special meeting of the Board of Directors on April 7, the matter was taken up and the executive committee instructed to formulate a plan for an Alumni publication to be presented to the Association at this meeting.

A publication of this kind will serve to keep the Alumni in closer touch with one another and with their Alma Mater, and this is a factor of unusual importance where an institution must depend almost entirely upon the loyal support of its friends.

It is encouraging to see the interest manifested by the Alumni, and the spirit of co-operation which is prevailing will in the future bring large results—the reward of faithful and conscientious efforts on the part of those who labored diligently to develop and maintain a college worthy of patronage and support. Respectfully submitted,

J. M. KURTZ, President.

BACCALAUREATE SUNDAY.

ON Sunday evening, June 11, the annual baccalaureate sermon was delivered to the graduates in Assembly Hall by John E. Hartzler, Elkhart, Ind., of the class of 04. He chose as his subject, "Quit ye like men, be strong", The address was of an inspirational nature, pleasing in presentation, and important in subject matter.

Mr. Hartzler especially emphasized the importance of being familiar with the field in which one's life work is to be done. This necessitates a thorough knowledge of the facts which can only be achieved by a fearless investigation. Such a fearless investigation of the facts, bearing on the problems of life, is begun in college, but to assure continued and increasing efficiency one must continue this discipline all through life. The importance of having the courage of ones convictions was also discussed and strikingly illustrated. It takes courage as well as knowledge to obey the injunction: "Quit ye like men, be strong." The address closed with a strong appeal to the students for consecrated and courageous Christian leadership. Our educational, our missionary, and our church problems need

the services of such young men and women.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'02—Miss Lydia Shertz arrived at Dhamtari, India, on May 24 and found a very cordial reception among the missionaries and natives with whom she had been laboring before her return to America.

'03, '04— Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Landis, a daughter.

'04—G. H. Rutt recently accepted a very responsible position in the manufacturing establishment of C. G. Conn, Elkhart, Ind. This firm has a very extensive mail order business, both in this country and abroad, and Mr. Rutt assumes entire control of it, a line of work for which he is well qualified.

'04—On June 21, at 3 p. m., Mr. Albert B. Rutt and Miss Edna Patton were married at Carlock, Ill. Mr. Rutt is a graduate of the two-year college course at Goshen and received his A. B. degreee from Northwestern University. Miss Patton has completed a course in kindergarten work and for some time has been assisting Mr. Rutt in doing mission work in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Rutt are at home now at 6201 Carpenter street, Chicago, where they are continuing their mission work.

'60—J. F. Ebersole has been re-elected Professor of Economics and Finance at a considerable increase in salary in the Robert A. Johnson College of Economics, Milwaukee, Wis.

'06—S. E. Zook, Lafayette, Ind., is spending his summer in Germany. He spent a few days at Goshen during commencement week renewing old acquaintances before starting on his eastern tour.

'07—H. B. Reed has again been given a Fellowship by the University of Chicago and will continue his studies there another year. His subject is Ethics.

'10, '09—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, a daughter.

'10—H. L. Stump is Professor of English in Bethel College, Newton, Kan. He took up his work there at the beginning of the summer term.

'10—S. A. Zook has been elected Superintendent of Schools at Belleville, Pa. This places Mr. Zook at the head of the schools in which he did his work preparatory to college.

'11, '02—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler, a son.

'11—J. B. Brunk is now located with the Zion congregation at Bluffton, Ohio. This congregation was left without a pastor at the death of M. S. Steiner.

'11—Samuel Burkhard and A. J. Miller have been granted scholarschips at Columbia University, New York City, and may do graduate work there next year.

'11—T. K. Hershey will begin his work at the Youngstown, Ohio, Mission about September 1.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

To the Alumni Association of Goshen College:

Balance on hand	$261.01
Fees	15.50
Interest	107.91
	384.42
Reunion	18.00
	402.42
Postage	3.75
Printing	4.75
Reunion	20.30
Mennonite Historical Library	74.09
Stenographer	1.50
Stationary	1.50
Balance	297.03
	402.42

J. S. Yoder, Treasurer.

MUSIC AND ORATORY GRADUATES

THE graduating exercises of the School of Music and School of Oratory were held Tuesday evening, June 13. In the School of Music, Miss Clara DeCamp completed the three year course in Piano and Miss Sylvia Bontrager, the three year Music Teachers' Course. In the School of Oratory, Benjamin Esch and Miss Adda Miller both completed the two year course. While the number of graduates was not very large the interest in these two lines of work is growing rapidly. The exercises were well attended and greatly appreciated.

THE SUMMER SCHOOL

CLOSELY associated with the work done in the regular school year, has been the work done in the summer school. This vacation term of the year though modest in its inception, had it beginning almost, if not altogether contemporaneously with the work of the school year. Since then it has steadily grown both in popularity and attendance until it has become a permanent part of the educational scheme of the institution.

The primary object of the summer school at its organization had been to give the student who was deficient in one or another subject of his course an opportunity to work off his condition. Later other courses were added to enable the student to gain time in completing a course by working during the summer and thus get to his life-work quicker than he otherwise could have done. Then a new impulse was added when the state required that all teachers must have in addition to their four years of high school training, at least twelve weeks of normal training before they could be licensed to teach. This arrangement obliges the high school graduate to follow up his course with a special term which must be taken in the summer if the candidate wants to teach in the fall after having completed his course in the spring.

From the above classes together with those who out of professional interest or desire for self-improvement seek to advance themselves, the attendance has constantly grown from the modest beginning of perhaps less than half a dozen until the summer of 1911 finds exactly 100 students enrolled. While this number is not so large when compared with the large institutions it shows a remarkable growth and without exception each successive year shows a gain. When compared with the large institutions it shows a remarkable growth and without exception each sucshows a gain.

From the standpoint of the Alumni the summer term has been the means of bringing into relation with Goshen College and also into the Alumni Association a number of worthy members who learned to know and love their Alma Mater first through a summer session. It has also afforded a means whereby graduates have been enabled to return and spend a term in professional or review courses after they had been out in active work. In this way it has helped to rejuvenate in spirit the graduate of earlier years as well as give him an acquaintance with the younger ones. By this means it has helped to consolidate and solidify the whole body of Alumni into one large family of unified interests and common purposes.

THE ALUMNI AND THE COLLEGE

The real college does not consist of campus, buildings and endowment, but rather of various social elements bound together by the common aim which unites them all in the co-operative effort of promoting the real purpose of the institution. Trustees, donors, patrons, faculty, students and Alumni are all essential elements and each play an important part in the life and work of the College.

There are several reasons why the Alumni can enter most vitally into this spiritual unity of which the College consists. They have been in closer touch with the real spirit of the college than the trustees and so understand its problems, realize its needs and appreciate its worth better than they. On the other hand they have the opportunity of a better perspective than the faculty and riper judgment than the students and so should be an important factor in determining the general policy and promoting the interests of the institution.

The chief difficulty in maintaining this vital relationship lies in the fact that they are widely scattered and have little opportunity of keeping in touch with each other and with the College. As they grow in numbers and age this problem becomes more serious. The only special provision heretofore was the Alumni meeting which has proven a very effective means but reaches the average member too infrequently to be entirely relied upon. I believe that this publication will serve as a useful supplement to the Alumni meeting.

The interest taken in the College by most of our Alumni has been very gratifying and the time is near at hand when the Association can be a stronger factor in promoting the best interests of the institution. There are many indications that the members are realizing this opportunity and obligation and important results are sure to follow.

N. E. Byers.

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ELKHART INSTITUTE MEMORIES

AT this time of the year when our younger friends and relatives leave for Goshen College and send home letters brimful of inspiration and enthusiasm it makes us recall very vividly our own first term in Goshen College. It was not a college then to be sure but only the very small and very limited Elkhart Institute. Despite its meager equipment, however, the school made a very vital and lasting impression on many of us who are fortunate enough to have known our church school in its infancy.

The small number of students had something to do in fostering a certain family spirit or home atmosphere that existed in the Elkhart Institute. There were no

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"knockers", no factions, no cliques. Everyone felt a kindly interest not only in the welfare of the school as a whole but in every member of the school. The entire student body met daily in the chapel for divine worship, and with few exceptions all the students met in the dining hall three times a day for a hearty meal of good, wholesome, well-cooked food. We are told that many times when the treasury was low, a hundred hungry mouths might have been very scantily fed if Herman Yoder or Lewis Kulp had not given liberally of their means and farm produce. Both of these staunch supporters and firm friends of the school have now passed to their reward but the inspiration of their example and their intense devotion to the school as an instrument in the hands of the church for the conservation of its forces and the upbuilding of its young people, are still a living reality among us.

It was the writer's good fortune to be in school at Elkhart at the time when the name of Bro. J. S. Coffman was not men-

tioned without a lowering of the voice in tenderest love and reverence and when even an indirect reference to him in our devotional meetings seldom failed to bring tears to the eyes of all who had known him. It seemed as if we could almost feel the presence of this pious man of God among us, though he had departed from this life some time before.

During these first years the religious spirit of the school was very strong, so strong that a student who was not moved to become a Christain sometime during the school year was a rare exception. The Thursday evening devotional meetings were seasons of moral and spiritual uplift never to be wholly forgotten. The Short Bible Term and the series of meetings held in connection with it gave opportunity for active personal effort in soul-winning and marked the beginning of a new epoch in the Christian life of some who are prominent in the work of the church today.

The student organizations—the Y. P. C. A., the Philharmonic Society, the Ciceronian and Philomathean Literary Societies, later displaced by the Aurora, C. M. A., Avon and Vesperian Societies—all these formed a very helpful and necessary supplement to the class room work and gave more than one useful young worker in the church a start in public speaking or singing or in conducting religious work. The Student Volunteer Band in a very quiet but powerfully effective manner encouraged the study of missions and fostered a strong mission spirit.

Life at Elkhart was not all work however. How we used to enjoy a plunge into the old swimming hole on the Elkhart River in the crisp autumn days, or a row up the picturesque St. Joe in Spring or Fall! With what zest and renewed energy we went to our books after a game of basket ball on the lot near the Institute or a run on the track in the field across Prairie St., or after a hard hour's work in the gymnasium and an invigorating shower bath! And what a treat it was to go out to some farm on Saturdays to husk corn or pick up potatoes and then end the day with a good old-fashioned supper!

But whether at work or at play, the most important and most vital part of the school work at Elkhart was the opportunity for close personal association with a faculty of sincere, high-minded, serious, strongly spiritual instructors. It was here that many of us were led by their sacrifice and their devotion to the principles of our Church to remain true to the faith of our fathers, rather than to satisfy worldly ambitions to pursue the vanities and follies of the earth. Their nobility of character and lofty purpose gave us help and inspiration to overcome many a temptation and to do our school work with a determination to derive the greatest possible benefit from it. The writer feels that personally he never did better or more satisfactory school work so far as real growth was concerned than at Elkhart where in different terms and years he received instructions from one member of the faculty in College Algebra, Trigonometry, Zoology, Chemistry, Botany, Psychology, and in a Saturday evening Bible Study Class, Old Testament characters! From another he took courses in History, Greek, Latin and English! It was the spirit of earnestness, of intense devotion to duty, of sacrifice for the good of the church and of the church school that made it such a powerful force for good in the lives of the young people of the church.

In one sense that school is nothing but a very pleasant memory. In a truer sense it is like the soul of Old John Brown—"it still is marching on." The old Institute building shows signs of decay, some vandal has removed the front steps, the grass on the lot is a foot high, and the entire spirit of the place is changed. But over in Goshen, on the banks of the Elkhart, in much better quarters the spirit of the old Institute, nay, the very Institute itself lives on. And it stands there today, the Greater Elkhart Institute for which we so ardently hoped in the crowded quarters on Prairie Street. To this Greater Elkhart Institute, Goshen College, we have gladly transfered our allegiance and support and we gratefully, loyally, fervently hope that she may continue to serve the best interests of our Church and help to promote the peaceful growth of the Kingdom of God. But the pleasant memories of the old Elkhart Institute we hope always to keep green and fresh.

J. S. Umble.

GOSHEN'S SIXTEENTH YEAR

THE sixteenth year of Goshen College opened auspiciously on Sept. 27. It was soon evident that the student body would exceed in numbers that of any previous year. Our students never before registered so early. This means that they appreciate the importance of beginning their work at the beginning of the year.

They practically all aim to complete a definite course of study, which insures a permanent and organic student body. It is also one of the first requisites for a high standard of work. Our experience in the last few years has confirmed this each succeeding year.

It is interesting to note the growth of the College and Acadamy departments from year to year during the last seven years. The following table does not include the registration for this Fall term:

	'11	'10	'09	'08	'07	'06	'05
College	65	43	37	35	19	18	14
Academy	83	85	73	100	69	59	53

The present registration of College students is 58. Last year **at this time** it was 48 and **at the close** of the year it was 65. If the registration increases at the usual rate there will be at least 75 students registered in the College by the end of the year. If all the students of College rank, registered in other departments, were included, this number would be considerably increased.

The **present** registration in the Academy is 83 against 83 **at the close** of last year. This indicates that the Acadamy is making gains at the same time that there is a phenomenal growth in the College. The Senior Academy class is very large, indicating that we shall have a large Freshman class again next year.

The total registration in all departments is 166 against 159 **at this time** last year. This makes a total gain of seven. Every department of the college has held its own while the College department has made a very substantial growth. The Freshman class numbers twenty-five and the graduating class receiving the A. B. degree next June will, according to present indications, be composed of at least ten members.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'01, '01—On July 26, Miss Lavona E. Berkey and Prof. F. S. Ebersole were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind. Miss Berkey spent the past few years in Chicago and Prof. Ebersole is Principal of the Business department of the College and also its acting Business Manager. They are at home now at 1206 S. 8th St., Goshen, Ind., where Prof. Ebersole will continue his work with the College.

'02—Dr. S. F. Gingerich who was Head of the English department of the College since 1905, has resigned his position to become Instructor in English at the University of Michigan. In his work at the College he proved himself to be a thorough scholar, an able instructor, and a man who stands for the truest and best in life and character. His new position offers a large field of usefulness and excellent prospects for rapid promotion. Dr. Gingerich has gained some distinction as a lecturer and author. His latest book, entitled "Wordsworth, Tennyson, and Browning, A Study in Human Freedom" has just been published by George Wahr of Ann Arbor, Mich.

'06—J. Frank Ebersole in now located at the University of Minnesota where he has accepted the position of Assistant Professor of Economics. In his courses he is giving special attention to money, credit and banking. This new position comes to him as a distinct recognition of his high grade of scholarship and thorough preparation. The University is growing rapidly and Prof. Ebersole has a splendid opportunity for a very successful career.

'10—J. W. Shank will leave in a few weeks for South America where he will make a careful investigation, under the auspices of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, as to the most desirable location for a mission station. The movement for a mission in South America started at Goshen College in 1906 when several of the students became interested in that field and persuaded the Y. P. C. A. to donate funds toward the project. Mr. Shank will spend most of his time in northern and central Argentina, but will also visit Uraguay, northern Chili, and southern Bolivia and Peru

THE ALUMNI AND COLLEGE IDEALS.

THE greatest asset any college can have is its alumni. Millions of endowment are not to be compared in value with a loyal and active body of alumni who stand for the nighest ideals in College life. For an interested alumni guarantees a good college and a good college attracts a good student body and a good student body in turn produces alumni who stand loyally for the best things in their Alma Mater. Not only **may** the alumni make the college but the history of educational institutions shows that they actually **do** make their colleges what they are.

The reasons why the alumni are such an important factor in determining and maintaining the ideals of their Alma Mater are very obvious. They are the only permanent body connected with the Institution. The student body changes very much from year to year. And being together in large numbers with inclinations differing in many respects, tendencies are occasionally manifested which if allowed to continue would modify very vitally the ideals for which the College stands. Consequently the College cannot depend too much upon a changing student body for the maintenance of the highest standards and ideals.

Neither is the Faculty a permanent body. While it is much more nearly permanent than the students, it still changes very considerably in a period of years. And consequently the various problems that arise are looked at from somewhat different points of view and cannot therefore be given the same solutions. And a further reason why the faculty can not alone maintain college ideals is its closeness to the life and work of the college. Numberless details and weary routines crowd in upon the faculty so rapidly that it is not always possible to determine what are the significant tendencies which should be either encouraged or restrained. So much of a successful teachers time must be devoted to study and teaching that he can not find time to keep in touch with all phases of the college life. The phases of college life that lie outside of his courses and classes, important as they may be, can not claim a very considerable part of his thought and effort. The faculty too as well as the students can not, for these reasons, be wholly depended upon to maintain college ideals.

The alumni are in every way in a better position to maintain college ideals than the students and they have some advantages not enjoyed by the faculty. The Alumni are a permanent body. They have the benefit of a college training together with actual experience in life. They are far enough removed from the busy work of the college to get a perspective which neither the students nor the faculty can possibly have. And they ought therefore to have a genuine concern that the high ideals and standards which they upheld while in College should be sacredly cherished as a heritage of inestimable worth.

The College belongs to the Alumni. They, by personal influence and official position, are the moulders of its future destiny. Will they use the News-Letter as a medium through which to express themselves? Wherein is Goshen College succeeding or failing? In what respects are we true to our ideals or failing to attain them? Will you tell us by publishing signed letters or contributing articles on the subject of college ideals and kindred subjects? Let us have a few for our next issue.

SUMMER SCHOOL.

JUDGED by increased enrollment, quality and enthusiasm of students and grade of work done by faculty and students, our last summer term was in every respect a success. Normal school work in Indiana is now all of College grade, and it has required careful work of a high order for a new institution to win patronage in this class. But Goshen College has been able to attract the majority of the high school graduates in Elkhart and adjoining counties who expect to teach, in spite of the strong competition of the large private Normal Schools.

This success promises well for the future of the College since these students have close connection with the high schools as students and the common schools as teachers. Their enthusiasm and loyalty will win many friends among all classes of school people in this territory. Some of them are already planning to complete the regular College course later.

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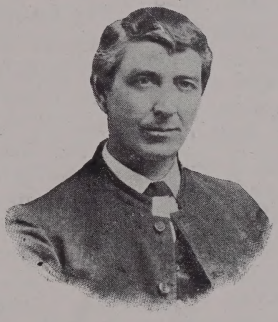
JOHN S. COFFMAN

Foster Father of Elkhart Institute

JOHN S. COFFMAN in his address at the dedication of the Elkhart Institute building, said "This is but a welling up of a pentup stream that could no longer be suppressed. Disadvantages, opposition, fears of failure, all had to give way before the force that was driven into action by the deep consciousness of duty to God, to the church, to our young people, and to the cause of Christ in general."

The real Institute existed in the ideals, longings, aspirations and prayers of the founders before it was organized as a working institution, and nowhere has the College of today existed more really and with more dynamic potency than in the prophetic vision and consecrated purpose of the subject of this brief sketch.



JOHN S. COFFMAN

A man who had within him the power to overcome the inertia due to ignorance, prejudice, conservatism and fear in the presence of real danger, and not only start a new institution but also endow it with high aims for future attainment should not soon be forgotten by those responsible for carrying forward this great enterprise. If we can be made to feel the real quality of his life and purpose he can yet be a real leader among us.

Those of us who were brought under the spell of his charming personality will never forget his dignity and grace of manner, his piercing eye, his strong face and kindly smile. One felt at once that here was an honest, noble, benevolent and inspiring Christian man and longer acquaintance always increased the admiration and respect. The one quality that was perhaps most characteristic of him was his appreciation and love of the beautiful. This was shown in his many descriptions of beautiful nature scenes in his diary, in his appreciation of good poetry and in the few good hymns that he wrote, as well as by the fact that he always gave a large place to good music in his home and religious and educational work.

While his efforts were mainly along religious lines yet even here it was the beauty of the Christian life that seemed to interest him and he always made an appeal to the highest and noblest aspirations to win men to Christ. His chief success as an evangelist was among those reared in good homes who were eager for the higher things in life. The grossly wicked, vulgar and outcast classes were never attracted by his messages.

With these interests it is but natural that he should have a large interest in higher cultural education. Under more favorable conditions I believe he would naturally have devoted his life to higher Christian Education, and in a way all his work finally counted in this direction. He had won the favor of the most intelligent people of the Church and better than any other he could get money, teachers and students to start a school.

As one whom he first attracted by discussing high school Latin, won into the Kingdom by his idealistic appeal, encouraged to continue in College by saying that "the Church would soon need those who had gone to the top," and introduced into a life work of great opportunity, the writer refers to this man of God with much gratitude. We may all say, as another of his converts, who is now a well trained and successful worker in another denomination has said, that "it is the height of my ambition to be as efficient and useful in my work as J. S. Coffman was among his people."

N. E. BYERS.

THE ALUMNI AND COLLEGE IDEALS.

THE very generous response to our request for articles and letters on the general subject, The Alumni and College Ideals is most gratifying. The great unanimity in the spirit and substance of these responses is especially significant. It is quite evident that in former years at least the college motto, "Culture for Service," real culture for real service, was impressed on the students of Goshen College.

"Culture for Service."

WE naturally judge an institution by its results. What are the results a college seeks to accomplish that could justify its existance? We are coming to recognize that the welfare of man in all its phases is the goal of social enterprises. Hence the ideal of a college cannot be far separated from the ideal that should be held by the individual. As no individual lives wholly unto himself, nor is wholly without the benefits which society bestows upon him, he in turn owes society his services. But to be an efficient servant he must equip himself with the means with which to work.

This it would seem, is the ideal of the college—to equip men and women with the weapons with which to fight the forces of ignorance, selfishness, indifference to duty and every other kind of evil found among us. Service is the finished product of the college. Culture is an aid to service. Then the motto, "Culture for Service" represents its immediate ideal, and the development of the community its ultimate goal.

J. L. Brenneman, Madison, Wis.

Editor, Alumni News-Letter:

I BELIEVE that the dominant purpose in the minds of those founding Goshen College can be quite adequately expressed as follows:—First, create an Institution in which such ideals of intellectual, social, and spiritual life obtain as shall enable the students to arrive at the fullest possession of their powers; secondly, lead them to an unselfish devotion of life to the highest well-being of their fellowmen. These are summarily expressed in the College Motto, "Culture for Service." Culture—the essence of which I believe to be a cultivation and possession of ones powers—should be a legitimate result of education, toward which an institution may well direct its efforts. But it should never be a culture for culture's sake, rather a culture for life's sake, and that not merely of the individual student but of the community in which he shall live.

It is probably as difficult a task for an institution to lead young people to an unsparing devotion of life to a worthy cause as to enable them to arrive at a possession of their powers. To accomplish the one without the other is partly to fail. In accomplishing the latter, power is developed, and in succeeding in the former assurance of its proper use is obtained.

There are those among the Alumni, as well as among the friends of the College, who will judge its future success not solely by the growth in attendance, increase in equipment or endowment and number of graduates, but in part by its ability to inculcate within the mind of the students a high sense of responsibility for the moral well-being of whatever community in which they may chance to be.

To instill within the student the moral qualities of unselfishness, a high sense of duty to one's fellowmen and loyal devotion to it, is part of the mission of Goshen College. A failure to perpetuate the ideals of the college in any other respect could hardly be as unfortunate as failure in this. W. W. Oesch, Garden City, Mo.

Dear Editor of the Alumni News-Letter:

AS a partial answer to the questions published in the last issue under the title, "The Alumni and College Ideals," I submit the following: The aim of Goshen College is well expressed in its motto "Culture for Service." In working out this ideal the college has a two-fold responsibility.

One is the responsibility of preserving the principles cherished by the Mennonite founders of the college and still loved by its truest supporters. These principles, which distinguish and give a valid excuse for the Mennonite people, it seems to me, are an implicit faith in the Holy Scriptures, a simplicity of life, and non-resistance. The present recognition of the absolute redemptive and life giving power of God's word, the need of the simple life as expressed in Chas. Wagner's late book, the

increasing spirit of arbitration, should increase our love for the same principles. To help supply Mennonite communities with young people as Christian helpers and leaders, who are intelligently saturated with these and any other worthy principles; and still more to have all the students imbibe enough of these principles so that they will carry them into all kinds of communities and leaven them with these lofty sentiments is one phase of the college's obligation. However we need to observe that we do not substitute past applications of these principles for the principles themselves.

Secondly, the college stands for a liberal education, by which we mean helping the individual to arrive at some reasonable and reliable solution of life's problems and demands, to come into the clear presence of the eternal verities by which he can check up his own experience and conclusions, to accurately measure his own weakness and strength, to see the importance of "how" a thing is pursued, to love truth more than kindred, material success and reputation. These are and ought to remain the ideals of Goshen College. Has the college accomplished these things? Yes, relatively speaking to a praiseworthy degree. And it will continue to do so as long as its faculty remains as in the past a sincere, altruistic body which is steadfast in the liberty of truth.

H. L. Stump, Newton, Kan.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'00—I. W. Royer has charge of the work at the Gospel Mission, Chicago, while Supt. A. M. Eash is devoting part of his time to Bible and Mission Study.

'00—Albert J. Steiner of North Lima, O., is bishop of the Mennonite churches in Eastern Ohio.

'01—J. S. Musselman is associated with the work of the Welsh Mt. Mission, New Holland, Pa.

'01—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ressler are located at Scottdale, Pa., where Mr. Ressler is doing editorial work with the Mennonite Publishing House.

'02—Dr. W. B. Christophel has changed location from New Paris to Mishawaka, Ind., where he will have larger opportunities in his profession. Dr. Christophel has been very successful in his medical practice.

'02—George J. Lapp of Dhamtari, India, is planning to spend next year at Goshen to complete his College education.

'02—E. E. Hansacker is a druggist at Eldorado, O.

'02-'06—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Gingerich of Ann Arbor, Mich., a son.

'04—C. E. Bender is principal of the High School at Oakland, Maryland.

'04—Miss Nancy B. Kulp who was instructor in Stenography at the College since 1904, is spending the year at her home.

'04—The following is taken from the Farm Journal:—"Alvin Ramseyer, one of the best farmers of Wayne Co., Ohio, who is running a big farm and making it pay, is not so busy but that he is able to take the eight week course in agriculture given this winter at the State College. Some of us who are not one-half so busy think it impossible to go to school."

'04—E. J. Rutt is instructor in Mathematics in the High School at Bellefontaine, Ohio.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Esch of Dhamtari, India, a son.

'05—J. S. Yoder has recently been appointed deputy prosecuting attorney of Elkhart County, Indiana.

'06—Jesse L. Brenneman, formerly professor of Physics in Westminister College, Fulton, Mo., has entered the University of Wisconsin as candidate for the professional degree of Electrical Engineering in 1913.

'06—P. D. Summer has almost completed his course in Dentistry at the University of Illinois.

'07—H. B. Reed and Anna Dale Cole were married on January first at the bride's home at Huntington, Ind. Mr. Reed is doing post graduate work at the University of Chicago where he will receive his Ph. D. degree this year. Mrs. Reed was a student at the Indiana State Normal School and Indiana University and is a graduate of the former institution. They are at home now at 5622 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill.

'08—H. G. Good is professor of Mathematics in the High School at West Chester, Pa.

'08—Miss Esther Lehman is preceptress,

and instructor in History and English at the Hesston Academy and Bible School.

'09—R. R. Detweiler is assistant principal of the High School at Wakarusa, Ind.

'09—J. O. Herr who was Superintendent of the Northumberland Gas Co., Northumberland, Pa., has recently accepted a similar position at Lititz, Pa.

'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Johns of Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'10—Miss Florence Cooprider is studying medicine at the University of Illinois. She is preparing herself for medical missionary work.

'11—Miss Elsie Byler whose work as instructor in English last year was highly appreciated is having a very successful year teaching English and Psychology at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

'11—Jesse Stutzman is Principal of the High School at Markleville, Ind.

'11—Samuel Burkhard and A. J. Miller are doing graduate work at Columbia University. They both received substantial scholarships.

AT THE COLLEGE

The Winter Term now in session has an enrollment of 187. One third of this number are students in the College department. Two-fifths are registered in the Academy. All the other departments have their usual quota of students. The total attendance last term reached 203. Of this number 27 were Special Bible Term students. The steady growth in attendance, especially in the College department, is encouraging. We shall soon have a minimum attendance of 200, and one half of this number will be students of College grade.

It is interesting to watch from year to year the material development of the college, the growth in students, equipments and financial resources. No friend of the college can fail to apreciate the value and significence of such growth. But there is another phase of the growth of the college that is even more significant. That is the internal growth of the college. Each year there is added a large number of new students to those who have spent a year or several years here before. It is very apparent that this influx of new students affects the general atmosphere and spirit of the college less each year, because the student body is becoming organic and has an individuality that assimilates its new members. The more mature students are found in the upper classes. These naturally are the leaders in moulding student sentiment and determining what kind of life shall prevail in our college community. As a result of this Goshen College has made some permanent gains of which we are glad to inform the Alumni.

The large number of students doing college work has given our institution far more of a college atmosphere. The typical boisterous high school spirit is not found among us. Our students are a group of manly and womanly young people of good taste and serious purpose. The grade of work done at the present time in class and in the extra-curricula student activities is of a higher degree of efficiency than at any previous time. The students have a greater loyalty to the college and a more assured confidence in its future than ever before. With all this there prevails a fine democratic spirit that recognizes merit wherever found and makes merit the sole criteria for recognition and distinction.

A series of inter-class debates are being given this term. On the evening of Jan 12, the seniors and juniors discussed, Resolved:—''That the Federal Government should own and control all railroads engaged in interstate commerce.'' The seniors were represented by A. C. Brunk, D. A. Driver, and W. C. Ebersole, and the juniors by Miss Crissie Yoder, J. E. Weaver and W. T. Nunemaker. The juniors defending the negative, won.

On January 19 the sophomores and freshmen will debate, Resolved:—''That the present tendency towards a more highly centralized Federal Government is undesirable.'' The sophomores present the affirmative and are represented by Ralph Kline, J. J. Fisher, and M. C. Landis. The freshmen team is composed of A. E. Kreider, E. C. Yoder and Lester Hostetler. The two winning teams representing the upper and the lower classmen will later have a final debate. Very credible work is being done by all the teams and a fine spirit prevails.

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COMMENCEMENT WEEK
JUNE 9-14
CALANDER OF EVENTS.

Sunday, June 9.

7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by Bishop Samuel E. Allgyer, West Liberty, Ohio.

Monday—Tuesday,

Closing Examinations

Tuesday, June 11.

8:00 P. M. Music and Oratory Recital.

Wednesday, June 12.

1:00 P. M. Annual Alumni Business Meeting.

3:30-7:00 P. M. Class Reunions.

8:00 P. M. Annual Alumni Address by Dr. Orie C. Yoder, Peru, Ill.

9:00 P. M. Annual Alumni Reunion.

Thursday, June 13.

3:00 P. M. Acadamy Senior Class Exercises.

Senior Class Exercises,

7:00 P. M. Campus.

8:00 P. M. Assembly Hall.

Friday, June 14.

11:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.

11:30 A. M. Final Students Devotional Meeting.

1:00 P M. College Luncheon.

8:00 P. M. Commencement Exercises. Address by Dr. George L. Robinson, Chicago, Ill.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday, June 13

Campus, 7:00 P. M. .....

Ivy Ode.....Fannie Rupp

Emblem Oration.....A. C. Brunk

Assembly Hall, 8:00 P. M.

Piano Solo.....Sylvia Bontrager

Salutatory, Excelsior.....Jacob R. Rupp

Oration, The Stability of Character.....
Anna Yoder

Original Story, Rue's Awakening.....
Alta May Eby

Vocal Solo.....L. B. Greenawalt

Oration, Newer Ideals of Citizenship.....
D. Arthur Driver

Class History.....W. C. Ebersole

Valedictory, A Master's Design.....
F. A. Conrad

ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday Afternoon, 3:00

Characterization Roll Call

Piano Solo, Valse Brilliante (Chopin)....
Olive Nafziger

Salutatory, Truth Conquers All Things...
Sylvia Johnson

Reading, A Revelation from the Scarlet Letter.....Adda Miller

Oration, The Puritan's Gift to America...
Henry Burkhard

Vocal Solo.....Amos Ebersole

a. Dedication (Franz)

b. Remember Now Thy Creator (Buck)

Oration, Night Brings Out the Stars.....
Sana Troyer

Reading, The Local Editor....Orus Yoder

Valedictory, Interpretations of Nature...
Charles Reed

Class Will.....Ruth Landis

Class Song, (Words by Fannie Shank)....
The Class

MUSIC AND ORATORY RECITAL

Tuesday 8:00 P. M.

Piano Duet..Zilla Soldner and Lela Lantz

Reading, Acme of Green Gables (Montgomery).....Frances Ebersole

Soprano and Tenor Duet, With Cheerful Notes (Millet).....
Clara DeCamp and L. B. Greenwalt

Reading, The Little Girl (Davis).....
Benjamin Esch

Piano Solo, Polonaise Op. 53 (Chopin)....
Bertha Miller

Reading, The Hundred and Oneth.....
Elnora Kauffman

Soprano Solo, The Erkling (Schubert)....
Clara DeCamp

Reading, The Valedictorian (Quale).....
Prof. B. D. Smucker

Piano Quartet, Symphony, E flat, Andante—Allegro (Mozart).....

Misses Bontrager, Nefziger, Miller and DeCamp.

ALUMNI DAY

ALL Alumni are urged to spend commencement week at Goshen. It is especially desirable to have a large representation of the Association on Alumni Day, Wednesday, June 12. The Annual

Alumni Business Meeting will be held at 1:00 P. M. At this meeting the important policies of the Association will be discussed. Class reunions will be held by '02 and '07 from 3:30—7:00. These class reunions are becoming important commencement events. Plan to be present at your class reunion. At 8:00 P. M. Dr. Orie C. Yoder, Peru, Ill., will deliver the Annual Alumni Address. After this address all the Alumni will meet for the Annual Alumni Reunion.

DISTRIBUTION OF TICKETS

Tickets are required only for Thursday and Friday evenings These may be obtained, without charge, from Professor C. Henry Smith. They entitle the holders to reserved seats in the main auditorium but the seats will not be reserved after 8:00 P. M. when the doors will be thrown open to the public.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

A committee of students cooperating with Professor J. M. Kurtz, the president of the Alumni Association, with headquarters at the Cabinet Room of the Men's Dormitory will be glad to render all possible service to commencement visitors. All inquiries should be addressed to Professor J. M. Kurtz.

A REVIEW OF "WORDSWORTH, TENNYSON, AND BROWNING."

(The following review of Dr. Gingerich's recent book is a very discriminating and careful piece of work. Goshen College is fortunate in having Alumni who can write successful books; and also in having others who can review them so successfully. A careful reading of this review will greatly aid the reader in mastering Dr. Gingerich's book.)

THIS book aims primarily at a study of human will and the theory of its freedom as found in the writings of three great poets of the nineteenth century. As proof that these ideas have a legitimate place in poetry the author starts with the basis that things of universal interest have a proper place in Literature. Human will and the spirit of freedom are therefore to be found in great writings. The normal discharge of the will's function, and the act of allying itself with a higher will for its own betterment—these are the greatest acts possible to any will, and the latter constitutes freedom of the will. English poetry is deeply tinged with these ideas. Wordsworth's, Tennyson's and Browning's poetry all reflect this volitional element.

Wordsworth lived in an age of political, social, and religious unrest. Failing in his first attempt to understand his times and adjust himself to such in his search for truth, Wordsworth turned from the time of unrest and strife to memories of childhood and external nature. This latter seemed to him a living, self-directing entity. Through power of will, he re-lived and pondered these experiences with such intensity that they seemed to open to him the real sources of truth. So real were these memory experiences that they had actual vitality for him. They became the avenues of approach, as it were, to the Infinite with whom he allied himself. These constituted the poet's mystical experiences—experiences directly due to an act of volition.

Tennyson lived in a time of conflict between faith and scientific fact. Unlike Wordsworth he saw no reality back of nature. For him Nature was governed by inexorable law. At the same time inner consciousness testified to a something in human personality that was free and self-directing. Such a seeming paradox in life would tend to disturb so sensitive a mind as that of the poet when he attempted to make a reconciliation, and yet he made this adjustment perfectly. By an act of will, which in his judgment, transcends the material world the poet successfully removes the conflict. He grants that the material universe governed by an unchanging law yet moves onward by an inner impulse in an evolutionary act. Human will possesses the same power. By its own inner impulse human will enlarges, enriches, and will finally free itself in a similar evolutionary process. Tennyson's poetry is rich in its appeal to humanity to unite in this volitional act which makes for ultimate spiritual freedom.

Browning was in harmony with the spirit of his times. He does not treat nature like either Wordsworth or Tennyson. He thinks little about it except that it is subordinate to the spiritual world and that it is a medium which might either screen God from or reveal His presence to man—

hence, might be living or dead. Non-visible, spiritual realities were most important to the poet,—not the world of the infinite, but the spiritual realities of man's own nature. Browning was constantly seeking to unify the higher and lower impulses of man's nature. He would obey the fleshly impulses spiritually and make the spiritual impulses serve the body. This he would accomplish by an act of will. Such union and harmony would result in the action of the whole being and the entire personality would be enlarged and enriched thereby. Browning's poetry has many characters in whom this kind of willing and large, positive action is found.

Aside from these discussions the book treats of various other topics of interest, such as how the poet's beliefs and theories concerning human will and the spirit of freedom affected their art. All these are treated in an original manner and the book is well worth careful study.

Elsie Byler, Newton, Kansas.

THE ALUMNI FUND

THE endowment fund of the Alumni Association amounts to about $9,000 and the annual income from the fund, excluding those who are exempt from payment of dues, is about $350. Considering the fact that the whole amount was subscribed in ten years by a total membership of 150, this is an achievement that reflects very creditably upon the Association.

The income from the fund has been used in the past to help needy students to continue their college work, and to collect valuable literature for the Mennonite Historical Library. This library is now one of the most important of its kind in America.

At the Annual Alumni Business Meeting held during the commencement week of 1910, the Association decided to allow the income to accumulate for a few years and as soon as a sufficiently large amount is on hand, to undertake some worthy project for Goshen College. At the time several projects were favorably commented upon, such as endowing a Chair in the College department, building up a larger general library to meet the demands of a growing educational institution, and helping needy students who would otherwise be obliged to forego the advantages of an education. Other projects will no doubt be presented in the near future, all of which will receive careful consideration.

While the dues are not all paid up to date, there never was a lack of funds to carry on the work of the Association. A number of the members who are aware of this fact stated on various occasions that whenever the Association needs funds and they are informed they will pay their dues at their earliest convenience. This seemed a very reasonable attitude and the officers of the Association appreciate the spirit manifested. In a general way it was assumed that all those who had not paid all their dues were simply waiting for the time when the Association is in need of funds.

This is the time, therefore, that they have been waiting for. The officers of the Association who have these matters in charge want to see as large a fund as possible accumulated when the Association decides upon the project in which the money shall be used. In fact it will depend to a very large extent upon the amount of available funds on hand as to what action will be taken. It goes without saying, that every Alumnus is interested in this movement and will be glad to cooperate, so that whatever is done will be a credit to the Association and a worthy contribution to the cause for which our Alma Mater is striving. Whatever funds are paid in this year will be received in the spirit of hearty co-operation, and we ought to consider it our duty to make it possible for the treasurer at the next meeting of the Association to give a report of all funds paid up to date.

J. M. KURTZ.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'00—I. W. Royer of the Gospel Mission, Chicago, Ill., will soon locate at Orrville, O. as pastor of the union Amish and Mennonite church of that city.

'02—Mr. and Mrs. George J. Lapp of Dhamtari, India are returning to America on furlough. They will reach San Francisco the latter part of April. They plan to spend next year at Goshen College.

'03—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kropf of Orrville, Ohio, a daughter.

'04—F. S. Ebersole has resigned his position as Head of the School of Business and Acting Business Manager of the College

to accept the position of Bookkeeper for the Goshen Milk Condensing Company. Mr. Ebersole has served his Alma Mater faithfully and efficiently; and the College is sorry to have Mr. Ebersole sever his relations with the institution.

'04—G. H. Rutt is Sales and Advertising Manager for the Martin Instrument Co., Elkhart, Ind. He has the entire responsibility of placing the product of his firm on the market.

'06—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Ebersole, Minneapolis, Minn., a daughter.

'06—Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smucker, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'07—C. B. Blosser has been eleced Principal of the Summer School of Goshen College for the coming summer.

'10—J. W. Shank who was in South America the past three of four months studying the Mission fields has just returned and recommends that the Mission Board raise not less than $25,000 and make plans to establish an Industrial Mission.

'10—H. L. Stump's work as professor of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas has been so successful that his appointment as professor of English and Head of the Department of English has been made permanent.

AT THE COLLEGE

It is a real pleasure to be able to report to the Alumni that the promised good year for the College has been more than realized. In attendance this is a record year. The enrollment for the Winter Term reached a total of 195, which is a gain of eight over last year. The Spring Term thus far has an enrollment of 175 which is 20 more than the corresponding term last year.

But the most gratifying gains are of quite another nature. They are gains in standards of scholarship, in a fine democratic spirit, in a virile social life, and in a Christian atmosphere that gives the institution a healthy moral tone. This year has thus far been "an era of good-feeling" because of these many encouraging features in our college life and work. Our student leadership deserves much credit for present conditions.

The freshman-sophomore debate was won by the freshmen team. It had been the original plan to have a final dabate between the two winning teams, but experience proved that two debates requiring such extensive preparation are too great a burden for hard working students. As a result the final debate was given up by unanimous agreement. This modified plan will probably be retained in the future, giving us a freshman-sophomore and a junior-senior debate annually.

The Peace Oratorical Contest

The Two Significant Peace Forces.....
Charles E. Reed
Peace and the Naval Situation.....
Clifford F. Brunk
The Brotherhood of Man.....
Benjamin Summer
Colleges as a Factor in the Promotion of Peace.....J. Roy Allgyer
Ideals of Peace—Then and Now.....
Louis Miller
The Evolution of World Unity.....
Charles L. Shank
The Cost of War.....D. Arthur Driver

The above is the program of the annual Peace Oratorical Contest which was held at the College on the evening of April 5. The contest was very close and was won by Mr. Reed. He will represent the College in the State contest to be held at Earlham College on the evening of April 19.

Lecture Course

THE Student Lecture Board is giving a very satisfactory series of lectures this year. The course is composed of the following numbers.

Oct. 12—Prof. Samuel H. Clark, Head of the Department of Public Speaking, The University of Chicago. Reading—Materlink's "The Blue Bird."

Dec. 8—Dr. Edgar J. Banks, Lecturer and Author. "Bismya, The Oldest City in the World."

March 8—Dr. Thomas F. Moran, Head of the Department of History, Purdue University, "Citizenship in a Democracy."

March 26—President Harry B. Hutchins, University of Michigan, "Respect for the Law."

April 12—Dr. Solomon F. Gingerich, Instructor in English, University of Michigan, "The Theory and Practise of Fiction Writing".

May 10—Mrs. Byron W. King, Vice President and Instructor, King's School of Oratory. Lecture Recital.

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THE SIXTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT.

THE commencement exercises held Friday evening, June 14th, were a fitting climax of one of the most successful years in the history of Goshen College. Forty-two persons graduated from the various departments and received diplomas.

The following persons completed the four year college course and received the degree of Bachelor of Arts:

Aldine Carpenter Brunk
Fred Allen Conrad
David Arthur Driver
William Ebersole
Alta Mae Eby
Walter Edgar Gordon
Fannie Belle Rupp
Jacob Roth Rupp
Harmon Roth Rupp
Anna Yoder

The following persons graduated from the Academy.

Charles Boomershine
Milton Brenneman
Henry Burkhard
Allen Christophel
Charlotte Eby
Amos Ebersole
Rubye Gordon
Charles Lloyd Haney
Fanny Haarer
Arthur Eugene Holdeman
Ruth Hostetler
Sylvia Lloyd Johnson
Ruth Wion Landis
Mary Francis Landis
Adda Lavanda Miller
Louis Miller
Ezra Sereno Mullett
Olive Verah Nafziger
Alvin Rogers
Elcy May Russell
Charles Nelson Schrock
Fannie Priscilla Shank
Ira James Shidler
Charles Benjamin Shoemaker
Benjamin Summer
Samuel Peter Unzicker
Ruth Vance
Elta Wolf
Orus Ray Yoder

The following persons graduated from the Music Course:

Clara Lucile DeCamp
Zila Rosa Soldner

The following persons graduated from the Business Course:

Earl Stutzman
Lawrence Cooper Williams

The commencement address was delivered by Prof. George L. Robinson, of the McCormick Theological Seminary of Chicago, his subject being "Christian Education and Success." Christian education, he said is based upon knowledge, discipline, character; success is the progress the individual makes in pursuit of these three things. He emphasized the importance of independence, dependence, obedience and the consciousness of a definite purpose in life. He maintained that the religious element is an essential part of education, and that education is the formation of character as much as the cultivation of the intellect. He made an earnest appeal to the graduates to hold high ideals and to labor untiringly for their realization in active life.

President Byers in conferring the degrees and presenting the diplomas made a brief but very appropriate address. The diplomas he said, while representing a certain test, were by no means a guarantee of success. Neither did they sever the relationship of the recipients with the College, but rather admitted them to full and permanent membership in the College as Alumni. In conclusion he urged the graduates to be true to their best ideals and convictions.

The College Quartette and a select chorus under the direction of Prof. Brunk rendered excellent music during the evening.

COMMENCEMENT VISITORS.

MANY of the Alumni, former students and friends of the College were in Goshen during commencement week. The names of the following Alumni appear on the commencement register, exclusive of those living in the city of

Goshen: Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Yoder, Peru, Ill., Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, Mishawaka, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind., Miss Anna Christophel, Goshen, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler, Elkhart, Ind., Mrs. Amelia Nahrgang, New Hamburg, Ontario, Miss Cora Shantz, Elkhart, Ind., Mr. J. J. Smoker, Chicago, Ill., Prof. and Mrs. H. L. Stump, Newton, Kansas, Mrs. Jacob C. Landis, Elkhart, Ind., Miss Lydia B. Stutzman, Chicago, Ill., Prof. S. E. Zook, Lafayette, Ind., Mr. P. D. Summer, Chicago, Ill., Prof. S. A. Zook, Belleville, Pa., Miss Anna Hoover, Goshen, Ind., Miss Delta Kauffman, Goshen, Ind., Miss Alice Treuschel, Elkhart, Ind., Mr. Samuel Burkhard, Roseland, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, LaJunta, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Otis Johns, Goshen, Ind., Miss Ella Wenger, Elkhart, Ind., Mr. A. J. Miller, Grantsville, Md., Miss Meta Martin, Elkhart, Ind., Miss Mabel Miller, Millersburg, Ind., Miss Rossie Hostetler, Millersburg, Ind., Mr. Leander Weldy, Wakarusa, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Royer, Orrville, Ohio, Mrs. H. F. Reist, Scottdale, Pa., Miss Mary Yoder, Wooster, Ohio, Miss Nancy B. Kulp, Elkhart, Ind., Miss Maude E. Barry, Nappanee, Ind., Miss Katie Malick, Elkhart, Ind., Miss Ella DeCamp, Elkhart, Ind., Mr. Charles Sunthimer, Goshen, Ind., Miss Myrtis Weaver, Goshen, Ind., Mr. Alfred R. Walker, Warsaw, Ind., Miss Edith Weybright, Syracuse, Ind.

THE ALUMNI ADDRESS.

THE annual address before the Alumni Association was delivered on Wednesday evening, June 12 by Dr. Orie C. Yoder of Peru, Ill. Dr. Yoder is a member of the class of '02 and has always been prominently connected with the work of the Association. While president of the Association a few years ago, he inaugurated some of the best features in the work that the Alumni are doing for the College.

Dr. Yoder's subject was "Contagious Diseases," which he treated in a very lucid and interesting fashion. His method of treatment was especially apt. He illustrated the nature and treatment of contageous diseases by taking Yellow Fever as an example. He introduced his subject by giving a brief history of the ravages of this terrible disease and the many futile efforts that medical science in the past made to combat it. Until quite recently the only escape from Yellow Fever in the low, hot coast regions was flight to the highlands. A rational remedy was unknown; experience alone proved that high altitudes are comparatively immune from the disease.

Only a few years ago extensive experiments were made which proved that the chief source of the trouble is the presence of certain kinds of mosquitoes in low hot countries. It was found that these mosquitoes carry the disease from the sick to the well by biting persons suffering from Yellow Fever and in turn biting persons who are well. By prolonged experiments it was found that this is the one and only way in which Yellow Fever is carried from the sick to the well. During these experiments persons exposed themselves in every imaginable way to Yellow Fever patients but never contracted the disease, unless they were bitten by these Yellow Fever mosquitoes. It was also found that the off-spring of these mosquitoes which had bitten Yellow Fever sufferers can carry the disease to well persons.

Dr. Yoder gave a very interesting account of the place that bacteria play in contagious diseases. He explained at length how the offending bacteria is discovered and what methods medical science uses in combating them. It was of interest to learn that even though Yellow Fever probably is transmitted by carrying a certain kind of bacteria from the sick to the well, science has thus far failed to discover them. Many kinds of bacteria are so small and so elusive that they frequently escape the careful search of the skilled investigator.

ALUMNI REUNION.

AT the close of Dr. Yoder's address to the Alumni all the members of the Association present and the faculty gathered in the dining room of Kulp Hall for the annual Alumni Reunion. The gathering numbered about one hundred enthusiastic and loyal friends of the College. Socially the reunion was a great success. Every one seemed to be in the happiest humor and glad to find others in the same frame of mind. This part of the program seemed all too short.

A matter of business referred to this

gathering by the annual business meeting in the afternoon was quickly dispatched by appointing Professors Whitmer and Stump and I. W. Royer a committee to consider the matter and report later.

After refreshments, Professor Kurtz, the president of the Association, introduced Professor Whitmer as the toast-master of the evening. Mr. Whitmer performed his duties in his usual form. The Ramblers furnished the music for the evening, which was hugely enjoyed by everyone. The toasts of the evening were given by Miss Ella DeCamp, Sharps and Flats; Mr. Samuel Burkhard, The Small College; Mr. S. A. Zook, The College and the Alumni; Mrs. Amelia Nahrgang, Reciprocity; Mr. Jacob Rupp, College Loyalty; and Dr. Orie C. Yoder, Setting Breaks. This was one of the pleasentest evenings that the Alumni ever spent together and guarantees a larger and more enthusiastic attendance at future alumni reunions.

CLASS REUNIONS

THE class reunions which are becoming one of the prominent features of commencement week, are looked forward to by the Alumni as one of the most enjoyable events of the whole week. This year the classes of '02 and '07 had their highest expectations realized as they met for a very informal reunion in the beautiful grove on the banks of the Elkhart River.

The time passed all too rapidly as we, who after a ten and a five years absence, met again from so many widely diverging paths in life. Though we follow so many different professions the same motto, the same aims, and the same ideals still guide us in our different walks of life

After a few hours of this most pleasant association, a dainty luncheon was served by the Goshen members of the classes, which was greatly enjoyed. On separating we all made many promises to be present at another such reunion five years hence. The following persons attended these reunions: Mrs. Amelia Nahrgang, Miss Anna Christophel, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, Mrs. J. C. Landis, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gerig, Miss Lydia B. Stutzman, Dr. and Mrs. Orie C. Yoder, Miss Katie Malick, Miss Maude E. Barry and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser.

SENIOR CLASS

ON Thursday the Senior class gave an excellent program before one of the largest audiences of commencement week. The exercises were divided into two parts. The first part, which was an entirely new feature consisted of an Ivy Ode and an Emblem Oration given on the campus in front of Kulp Hall. The second part was given in the Assembly Hall. Each number on the entire program gave evidence of careful preparation. The high standard which has characterized the class in all its work and college activities was maintained in this their final appearance in public and they go out from their Alma Mater with the confidence and best wishes of the faculty and student body.

The class is composed of ten members who did their major work in seven departments: History, Science, Philosophy, Mathematics, Languages, English and Bible. Their diversified interests has led them out into widely different vocations. In a few months A. C. Brunk will sail for India as a missionary; F. A. Conrad has a fellowship at Indiana State University and will do graduate work there next year; D. A. Driver has been elected principal of a township high school in LaGrange Co., Indiana; W. C. Ebersole has not yet fully decided his work for next year; Alta Eby will be preceptress and instructor in mathematics at Hesston Academy, Hesston, Kan. Walter Gordon and Jacob Rupp will study medicine; Fannie Rupp will be at home; Harmon Rupp will farm, and Anna Yoder will teach in the Waterford High School near Goshen, Ind.

The Senior Class last year was composed of the same number as this year Two years ago it was composed of five members. It is a source of gratification that at the end of three years after the full four years of college work was offered, twenty-five of the graduates have received the A. B. degree. The class next year promises to be still larger. Next year we will celebrate the decennial anniversary of the founding of Goshen College and it is hoped that every Alumnus who has taken a degree will be with us and help us with the experiences they have gained both in college and out in active life, to formulate the best policies in carrying out the ideals and purposes for which the institution stands. The out-going Senior

class has been faithful and loyal during the past year and as they leave the college halls the best wishes of their friends go with them.

THE ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS

THE Acadamy Class Program which took place at three p. m. on Thursday of Commencement week was acceptably rendered to a large audience. Twenty-nine members constituted the class, Indiana furnishing seventeen, Pennsylvania and Illinois three each, Iowa two, Maryland, Ohio, Nebraska and Texas one each. A novel feature of the program was the opening number, a characterization roll call to which each individual responded, giving a brief history and prophecy of a fellow-classman. The president, Slyvia Johnson then formerly opened the exercises by welcoming the great throng of friends and visitors and giving a brief exposition of the class motto, ''Truth conquers All Things.'' The program further consisted of readings, orations, music and class will. Chas. E. Reed concluded the exercises with a valedictory address on the subject ''Laws of Character,'' closing his speech with an eloquent tribute to the President and Faculty of Goshen College.

An appreciable fact about our Academy graduates is that each year a larger number are recognizing this course as an introduction to the College proper, consequently the majority of this class will be full fledged Collegians this fall.

COLLEGE LUNCHEON

THE college luncheon has increased in popularity among the students and friends of the college to the extent that it was necessary this year to remove the tables from the dining room of Kulp Hall in order to accommodate all who had purchased tickets for the luncheon. By this method all were nicely provided for, but there is no room for further expansion. The committee in charge must make some other arrangements for the luncheon in the near future. The increasing popularity of this event is an indication of the large place that it holds among the events of commencement week. In enthusiasm and genuine college spirit this is the climax of commencement week.

After dinner Professor Blosser took charge as toast-master. He was equal to the occasion and kept the whole gathering in finest humor throughout the entire program. The Ramblers sang several selections which were most thoroughly enjoyed The following persons responded to toasts: Professor H. L. Stump, Newton, Kansas, I. W. Royer, Orrville, Ohio, W. C. Ebersole, a senior, Professors Whitmer and J. S. Hartzler and President Byers. The afternoon's program concluded by an enthusiastic singing of ''The College Song.''

It is difficult to say which feature of the luncheon was most enjoyed. The dinner was ample, the social spirit was strong and spontaneous, the music was excellent, and the toasts were entertaining and instructive. On the whole it was the most successful luncheon that the College has yet had.

ALUMNI BUSINESS MEETING

THE annual business meeting of the Alumni association was held on Wednesday afternoon at which time twenty-four new members were received into the association. The election of members to the board of directors resulted as follows: Prof. H. L. Stump, Newton, Kansas, Dr. W. B. Christophel, Mishawaka, Ind.; G. H. Rutt, Elkhart, Ind.; Anna Yoder, Goshen, Ind. Miss Yoder represents the Senior class. H. F. Reist was re-elected to his position on the Mennonite Board of Education. The reports of the President, Treasurer, and Editor of the News Letter are given elsewhere. The Mennonite Historical Library was formally presented to the College by Prof. Stump. President Byers in a few appropriate remarks received the gift in behalf of the institutior The attendance at the business meeting during the last few years has not been very large and a motion was made that the executive committee take the matter up for consideration to see whether some other arrangements could be made which would be more satisfactory. The committee reported at the reunion in the evening. The subscriptions to the Endowment fund by the incoming class amounted to $700.

The Board of Directors met on Friday evening after the commencement exercises. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, J. M. Kurtz; 1st Vice President, W. W. Oesch, 2nd Vice President, H. F.

Reist; Recording Secretary, Mrs. N. E. Byers; Corresponding Secretary, Anna Yoder; Treasurer, J. S. Yoder; Historian, Nancy B. Kulp. Executive committee:—J. M. Kurtz, W. W. Oesch, Mrs. N. E. Byers, J. S. Yoder, F. S. Ebersole. P. E. Whitmer was re-elected editor of the Alumni News Letter.

President's Report

To the Alumni:—

During the past year the Alumni Association has made considerable progress in furthering some of its more important policies and in getting the Alumni in closer touch with one another and with their Alma Mater. The Mennonite Historical Library has been catalogued and will be formally presented to the College at this meeting. This Library, I am glad to say, is one of the largest and best of its kind in this country. It contains a number of very rare and valuable volumes which in the future it would be difficult if not impossible to duplicate.

The Alumni News Letter has been very favorably received by the Alumni, judging by the expressions of appreciation which have come both to me and to the editor of the publication. The policy of sending it to every member of the association is meeting with general approval and if nothing is said to the contrary this policy will be continued in the future. This is perhaps the best means of retaining the spirit of good fellowship and co-operation among the Alumni. The possibilities of such a publication are much greater than we have yet realized, providing every member of the association will make himself responsible to do his part in making it a success. Every Alumnus should consider it his duty to report news items to the editor both with reference to himself and his friends. Modesty is no excuse for negligence in this case.

Next year the College will celebrate the decennial anniversary of the founding of Goshen College. This would be a very appropriate time for the Alumni Association to decide definitely on its policy with reference to the endowment fund. Several projects have been mentioned by different members of the Association. It has been suggested that we help needy students who could not otherwise secure an education. Others would like to see the Library build up so as to meet the needs of a rapidly growing institution. A number would prefer to appropriate the funds for a building which would stand as a monument to the loyalty and good will of the Alumni; still others advocate the endowing of a chair in the College department and some would be glad to create a pension fund to be used with certain limitations by members of the faculty after retiring from active service. It has also been suggested that the last two projects be combined and that the Alumni endow a chair with the proviso that whenever the Alumni Association pays the College the annual payments, the college set aside an equivalent amount to be used as a pension fund. In this way the Alumni would be endowing a chair and at the same time the pension fund would be growing. But the College would have the use of the money for a considerable time to come.

It is hoped that during the coming year these projects will be carefully considered so that at our next annual meeting something definite can be done.

Repectfully submitted, J. M. Kurtz.

P. S. Since this report was presented to the Association the Secretary of the College, J. S. Hartzler, gave it as his opinion that in future years the Alumni will be better satisfied if they put up a building like a Library or some other one which they might prefer. The endowment fund is steadily increasing and later on an endowed chair will be somewhat insignificant, while a building will always stand out as a prominent contribution to our Alma Mater. J. M. K.

Report of the Treasurer

To the Alumni Association of Goshen College:

Collections during the year 1911-1912

C. E. Bender	$0.25
Lena Albrecht	.25
I. W. Royer	.25
Eva Strunk Hess	.25
P. R. Zook	.25
J. O. Herr	.25
Lillie Minnich	.25
Levi Wenger	.25
Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller	.50
M. C. Landis	.25
J. L. Steiner	.25
Anna Christophel	52.75
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess	13.50
Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Honderich	.50
Elizabeth Hauck	5.50

S. A. Zook	.25
Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Byers	6.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole	.50
Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler	.50
J. L. Brenneman	2.50
Ella DeCamp	2.00
Dr. Orie C. Yoder	.25
Nancy B. Culp	2.75
Mary Yoder	.25
Amanda Ebersole	.25
Minnie Yoder	1.50
Cora Schantz	2.75
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler	.50
Ella Wenger	2.75
Anna Hoover	2.25
Dr. and Mrs. Christophel	.50
Mrs. M. H. Hostetler	.25
Frances Ebersole	.25
Ben Ebersole	.25
Mrs. D. S. Gerig	.25
Mrs. J. S. Kropf	.25
R. R. Detweiler	.25
S. E. Zook	5.25
Lena Albrecht	1.25
Lydia Kurtz Smucker	.25
Etta Gilliom	.25
Frances Oyer	2.75
Charles Yoder	.25
Mr. and Mrs. Elva Greenawalt	.50
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank	.50
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shertz	15.00
A. C. Ramseyer	5.50
E. J. Rutt	10.00
J. S. Yoder	5.25
Int. on deposit	3.45
Cash	16.86
Total	$170.31

Disbursments during the year, 1911-1912,

J. S. Umble (Alumni Address)	$11.10
Cooking Club (Printing News Letter)	15.60
Cooking Club (Printing News Letter)	9.95
Cooking Club (Printing News Letter)	9.15
News Printing Co. (Stationary)	6.50
Mailing News Letter	1.57
Postage	1.50
Postage	.76
Seal	1.75
Incorporation	13.35
Money loaned	91.97
Balance on hand	7.11
Total	$170.31

Moneys and assets now in possession of the Association:

Note for	$ 50.00
Interest now due on above note	28.85
Note for	91.97
Note for	120.21
Interest now due on above note	7.27
Note for	159.96
Interest now due on above note	9.59
Note for	52.16
Note for	36.00
Interest now due on above note	13.21
Total	$569.23

J. S. Yoder, Treasurer.

A Report

The committee appointed at the Alumni Reunion, June 12, 1912, to make recommendations for the more satisfactory transaction of the business of the Association, submit the following report:

1. That the Executive Committee of the Board meet and outline the business to be transacted each year and that a written report of this meeting be published in the April number of the Alumni News Letter, and

2. That the Board of the Association meet not later than Wednesday afternoon of commencement week, each year, to transact all the business of the Association and to make nominations for directors and officers of the Board, and

3. That the business transacted and the nominations for directors and officers made by the Board, be submitted in written form by the President for approval by the Association at the Alumni Reunion; and also that the graduates who are candidates for membership in the Association be received at this time, and

4. Since the annual Alumni address is attended only by the college and its immediate friends, we also recommend that the address be given at 7:00 p. m. to gain one hour of time for the Alumni Reunion.

H. L. Stump,
I. W. Royer,
P. E. Whitmer.

THE CHICAGO ASSOCIATION OF GOSHEN ALUMNI

THE Chicago branch of the Goshen College Alumni Association held its annual meeting on the evening of May 29 in a cafe on Halsted Street. Twenty members were present and the evening was very pleasantly spent.

Light refreshments were first served after which toasts and short speeches reminded those present of days spent at

Elkhart Institute or Goshen College. Not only was the past reviewed but Professor Whitmer gave a brief account of the present conditions and progress being made at the College.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rutt, I. W. Royer, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, P. E. Whitmer, J. J. Smoker, A. E. Kreider, Miss Lydia B. Stutzman, Miss Florence Cooprider, Miss Lydia LeFevre, H. B. Weiler, Samuel Honderich, Miss Alma Allbright, P. D. Summer, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reed, J. I. Byler, R. R. Detweiler and Miss Anna Autenrieth. Before adjourning new officers were elected as follows: Pres., P. D. Summer, Vice Pres., Anna Autenrieth, Sec.-Treas., Lydia B. Stutzman and Reporter, Florence Cooprider.

This branch of the Association is larger than it has ever been and the College spirit of friendship and good will was manifested during the whole evening and every one went away feeling well repaid for having been present The sentiment was expressed and generally approved that another meeting be held next year.

FACULTY PERSONALS

President Byers and Professor Gerig sailed for Hamburg, June 20, on the S. S. Cleveland. They expect to spend the summer in travel, principally in Germany and Switzerland. On their return trip they will visit Paris, The Hague, Antwerp, and London. They plan to reach Goshen again about September 15.

President Byers gave the commencement address at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas in the forenoon of June 5, and in the evening of the same day he gave a similar address at the commencement of Hesston Acadamy at Hesston, Kansas.

Professors Lehman, Kurtz, and Detweiler will study at the University of Chicago during the summer quarter.

Professor Whitmer will spend the summer studying English at the University of Michigan.

Professor Smith expects to travel in the West and North-west during the summer.

Professors Blosser, Zook, Brunk and Smucker, assisted by Supt. Snapp of Bristol, Indiana, J. W. Shank, A. J. Miller and J. E. Weaver constitute the Summer School faculty.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'03—The friends of Mrs. Lucinda Yoder Kropf, Orrville, Ohio, are pained to learn of the death of her husband, Joseph Kropf.

'03—J. C. Landis is a traveling salesman in northern Indiana for Buhl Sons Co., wholesale hardware dealers of Detroit, Mich. The May number of Hardware News, the company's official publication, gives him a very complimentary write-up. From this we quote the last sentence. "He has mastered the hardware business in all its branches pretty thoroughly, and unless we miss our guess there will be something doing in Hoosierdom from now on."

'04—Miss Catherine Blosser and Mr. John A. Hilty were married on Thursday, May 30 at Nampa, Idaho. They are both cennected with the Nampa Mission and expect to continue in the work at that place indefinitely.

'05—Miss Lydia Belle Stutzman and Mr. Reuben Jennings Miller were married June 27, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Levi Hartzler, Middlefield, Ohio. Mr. Miller is an architectural draftsman with one of the leading architects of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will spend the summet at Chautauqua, N. Y. In the fall they will locate in Chicago.

'05—J. S. Yoder's friends have received the following significent announcement. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Schermerhorn announce the marriage of their niece, Nelle Cathryn Colburn to Mr. Jonathan S. Yoder on Saturday, June 20, 1912, Brimfield, Indiana. At home after August 10, 1912, 1233 S. Eighth Street, Goshen, Ind. Mr. Yoder's friends heartily congratulate him on his marriage.

'08—Miss Esther M. Lehman had a successful year as preceptress and instructor in History and English at Hesston Academy, Hesston, Kansas. She will continue her work there next year.

'08—A. J. Regier was a member of the first class to receive the A. B. degree from Bethel College at their commencement, June 5.

'09—The friends of Miss Etta Gilliom are glad to learn that she has sufficiently recovered from her prolonged illness that she was able to return to her home at Garden City, Mo., June 15.

'10-'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. W.

Oesch of Garden City, Mo., a daughter.

'10—Florence Cooprider and Lydia LeFevre of Chicago spent May 11-13 at the College attending the annual Missionary Day.

'10—S. A. Zook had a very successful year as principal of the high school at Belleville, Pa. He is studying at the University of Chicago this summer and will return to his work at Belleville, Pa., in the fall.

'11—Jesse Stutzman, principal of the Markelsville, Ind., schools, is in Goshen for the summer. He will return to Markelsville in September for his third consecutive year.

'11—T. K. Hershey spent May 10-13 at the College. He had a good year in mission work at Youngstown, Ohio.

'11—Samuel Burkhard received the A. M. degree from Columbia University in June. His subject was Industrial Education. He will teach at Cleveland, Ohio, next year.

'11—A. J. Miller is teaching in the Summer School of Goshen College this summer. He received the A. M. degree in History at Columbia University in June.

'11—Miss Elsie Byler was recently elected Dean of Women at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE college year closed with an enrollment of 181, making a gain of 26 over last year at this time. The winter term reached a total attendance of 195, a gain of eight over last year and the fall term with an attendance of 176 was a gain of 12 over the corresponding term of last year. The average gain for the year is over 15 students per term. A comparison of our enrollment with last year further shows that we have 106 students who meet college entrance requirements while last year those who met the college entrance requirements numbered 88. Of the total gain of 26, eighteen are of college grade.

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The honor system has been adopted in both dormitories, Kulp Hall and the Men's Dormitory Students who have been in residence for one year or more are eligible to vote and hold office. A house president and four ward members are elected to constitute a council which has charge of all regulations and matters of discipline in each hall. This council of course, is responsible to the college authorities and subject to them. The plan has been very successful thus far.

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The registration of students on the opening day of Summer School reached a number never before attained in any previous year. Even that number has grown to some twenty more, making the enrollment up to date, 129. This number stands significantly above the 100 of 1911 and the 85 of 1910. Many of the Alumni will remember the time when the enrollment of the summer term at Goshen College was barely more than one-fifth of the present number. While this outlook should be a source of encouragement to all concerned, it is not more than should be expected. The College certainly must stand for progress and this is merely one evidence that her ideal of progress is more than a mere fancy.

More than any other term of the year, the summer term forms a unit by itself. By far the greater majority of students are qualifying for positions in the public schools of Indiana and neighboring states and the college is to them an institution of utilitarian values rather than of character cultivation. They may be conscious of the latter aim of the College and it may receive due consideration but the practical side is to them of very great significance.

Not only is the immediate purpose of the Summer School slightly different from that of the regular students, but the season of the year and the peculiar half-day plan for sessions have tendencies to create a different atmosphere among them. "Outdoor freshness" is the dominant spirit of everything. The tired, bookish expression, that is often seen on the faces of regular students near commencement season, is seldom found, for the charm of summer touches every cheek and brow. But in spite of the changes that come with the summer term, there is, however, a distinctive type of College life which bursts out in a new form and keeps fresh the school spirit from the old to the new school year.

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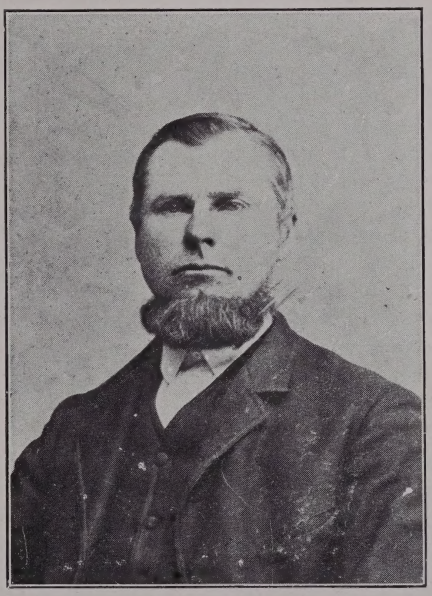
LEWIS KULP

(By J. S. Hartzler.)

ELOQUENCE is no evidence of Christianity; nor the lack of it, an evidence that Christ is not present in the soul. The subject of this sketch was not a man of letters but of hard work and kind acts. His body was large and very muscular; his will and courage were as strong as his body. His early life was spent on the farm and he had become accustomed to hardships and strict economy.

In 1882 he with his family moved to Elkhart, Indiana. Not being a man who took up with new projects without careful consideration, he did not take up with the educational problems of the Church at once but after seeing what the Elkhart Institute was doing for the young people he allowed himself to be used for its promotion and in 1898 he was elected treasurer of the Elkhart Institute Association and served in that capacity until death. When the school had but few friends, and when the clouds seemed very dark and threatening, when few others trusted the Association, yea, when those who should have been friends of the institution said, "The Institute will be in the hands of the sheriff or of a receiver in six months," he advanced nearly fifteen hundred dollars at one time "to bridge over" as he called it. When the clouds were the darkest for the school and when there was discord in the church, his favorite expression was, "Let us stick together, the right will come out some time. The Lord will not allow His children to be trodden down always."



When that other staunch supporter of the school, Bro. Herman Yoder, passed from time to eternity, Bro. Kulp accepted the stewardship of the Boarding Hall and devoted much of his time to that phase of the school work without accepting any pay for his labors.

To see the school leave Elkhart and come to Goshen was a hard blow upon "Brother Lewis" as he was favoritely called, but he realized that it was the best for the school and repeatedly said that the good of the school was to be considered much more than his individual wishes. As the buildings at Goshen College were being erected he watched their progress and gave much valuable advice as to the plans and work. When the school was opened in its new quarters he still retained a partial oversight of the Boarding Hall and carefully advised with the Business Manager, Bro. C. K. Hostetler.

When he was taken sick no one suspected that his case was serious. He died suddenly on the morning of March 7, 1904. Heart failure was the cause. This was a terrible blow to the family as well as to the college, for he was a true father to the latter as well as to the former, and it was indeed fitting that the family should subscribe a large amount of money for the erection of a monument to his memory in connection with the school which he loved so well; and it was equally fitting that this monument should be the spacious dormitory on the campus called Kulp Hall. His body has returned to dust but he is remembered as a true Christian, a great friend of the school, and a genial, loving neighbor and father.

DECENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

COMMENCEMENT day on the 20th of next June will mark the end of the tenth year of the existence of Goshen College, and the Faculty has made provision for the proper celebration of this event during commencement week. Tuesday and Wednesday forenoons have been set aside for the special features of the Anniversary and a committee consisting of the President and Professors Zook and Smith are in charge of the arrangements for the event.

A number of reunions are being planned for the various College organizations which will interest all graduates and former students. Among these are the various literary societies who will royally entertain their old members. Each of the ten classes of the College and Academy that graduted during this period will no doubt hold special reunions. Departmental programs are being prepared of interest to all former students, in the Bible, Business, Music and Normal Schools. Members of the Mission Bands will also renew their old associations in appropriate meetings and it is to be hoped that the annual commencement week devotional meeting will be one of the best features of a full week of good things

For out door exercises a tennis tournament including representatives of the ten classes has been suggested and a special time may be set aside for the planting of trees and ivies by the various organizations.

For the general meetings it is expected to have speakers from among those who have aided in making history during these years, such as former members of the faculty and student body as well as those who are now active in the College. We may even have the pleasure of hearing the old Philharmonic Society sing some of the grand old choruses from the Messiah and the "Ramblers" will surely add to the good cheer of the occasion.

As the plans are perfected, more definite announcements will be made but we are sure to have a full week of good things that will be of interest to all graduates, former students and friends of the College, and it is to be hoped that all the Alumni will not only plan to be preesnt if possible, but will cooperate to make all the features undertaken a success and also make a special effort to urge all other former students and friends of the College to be present during the entire week. We wish to review the work of the past decade and reunite our forces for a much larger work for the next ten years.

N. E. Byers.

A VACATION TRIP.

IN answer to a request of the editor that a brief account of the vacation trip of Pres. Byers and myself be furnished for the readers of the News Letter, a cursory sketch of its general purpose is hereby attempted.

It is a fine privilege to spend a summer abroad after a decade of almost constant work in the classroom. By it the double aim of improved educational advantage and respite from demanding exactions of professional toil may both be served.

We left New York on June 20. Just five days after the close of commencement season. A ten days' voyage on a comparatively calm sea afforded ample time for reflection and relaxation.

In almost scheduled time our vessel arrived at Cuxhaven. An hour's ride by rail lands passengers in Hamburg. Here we got our first introduction to and impressions of German life and customs. The strange language, the historic scenes and the new environs afforded the first real lesson in sociology abroad. The conditions of society and standard of living of the various European nations differ widely. Though small in extent, the nations have not succeeded in amalgamating their citizen body, and the homogeneity of our own states is not found.

Soon after arrival, our professional interests awakened. We began to inquire into the system of education. We observed what was being done in the schools and how they were conducted. Buildings and playgrounds were also inspected and courses of study reviewed.

Though we had not planned to matriculate at any university for study, we after all had the pleasure of hearing regular lectures by the most renowned professors of Germany. Among these were Dr. Erich Schmidt, Rector of the Royal University at Berlin; Dr. Otto Harnack, theologian and philosopher, also of Berlin; while at Leipsig we heard the veteran philosopher, Dr. Wundt, famous as

author and authority in his field, and who this year is exchange professor for Columbia University. A number of others were heard besides.

Their many universities and seats of learning were visited. Among them the universities of Bonn, Jena, Heidelberg, Munich, Jurich, Cambridge, Oxford, and the historic old Eton College may be mentioned. The value and worth of a visit to these and other institutions of almost like fame cannot be set down in a few brief sentences.

Another phase of the summer's trip, somewhat less practical, but no less cultural, was the study and enjoyment of the natural scenery of Europe. Lavishly has nature endowed the scenes with beauty. This is made all the more interesting because of the efforts of man to subdue its ruggedness in many instances and to bring its barrenness to produce. Truly the mighty works of nature and of art are blended here in a magnificent manner. Who can travel amid the heart of the Alps and not be thrilled with the majestic grandeur and beauty of their rugged and stately forms! Who is not enraptured by the clear blue lakes dotted everywhere among the towering peaks! Nowhere else, perhaps, is there another such an exhibition of the mighty strength of nature in contrast with the all but mightier power of man to overcome natural barriers. Here human skill and engineering are shown at their best; here, too, is a standing challenge to provoke the utmost in man. Providence reveals himself in a wonderful fashion. Here in the Alps is the great handbook of Nature where the truths of Geology, Botany and Biology may be read and studied at first hand. The phantastic stratification of the rocks; the numerous species of plants clinging to the veriest bits of rock and earth in the struggle for existence; the mountain chamois climbing to the very precipice on the dizzy height, all reiterate truths underlying the very fabrics of life and society. By the harmoniously blended colors and gentler moods of nature the milder and sweeter phases of life are also emphasized.

A final benefit from such a trip is derived from the visits to and acquaintance with the scenes of great historic events. It is one thing to know the geography of a place; it is quite another to have visited that place and stood and tramped over the spots where the mighty conflicts in the progress of the world have taken place. So in a trip from ancient Hamburg, through historic Wittenburg to modern Berlin; or into the ancient monastic walls of St. Gall to busy Geneva and active Zurich; to many, many places all over central Germany and along the course of the historic and picturesque Rhine, up into that asylum of freedom, Holland, then across the deep to teeming London, including side trips to various famous places in the little aisle, but great country, all this affords an opportunity the benefit of which cannot be expressed. Its educational value cannot be told, and to be fully appreciated it must enter into one's personal experience.

A nine days' voyage across the North Atlantic via the St. Lawrence river brought us to native shores where the final gang plank was laid at Montreal, after having had a foretaste of the stability of "terra firma" at Quebec. From thence a speedy train carried us to loved ones whom we were glad to meet. In but a very few days more we were again busily at work in the classroom. The summer abroad has strengthened us for our work in mind and body and its benefits we hope may increase, and be shared with many who may come under our tutorage in years to come.

D. S. Gerig.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'00—Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Steiner of North Lima, Ohio, a son.

'01-'11—Professor J. M. Kurtz and Miss Mabel Miller were married August 29 at the home of Miss Miller's parents at Millersburg, Indiana. They are now at home to their friends at 1022 S. 8th Street, Goshen. Their many friends join the Alumni News Letter in congratulations and expressions of well wishes.

'02—Dr. S. F. Gingerich was elected a member of the Modern Language Association of America at its last annual meeting. Dr. Gingerich is also one of the successful extension lecturers sent out by the University of Michigan.

'04-'10—Miss Nancy B. Kulp and A. L. Gilliom were married on July 18th at the home of Miss Kulp's mother, Elkhart,

Indiana. They are at home at Ann Arbor, Mich., where Mr. Gilliom is a student of law.

'06—J. Frank Ebersole we re-elected Assistant Professor of Economics at the University of Minnesota with a very creditable promotion. An eastern university has been making overtures to him with a view of securing him for an important position in the same department.

'07—H. B. Reed received the Ph. D. degree from The University of Chicago at the last convocation of the university August 30. His thesis was written on the Business Ethics of Large Corporations.

'08—A. J. Regier is teaching in the Mennonite Preparatory school at Mountain Lake, Minn.

'08—H. B. Weiler and Miss Mable Thornton were married at the Thornton home, Elkhart, Indiana, July 17. They will live in Chicago where Mr. Weiler is a student in dentistry.

'09-'10—R. R. Detweiler and Miss Georgia Cart were married at the home of Miss Cart's parents at New Paris, Indiana, August 21. Mr. Detweiler was recently elected principal of the Shipshewana, Indiana, high school.

'10-'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler, of Elkhart, Indiana, a son.

'10—J. W. Shank, who taught English in the Summer School of Goshen College is traveling among the Mennonite churches in the interests of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities to raise funds with which to open a mission in South America.

'10—J. C. Brunk is supervisor of music in the schools of Effingham, Kansas.

'10—J. E. Hartzler has entered upon his duties as Dean of the Bible Department and Professor of Bible. The former position was formerly held by J. S. Hartzler, who is now Business Manager of the College, and the latter by P. E. Whitmer, the present Head of the English Department.

'11—S. E. Weaver commenced his work as superintendant of the Shipshewana, Indiana, schools, Sept. 3. This position places Mr. Weaver at the head of the schools in which he procured his preparation for college.

'11—A. J. Miller, who was an instructor in the Summer School of Goshen College, is now busy in his new position as superintendent of the Wakarusa, Indiana, schools.

'11—Miss Edna Metzler is Principal and Miss Ruth Ebersole Assistant Principal of the High School at Doylestown, Ohio.

'12—Miss Clara DeCamp is instructor in Music and Art in the public schools of Ashley, Indiana.

AT THE COLLEGE.

COLLEGE work began September 25, under very encouraging conditions. Every thing bids fair for a good year. The classes in the college department are on an average larger than last year. This growth in the upper classes gives the work of the college certainty and strength. We feel sure that the college has safely passed through its probationary period of youth. It is now a mature institution with a distinctive character of its own. It is very obvious that an incoming tide of students does not affect the tenor of the whole body as it did a few years ago.

There has been the usual gain in numbers in every department of the college except in the Normal School and the Academy. This is accounted for by the fact that the enrollment of normal students in the Summer School during the last session was phenomonally large. The enrollment during the past summer exceeded any previous one by nearly one-third.

The decrease in the Academy likewise is easily explained by the fact that the constituency from which our students come is well supplied with good local high schools. Many who are looking forward to studying at Goshen College are planning to come for college work after graduating from high school.

As a result our present enrollment of 159 is 7 less than it was last year at this time. The college department now for the first time exceeds the Academy in number of students.

A series of inter-class debates will occur early in January. The following teams have been selected:

SENIOR: J. J. Fisher, William Haarer, Geo. J. Lapp, W. T. Nunemaker.

JUNIOR: W. B. Weaver, Samuel Witmer, Chas. L. Shank, C. C. Ziegler.

SOPHOMORE: Lester Hostetler, J. R. Allgyer, J. P. Boehr, A. E. Krieder.

FRESHMEN: V. J. Smucker, O. R. Yeder, C. H. Duker, Sam Nunemaker.

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The Early Days of Goshen College

DURING the last few years of the life of the Elkhart Institute there had been more or less of agitation for securing larger quarters for the school than those afforded by the building in which it was then quartered. After considerable investigation in 1903 the the offer of the City of Goshen to contribute $10,000 toward the erection of a new building on condition that the school should be known as Goshen College was accepted. The men most influential in bringing about this change from Elkhart to Goshen were N. E. Byers, J. S. Hartzler and C. K. Hostetler, President, Secretary, and Business Manager, respectively of the institution. Mr. Byers at the time was on a leave of absence at Harvard University and did not return until the opening of the first term of the College in 1903. Building operations began in June and were continued until January. The following extract from the Goshen News-Times tells of the official beginning of the College.

"Two special inter-urban cars brought about 150 students, members of the faculty and officers of the Elkhart Institute and their friends to Goshen this afternoon and Goshen citizens and Mennonite residents of the vicinity of this city who are interested in the movement swelled the crowd to between 250 and 300 who witnessed the dedicatory exercises of the site of the new Goshen College building on the Shoup land, just south of Parkside at two o'clock this afternoon. The students all wore the College colors.

A temporary stage had been erected in the center of the site of the proposed first building at the south end of the Campus. Stakes were driven to show the outlines of the structure and the wheat was cut away from this space.

Secretary J. S. Hartzler presided at the exercises. Rev. Dr. H. L. Van Nuys delivered the dedicatory prayer. Attorney Anthony Deahl, president of the Commercial Exchange, spoke on behalf of the city, delivering an able address, setting forth the interest Goshen has in the location of the school here and the interest felt in the aims and objects of this Mennonite school of higher education, both educational and spiritual.

Prof. C. H. Smith of Chicago University who will be a member of the faculty next year, responded in behalf of the school, referring to its past and the plans for the future, giving an explanation of the courses and the line of policy. In a few years they hope to have the campus dotted with five substantial buildings and several hundred students in attendance.

President John H. Blosser of New Stark Ohio, made a short addres on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the School. He gave a sensible and practical talk.

Secretary J. S. Hartzler then made a few remarks stating that the address made showed the hearty co-operation on the part of the citizens of Goshen, the faculty and the trustees and suggesting that all join in singing "Blest be the tie that binds."

The ground was then broken outlining the new building, Mr. Hartzler holding the plow and the team of C. P. Yoder of Elkhart Paririe who is one of the trustees, drawing the plow.

This building, the first of the group of five, will have 104 feet frontage towards Eighth Street and will be 72 feet deep, and be three stories high with a basement.

Certainly this was a auspicious day for Goshen and Goshen College."

The opening of the fall term found only one of the two buildings completed, the present boys Dormitory, used at that time by the girls. The main building had just been started. The Dormitory consequently had to serve during the first term the double purpose of dormitory and recitation hall. The upper floor was used for dormitory purposes, the first floor for recitation rooms and the basement as a chapel and dining room. Several thousand volumes placed on a shelf in the back part of one

of the recitation rooms constituted the library. The opening exercises of the fall term were held at the Christian Church on Main Street. At the end of the first week 84 students had registered, 9 of whom had enrolled in the first year of the two year college course which the institution offered for the first time.

The main building was not occupied until the winter term of the first school year. The dedicatory exercises were held during the first week in January of the opening term at which time Professer Patten of Northwestern University delivered the dedicatory address. In the fall of the second year the citizens of Goshen tendered a reception to faculty and students in the college building. An interesting program of music and speeches by representatives of both the school and city established a feeling of co-operation between the two which has been chraracteristic of their relation to the present time.

C. H. Smith.

THE ALUMNI AND THE COLLEGE.

FOR several years the alumni have been discussing the possibilities of raising a substantial endowment for the college. Several times it was the chief subject discussed at the annual business meeting of the Alumni Association. This subject frequently was talked over by various groups of alumni and especially was it often considered pro and con by the Goshen contingent, faculty and alumni, who studied at the University of Chicago the past summer. The following letter written to the president of the Association is such an admirable analysis of the situation that it has seemed desirable to print it entire. The alumni are urged to discuss this matter further through the columns of the Alumni News Letter.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 9, 1913.

My dear Mr. Kurtz:—

The facts are:—(1) That some of the Alumni are of the opinion that the Association should do something for the college. There is danger that this worthy spirit will atrophy or that it will be spent upon some petty project. (2) The college has never clearly stated any one imperative need that would move an alumnus to contribute generously. (3) It would be unwise to have the whole body of alumni act as solicitors for funds from the friends of the college. The college would secure better results by leaving these affairs in the hands of one man who would use uniform methods. (4) The true Christian college is built upon self-giving and sacrifice.

From these facts we may conclude:—(1) If there is a great work to be done which can best be done now let us continue to agitate the matter. But to be a great work, it must be a needed one. (2) Let President Byers suggest some imperative need. Most of the alumni are sensible enough to make a request for endowment feasible. We can leave it to others to contribute for buildings, "That can be seen" (3) Let this movement rise and set with the alumni. We can give fractions of ourselves in definite portions of our incomes. According to the latest catalog, and estimating that the following minimums could be given: Farm owners, $300, farm renters $200, teachers $100, business men $100, professional vocations (doctors, lawyers, editors) $200, missionaries and preachers $10, alumni that are now students $20, and all other alumni $20, each. (These are averages. We might add that no one should give less than one-twelfth of the years' earnings, and all families should be considered as units), we are forced to conclude that we should stop at nothing less than $50,000. It would be considered premature, by me, if we thought of anything less. The soil had better lie fallow a few more years unless we can raise such a crop as this.

The first payment, on the above basis of an annual contribution, could be paid with the harvest of 1913 and would yield $16,150. A second payment, in August 1914, and a third in August 1915, including the compound interest accumulation meanwhile, would bring the total up to $50,865. This sum could then be turned over to the college for permanent endowment, where it could not be touched to help out annual budgets or temporary squeezes, other than with the annual interest of $2543. (4) A worthy gift would be one contributed solely by alumni from themselves (money being but a device for the transfer thereof.) This form of contribution would constitute a blessing

much greater than the money considered by itself. We need more of the spirit of the widow's mite, and less of mite-giving.

Personally, I favor endowment unless a more imperative need can be shown. I have a faint suspicion that the worst thing you can give a college is a building to be heated, cared for, and repaired. Most colleges today utilize their present buildings but poorly, and much unnecessary building is taking place.

If some imperative need can be shown (and I assume that there is an imperative need for endowment) the alumni will give of themselves, gladly and generously, now. But they must be assured that a total of $50,000 is going to be raised before the movement is stopped and before any money is turned over to the college.

Sincerely yours, J. F. Ebersole.

DECENNIAL REUNIONS.

The various reunions planned for our Decennial Anniversary promise to be some of the most interesting events for the Alumni who will participate in the general home-coming. The following members of the Faculty have been appointed to take charge of reunions:—

C. B. Blosser, Classes.

J. M. Kurtz, Literary Societies.

P. E. Whitmer, Religious Organizations.

N. E. Byers, Normal and Summer School.

J. E. Hartzler, Bible School.

J. D. Brunk, Music School.

Orie Miller, Business School.

Other special features will be athletic events in charge of B. D. Smucker, and tree and ivy planting by organizations and individuals under the supervision of E. J. Zook. Tuesday will be "Anniversary Day" and strong programs will be arranged for afternoon and evening.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

The alumni are urged to report news items to the editor of the News Letter. Do not allow modesty to prevent you from reporting news that would be of great interest to the alumni.

'02—Dr. S. F. Gingerich called on Goshen friends Dec. 28 enroute to Ann Arbor from Indianapolis where he delivered an address on the Pantheistic and Mystical Elements of Wordsworth at the annual meeting at the Modern Language Association of America.

'04—C. Edward Bender and Miss Hilda Swope Isenberg were married May 29, 1912, at the home of Miss Isenberg's mother, at Williamsburg, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Bender are at home at Oakland, Md. where Mr. Bender is principal of the high school. Mrs. Bender is a graduate of Highland Hall, Holledaysburg, Pa. Mr. Bender's many alumni friends congratulate him.

'05—J. S. Yoder is making an enviable record in his profession and also as a public official. Mr. Yoder's many friends are glad to hear of his deserved success.

'04 '05—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman of Dhamtari, India, will sail for America in July, and in September Mr. Lehman will enter Goshen College to finish the course leading to the A. B. degree.

'05—Professor Paul E. Whitmer delivered two addresses on religious subjects at Winona College on the afternoon and evening of December 8.

'08—Purl R. Zook and Miss Orpha E. Hershberger were married at the home of the bride's parents at Elkhart, Ind., Nov. 19. They are at home now at 1101 Soutn Main St., Goshen, Ind.

'08—A. K. Rupp is a Junior at Oberlin College.

'11—Jesse Stutzman and Miss Bessie Ried were married July 23 at the home of Miss Reid's parents near Anderson, Ind. They are at home now at Littleton, Ind., where Mr. Stutzman is Principal of Schools.

'11—Miss Mary M. Rohrer and Mr. Noble Yoder were married at the home of Miss Rohrer's parents, Lancaster, Pa., January 1. They will be at home to their friends after February 1, at Goshen, Indiana.

'12—A. C. Brunk was given a hearty welcome on his arrival at Dhamtari, India on Nov. 30.

'12—Jacob Rupp entered the Medical department of the University of Chicago in the fall. His undergraduate work from Goshen was accepted unconditionally, so that in addition to his work in medicine

this year he is planning to take his A. M. degree in June.

'12—Walter E. Gorden is Principal of Schools at Wanatah, Ind.

AT THE COLLEGE.

THE winter term of the college began Jan. 2 with an increased enrolment. The present number of students is 188, only two less than the total at the close of the corresponding term last year. By the close of the term we shall probably exceed last year's number of students. The increase is distributed among all the departments but the principal increase occurs in the college and normal departments. This further strengthens the lead of the college over the academy. It seems probable that three-fifths of the year's enrolment will be students of college grade. The spirit among the students is fine and their work gratifyingly strong.

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The freshman-sophomore debate took place January 10. They discussed: Resolved, that foreign nations should recognize the position of the United States with regard to collecting tolls at the Panama Canal. The freshman class represented by O. R. Yoder, C. H. Duker, and V. J. Smucker upheld the affirmative and the sophomore class represented by Lester Hostetler, J. P. Boehr and J. R. Allgyer defended the negative. The judges by a vote of two to one decided in favor of the negative.

The junior-senior debate occurred one week later at which time they debated: Resolved, that the unearned increment tax should become a part of the system of taxation in the United States. The senior team composed of G. J. Lapp, W. H. Haarer, and J. J. Fisher argued in favor of the affirmative and the junior team composed of W. B. Weaver, C. C. Ziegler, and Samuel Witmer gave the negative argument. The negative team again won by a two to one vote of the judges.

The debates were spirited and showed thorough preparation by each team. No team was surprised by an unexpected argument. The rebuttals as a whole were keen and effective. The work of each team deserves praise. Both debates were very close, both decisions were majority decisions, and both negative teams won.

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Shortly after the last number of the News Letter had gone to press Goshen College received a communication from Mount Morris (Ill.) College suggesting the formation of a triangular intercollegiate debating league to consist of Mount Morris College, Manchester College (North Manchester, Indiana) and Goshen College. The proposal was favorably considered by both Manchester and Goshen. Mount Morris proposed a number of resolutions to govern the proposed league. These were slightly amended by Goshen and Manchester and then unanimously adopted by the three institutions for one year's trial.

Mount Morris and Manchester each proposed a question. From these two Goshen selected: Resolved, that the initiative and referendum offers a desirable relief from the evils arising from the dominance of special interests in our states and municipalities. Goshen will be represented at Manchester by G. J. Lapp, J. J. Fisher and J. R. Allgyer and at home against Mount Morris by W. B. Weaver, Lester Hostetler and V. J. Smucker. Samuel Witmer and W. H. Haarer were chosen as alternates for the two teams. These debates will occur early in April.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM.

Baccalaureate Sermon.....Sunday, 7:30, June 15.
Examinations Close .....Monday 4 P. M. June 16.
Music and Oratory Program .....Monday 7:30, June 16.
Academy Literary Society .....

Reunions.....Tuesday, 9 A. M. June 17
General Anniversary Program .....Tuesday 2 P. M. June 17.
Tree and Ivy Planting.....Tuesday, 4:30 June 17.
General Anniversary Program .....Tuesday 7:30 P. M. June 17.
College Literary Society and School Reunions.....Wednesday 9 A. M. June 18.
Class Reunions .....Wednesday 11:30 A. M. June 18.
Alumni Business Meeting.....Wednesday 2:30 P. M. June 18.
Alumni Address.. .....Wednesday 7:30 P. M. June 18
Alumni Luncheon .....Wednesday 9:30 P. M. June 18.
Athletics .....Thursday 10 A. M. June 19
Academy Class Program .....Thursday 2:30 P. M. June 19.
College Class Program .....Thursday 7:30 P. M. June 19
Religious Meetings.. .....Friday 10 A. M. June 20.
College Luncheon, Friday 12 A. M. June 20.
Commencement Program.... .....Friday 7:30 P. M. June 20.

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OUR SUPREME NEED.

THE one thing that Goshen College needs is $150,000 more endowment. This is required both by the Indiana State Board of Education for a Standard college and to meet urgent needs in the development of the Institution. Wherever college work is required, as for teachers in commissioned high schools and for entrance to medical colleges the technical requirements call for work in a standard college. Thus far Goshen College credits have been accepted in all cases because of confidence that the required standard would soon be met. The present campaign for funds started by the Business Manager and the proposed plan for the Alumni gives good hopes that the desired end can be attained during the next ten years. The Business Manager and Secretary are both actively engaged on the project and have secured over $18,300.00. It is to be hoped that the whole plan can be successfully consumated.

N. E. Byers.

ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND.

THE management's above plans for a "larger Goshen College" to be realized in ten years is the most satisfactory, as far as the Alumni are concerned, of any that has yet been proposed. The alumni have always been loyal to their Alma Mater and have felt that sooner or later they will want to do their share in giving material assistance to the institution which nurtured them. The ten year period makes it possible for all to do something.

The Executive Committee of the Alumni Association met recently and decided to submit a proposition, suggested to them, for the consideration of the Alumni. The plan is to have the College realize fair-sized donations without working any material hardships to the donors.

It may surprise many that a donation put on compound interest at 5 per cent will double itself in less than 15 years. That is, $125 donated at once would amount to a little more than $250 in the time mentioned. In the same way $153.56 will amount to $250 in 10 years. A large number of the Alumni feel, however, that this would be rather a large donation for them to make now. The plan that is proposed, therefore, is to make smaller annual payments which by compounding the interest annually will amount to the desired amount in 10 years. The following annual payments will amount to $250.00 in 10 years from the time the first payment is made, interest compounded at 5 per cent:

17.59	13.08	8.57	7.29
17.59	14.08	10.57	8.29
17.59	15.08	12.57	9.29
17.59	16.08	14.57	10.29
17.59	17.08	16.57	11.29
17.59	18.08	18.57	12.29
17.59	19.08	20.57	13.29
17.59	20.08	22.57	23.29
17.59	21.08	24.57	33.29
17.59	22.08	26.57	43.29
17.59	23.08	28.57	53.29

In the fourth column the payments for the first six years are not large and the larger ones will come when the alumni are in a position to do more for the college than at present. It is necessary, however, in order to get the advantage of such a plan, to consider the project seriously now. In this way it will be possible to make the donation of $250 by paying considerable less than that amount in actual cash and still get credit for the full amount. Subscriptions would be received in multiples, units, or fractions of $250. The endowment notes held by the Association could be canceled if the donor so desired it and that amount made a part of the new subscription With the hearty cooperation of a united alumni this movement will develop into large proportions by each one giving only what he is able to give, and with 10 years in which to do it, it is possible in that time to have an endowment fund of about $50,000. And with the pledge of the Treasurer and Business Manager of the College to duplicate any amount the Alumni subscribes, it behooves us to give the

matter serious consideration and see what we can do.

AT THE COLLEGE.

OUR attendance this year has remained about the same as last year. The first term suffered a slight loss compared with the same term last year while the second term was more largely attended than the same term last year, making the enrollment for the two terms the same as last year. Our Spring term now in session with an enrollment of 175 is exactly the same as the Spring term last year. In view of the unusual increase last year we are glad that we suffered no loss this year.

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On the evening of April 22, the intercollegiate debates took place between Mount Morris, Manchester and Goshen colleges. Each institution was represented by two teams; the negative team remained at home in each case while the affirmative was upheld by the visiting team. Our negative team, composed of W. B. Weaver, V. J. Smucker, Lester Hostetler and W. H. Haarer as alternate won over the affirmative team from Mount Morris by a two to one vote by the judges. Our affirmative team composed of J. J. Fisher, J. R. Allgyer, G. J. Lapp, and Samuel Witmer as alternate won over Manchester's negative team at North Manchester, by a two to one vote by the judges. Mount Morris's negative team won over Manchester at Mount Morris.

This places Goshen first by two victories, Mount Morris second by one victory and one defeat and Manchester third by two defeats. The debates were a credit to the institutions represented. We are especially pleased with the work of our own teams. The league was formed as an experiment. It is to be hoped it will be continued.

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This year we gave so much attention to inter-class and inter-collegiate debate that we did not send a representative to our state peace oratorial contest. But because the Inter-collegiate Peace Association was founded at Goshen College in 1905 and because of the central location of Goshen, the interstate peace contest was held in the assembly hall of Goshen College, on the evening of April 25. Four states, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin were represented on the program given below:

Samuel J. Adams, University of Cincinnati, "Immigration and Peace."

Fred J. Hollowell, Earlham College, "The Economic Fallacy of War."

Paul B. Blanshard, University of Michigan, "The Evolution of Patriotism."

Ray B. Weaver, Carroll College, "Peace Our Great Ideal."

The four contestants represented three distinct types of academic oratory. Mr. Blanshard won first place and a prize of $100. Mr. Weaver took second place with an unusually strong oration. The contest was a great success and was much appreciated by our students.

ALUMNI DAY.

THE present indications point to an unusually large attendance at the meetings on Alumni Day and the Executive Committee of the Association is planning to make every program full of interest. During the noon hour all the Alumni will attend their Class Reunions. The annual meetings which follow are:

The Business Meeting.....2.30 P. M.
The Alumni Address.....7:30 P. M.
The Alumni Luncheon.....8:30 P. M.

At the Business Meeting in the afternoon the regular work of the Association will be done with dispatch so that considerable time can be given to short addresses by representatives from the various classes, coming as they will from their class reunions, these speakers should be able to express the real sentiment of their fellow classmates as well as their devotion to their Alma Mater. It is hoped that each class will have a representative at the afternoon meeting or at the Luncheon in the evening.

The Annual Address to the Alumni will be given by President Noah E. Byers.

It is very appropriate that on this occasion of the Decennial Anniversary the Alumni should have the pleasure of listening again to their esteemed president, whose vision and foresight as well as his devotion to the cause, has done so much to make Goshen College what it is today.

The luncheon in the evening will be

the best in the history of the Association and no Alumnus can afford to miss it.

COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Class Reunions.

All the classes that have graduates from Goshen College will hold special reunions during the noon hour of Wednesday, June 18. This is certain to be an especially enjoyable feature of the week's program. All members are urgently requested to be present at their respective class meetings.

Distribution of Tickets.

Tickets are required only for Thursday and Friday evenings. These may be obtained, without charge, from Professor C. Henry Smith. They entitle the holders to reserved seats in the main auditorium but the seats will not be reserved after 8:00 P. M. when the doors will be thrown open to the public.

Entertainment Committee.

A committee composed of Professor J. M. Kurtz, Miss Frances Ebersole and Mr. A. W. Geigley will be glad to render every possible service to commencement visitors. All inquiries should be addressed to this committee.

Elkhart Institute Memorial.

The first year the College was located at Goshen the Alumni Association published a neat little volume on the history of the Elkhart Institute. The Decennial Anniversary will bring many Alumni to Goshen who are interested in the history of the institution; the remaining numbers will be sold then. Prize 75 cents.

Endowment Interest.

The Treasurer of the Association indicated recently that the number of Alumni paying their endowment interest is rapidly increasing. This year would be a good time to have all the interest paid up to date. The Treasurer may be seen at any time during commencement week.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'01—A. C. Moyer spent the winter at Elkhart, Indiana. He has been very successful in homesteading in Northwestern Canada.

'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rutt, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, a daughter.

'05—L. C. Schertz assisted in organizing the new German-American Bank of Roanoke, Ill. He is also one of the directors of the new bank.

'05—Born to Professor and Mrs. Paul E. Whitmer, Goshen, Indiana, a son.

'07—Born to Dr. and Mrs. Homer B. Reed, of Chicago, Ill., a daughter.

'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Houder of Garden City, Mo., a daughter.

'08—Mr. Elwood Landis and Miss Ruth Lehman were married on Thanksgiving evening, November 27, 1912. They had a pleasant home wedding which was attended by their immediate families and close friends.

'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elva W. Greenwalt, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'10—J. W. Shank, who has spent the past six months traveling among the Mennonite churches in the interest of the proposed South American mission, reports that he has reached the minimum $20,000 in pledges for the opening of the mission.

'10—R. R. Detweiler, who is at present principal of the Shipshewana, Ind., high school, was recently elected professor of English and Oratory of the Central Mennonite College, Bluffton, Ohio.

'10—Lydia LeFever, now one of the workers at the Gospel Mission, Chicago, Ill., spent a short vacation with friends and relatives in Mo.

'12—Mr. Aldine C. Brunk and Miss Eva L. Harder were married February 27, 1913, at Balodgahan, C. P. India. Their many friends in America join the News Letter in extending congratulations and well wishes.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.
June 15-20.

CALANDER OF EVENTS.

Sunday, June 15.

7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by Samuel E. Weaver, Shipshewana, Indiana.

Monday, June 16.

4:00 P. M. Examinations Close.
4:00 P. M. Literary Societies meet.
7:30 P. M. Music and Oratory Recital.

Tuesday, June 17.

6:30 A. M. Y. P. C. A. Breakfast.
9:00 A. M. Reunions.
2:30 P. M. Anniversary Program.
4:30 P. M. Tree and Ivy Planting.

Wednesday, June 18.

9:30 A. M. College Literary Society and School Reunions.
11:30 A. M. Class Reunions.
2:30 P. M. Alumni Business Meeting.
7:30 P. M. Alumni Address by President Byers.
8:30 P. M. Alumni Luncheon.

Thursday, June 19.

10:00 A. M. Athletics.
2:30 P. M. Academy Class Program.
6:30 P. M. College Class Program.

Friday, June 20.

10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.
10:30 A. M. Final Students Devotional Meeting.
12:00 M. College Luncheon.
7:30 P. M. Commencement Exercises, Address by Dr. John Balcom Shaw, Chicago, Illinois.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM.

Thursday, June 19. Campus, 6:30 P. M.

Emblem Oration ..... Geo. J. Lapp
Assembly Hall, 7:30 P. M.
Piano Solo.....Sylvia Bontrager
Salutatory.....W. T. Nunemaker
Retrospection ..... Vernon Culp
Oration.....Crissie C. Yoder
Vocal Solo.....Fred N. Burkey
Oration.....J. J. Fisher
Original Story.....Elnora Kauffman
Valedictory.....W. H. Haarer.
Breaking of the Wreath.....Inez Schrock

ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM.

Thursday Afternoon, 2:30.

Salutatory.....Milton B. Brenneman
Echoes of College Life.
1. Dormitories.....
Homer A. Yoder and Anna Reisner.
2. Recreation.....Hollis Blue
2. Social Life.....Ernest Smoker
4. Religious Life.....Mary Good
5. Student's Council.....Luella Reed
6. Literary Work.....George Phillips
7. Faculty.....Bertha McMann
8. Examinations....Lillian Heintzelman
9. Beyond the Campus...Sarah Shidler
Piano Solo.....Bertha Miller
Oration.....Dwight L. Miller
Reading.....Ruth Smith
Class Contract.....Vinetta Garber
Oration.....Ruth Blosser
Reading.....Noble Hoover
Valedictory.....Noah Burkhard
Class Song.....The Class
(Words by Sarah Shidler.)

MUSIC-ORATORY RECITAL.

Monday, June 16, 7:30 P. M.

Symphony in G Minor (Last Movement, arr. as Piano Duet).....**Mozart**
Miss Lela Lantz and Miss Mary Thornton.
Carnaval Op. 9 (Parts One and Three)
Piano Solo .....**Schumann**
Miss Bertha Miller
Reading to be selected
Serenade (Song) ..... **Strauss**
Late! So Late! (Song) .....**Gilchrist**
Mr. Walter E. Yoder.
Piano Concerto, No. 4, in G Major (Second and Third Movements).....**Beethoven**
Miss Bertha Miller and Miss Louella Geiger
Scenes from the Music Master.....**Klein**
Miss Frances Ebersole and Prof. B. D. Smucker.
Tannhauser Overture .....**Wagner**
Piano Quartette

ANNIVERSARY DAY.

Tuesday, June 17. 2:30 P. M.

C. K. Hostetler—Beginnings.
Anthony Deahl—Town and Gown
J. Frank Ebersole—For and Through the Alumni.
Paul E. Whitmer—Internal Growth of the College.
Music by Miss Ruth Ebersole and Sunshine Male Chorus.

Tuesday, 7:30.

C. Henry Smith—The Standard College.
J. E. Hartzler—The Bible School.
C. B. Blosser—School of Agriculture.
J. S. Hartzler—The Financial Needs.
Music by Ramblers and Handel Oratorio Society, W. K. Jacobs, Director.

IVY ODE.

(Read at the planting of the Class Ivy, June 13, 1912.)

Come gentle Spring! fair empress of the year,
Come let thy roseate garlands now appear
And weave their course into a new design.
Come Sacred Goddess, Mother Earth,
From thy immortal bosom, Goddess, send
The crowning work of all thy vast design,
Thine own fair Child, the Ivy vine.

Beneath the soil by human ken unknown,
In silence deep, in solitude alone,
Lie hid the restless, unbranch'd Ivy roots,
And joyous comes the sportive light of Spring
To penetrate the deep brown soil with life;
The Ivy starts, drives forth its sheltered shoots
To guide th' ambitious vines thru unpath'd woods.

Slow let them twine their silent course anon,
On distant hills, in lonely wilds unknown,
Entwining lofty cedars to the sky,
While far beneath and winding thru the grass
The Ivy spreads and weaves its mantle green,
Much less remote, and yet on Kulp Hall High
It rears its leaves toward the distant sky.

The verdant leaves thus firmly borne
Play wanton in the shim'ring light of morn,
Touched by the breeze, these leaves so sprightly fair
Do shed the balmy morning's sparkling dew.
Thus blithe and gay these sportive elves
Send Orient pearls, regardless where
To grace the genial morning air.

What thot or power, Maternal Earth,
Could thus induce thee to put forth
This Ivied arch where more than beauty finds abode?
For nature beaming its benign influ'nce
Doth speak of something more than nature seen;
For contemplation leads the way, untrod
"Thru nature's charms to nature's God."

Fannie Belle Rupp.

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THE SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT.

THE seventeenth Annual Commencement exercises on Friday evening, June 20, closed an eventful week at Goshen College. The celebration of the decennial anniversary of the founding of the College, together with the regular commencement programs, brought a large number of Alumni, former students and friends of the College to Goshen. It was a time when the College appeared at its best, both on account of its present high attainments and its remarkable history of rapid growth and development during the past ten years. It was also a time of rejoicing among the Alumni and students, and their enthusiasm, loyalty and spirit of optimism which has been so characteristic of the institution, as well as an important factor in its rapid progress, was manifested on every hand.

The programs were well attended and full of interest. The Commencement address on Friday evening was delivered by Dr. John Balcom Shaw, Pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Chicage. His subject was "The Fourfold Secret of Life." The four elements of a successful career emphasized by Dr. Shaw were life, love, labor, and light; life, giving fullness of expression; love, giving the altruistic outlook on life predominating over selfishness and egoism; labor, the most efficient means of overcoming the difficulties which confront every one; light, the conscious recognition of the unseen spiritual forces which should guide our lives. Dr. Shaw's rich humor, and his practical advice to the graduates were thoroughly enjoyed by the large and appreciative audience present on this occasion.

At the close of the address President N. E. Byers conferred the degree of Batchelor of Arts on thirteen members of the College graduating class. The remaining four will receive their degrees at the close of the summer term. Following is the class roll:

Walter T. Nunemaker
Vernon S. Culp
John J. Fisher
Inez Bernice Schrock
Crissie Catherine Yoder
Albert Breckbill
William H. Harer
Silas Hertzler
George J. Lapp
Fred N. Burkey
John Miller Yoder
Elnora Kauffman
Nora Elizabeth Colburn
Margaret Wilson
Amos W. Geigley
Curtis Clayton Ziegler
Ruben R. Detweiler

The following persons graduated from the Academy.

George W. Phillips
Luella May Reed
Ernest S. Smoker
Lillian Grace Heintzelman
Homer A. Yoder
Bertha Bernice McMann
Dwight L. Miller
Ruth Frances Smith
Milton B. Brenneman
Sarah Rachel Shidler
Mary Magdalene Good
Vinetta Mae Garber
W. Hollis Blue
Olive Ruth Blosser
Noble O. Hoover
Anna Catherine Reisner
Noah Burknard
Ida L. Eby

The following persons graduated from the Music Course:

Bertha Mae Miller
Lela Lantz
Walter Yoder

The following persons graduated from the Business Course.

Fanny Edith Davidson
Clell E. Firestone
Ralph S. Miller
Ada Catherine Reed
Ivy Steinmetz
Warren B. Cripe
Josiah J. Hostetler
Bernice Jones
Ralph Juday
Arthur Ward Kinzinger
Elcie May Weaver
Susan Marie Ackerman

ANNIVERSARY DAY.

TUESDAY of commencement week was set apart for the celebration of the decennial anniversary of the founding of Goshen College at Goshen. Following are brief accounts of the addresses given at the special anniversary meetings.

Beginnings.

In a paper written by C. K. Hostetler of Birmingham, Ala., and read by Professor B. D. Smucker, the former business manager gave a very interesting account of the work done in locating the college at Goshen. The negotations at Elkhart and Goshen leading up to the donation by the latter city of $10,000 which brought the institution to Goshen, together with the successful solution of many of the perplexing problems during the early days, was of special interest to the Alumni and friends of the College who were in attendance.

For and Through the Alumni.

Professor J. F. Ebersole pointed out that the College and the Alumni are mutually interested in each others welfare. During their period of training the College aims to give its students the very best preparation for their future work, and after having gone out into active service it lends a helping hand. At the same time, the College looks to the Alumni for help in the way of counsel, advertising, and means, and in this the loyal Alumnus is glad to contribute his full share. The Alumni feel a certain responsibility for the success of their Alma mater and consider it not only a duty but an opportunity to assist in developing and maintaining the highest standards in the institution which nutured them in their years of preparation.

The Internal Growth of Goshen College.

Professor P. E. Whitmer in discussing "The Internal Growth of Goshen College" pointed out the rapid progress it has made along several lines and showed a marked contrast between the institution now and ten years ago. Then the faculty consisted of eight members, three of whom held degrees, now seventeen members, eleven of whom hold degrees; then a total of two and three-fourths years of college work was given from which the first junior college graduates selected their two year courses, now fourteen and one-half years are offered from which the A. B. graduates select their four year courses. The efficiency of the work has been greatly strengthened by organization into departments. At the present time each professor teaches in his own department. Ten years ago he did over half his teaching in other departments than the one in which he was specially trained. In enrollment there has been a marked progress made. Now the college senior class alone exceeds in numbers the entire student body of college grade ten years ago.

The Standard College.

Some of the needs of the college were presented by Professor C. H. Smith in his duscussion of "The Standard College". The State Board of Education of Indiana requires that a standard college must have a minimum endowment fund of $200,000, a library of at least 5,000 volumes, at least five teachers giving all their time to College instruction and sufficient laboratory equipment to give instruction in the sciences. Thus far Goshen College has not been able to meet all these requirments. But in spite of this she has been able through the loyalty of her faculty and friends to maintain as high a standard of work as many institutions which meet the requirements of the law. But if this high standard is to be continued it will be necessary for the friends of the college to increase the endowment and help meet all the other requirments set by the State Board so that the college may be standard in theory as well as in fact.

The Bible School.

Professor J. E. Hartzler pointed out four chiefs characteristics of an ideal and successful Bible School. She must have a vital connection with the body or people which she expects to serve. She must be surrounded by and permeated with the university spirit, i. e, a passion for truth and great breadth of knowledge, a spirit of honest investigation, thoroughness of work, and sympathy for the many varieties of human benefs and convictions. Her finished product must be men and women of conviction. She must reflect the life and principles of that body of the christian church of which she is an offspring and for whose welfare she has been established.

The School of Agriculture.

The needs and possibilities of a school of agriculture were adequately presented

by Professor C. B. Blosser. It is a noteworthy fact that young men are beginning to seriously consider agriculture as a life work. They no longer look only to the more popular pursuits of law, medicine, business or teaching. Quite a large number of our young men are entering and have graduated from good schools of agriculture which shows that they desire training along this line. "Then there is the other and by far larger group, who are not in training and are probably not directly interested in this work, but who could and would be interested if their church school would provide the faculties and offer courses of training and this is exactly our excuse for wanting to establish a school of agriculture." It is to be hoped that in the near future a building and the necessary equipment can be provided.

The Financial Outlook.

J. S. Hartzler emphasized the fact that the present high standards of the institution must be maintained and that the management has good prospects that the necessary funds will soon be on hand to make Goshen a standard college. The financial problems of the past have been many and difficult but by strenuous efforts they have been successfully solved and with the hearty cooperation of the Faculty, Alumni and friends, the "Greater Goshen College" will soon be realized.

REUNIONS.

THE reunions of the classes, schools, societies and Y. P. C. A. were a prominent feature of commencement week in connection with the celebration of the decennial anniversary.

Y. P. C. A.

On Tuesday morning all present and former members of the Y. P. C. A. cabinets at Goshen College spent a delightful hour on the banks of the Elkhart River. Breakfast was served by the present and retiring cabinets after which the spirit and work of the association and its wholesome christian influence on the college life were briefly pointed out by H. F. Reist, S. A. Zook and Samuel Witmer. Mr. Reist was the first president of the Y. P. C. A. at Goshen College.

Literary Societies.

The reunions of the literary societies, Emersonian, Alethea, Adelphian, Aurora, Vesperian, Avon, were a great success. The committees of the several societies had prepared splendid programs and the enthusiasm ran high. The noble deeds of the heroes of former days were briefly reviewed, and with a deep sense of gratitude and appreciation the members pledged their loyalty anew to the societies that had meant so much to them in their years of preparation.

Schools.

On Wednesday at 9:30 A. M. the Alumni and former students who did most of their work in the Normal, Bible, Business or Music Schools were royally entertained with programs especially prepared for the general home-coming during commencement week. The nature of the programs varied somewhat but in each case the high standards upheld by the departments were distinctly in evidence which inspired confidence in the work being done and created a greater spirit of loyalty to their Alma Mater among those present.

Classes.

Among the pleasant features of the week were the reunions of all the classes that graduated during the past ten years. Professor and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz entertained the A. B. graduates at their home and the two year college and Academy classes spent several very enjoyable hours together in the beautiful grove on the banks of the Elkhart. A large number of Alumni attended these meetings and entered enthusiastically into the spirit of good fellowship which prevailed. The reunions were held at the noon hour on Wednesday but closed in time for the annual Alumni business meeting in the afternoon.

ALUMNI DAY.

A LARGE number of Alumni were in attendance at the meetings on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Business Meetings.

The annual business meeting of the Alumni Association was held in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at which time twenty-seven new members were received into the association. The election of members of the board of directors resulted as follows: Prof. J. Frank Ebersole, '06, Minneapolis, Minn.; Dr. Orie C. Yoder, '02,

Peru, Ill.; Prof. Samuel Burkhard, '11, Cleveland, Ohio; and Vernon S. Culp, '13, Nappanee, Ind. Mr. Culp was the nominee presented by the senior class, The resolution which was submitted last year, was adopted by the association. For want of space it will appear in the next issue.

The association voted that some arrangements be made to remunerate those who do the editorial work of the News Letter. The Board of Directors were instructed to formulate a policy and a plan for the development of an alumni endowment fund, said plan to be reported in one year and acted upon at that time.

The Treasurer's report and the names of the Alumni who were in Goshen Commencement week will be given in the next number.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors was held at 7:00 P. M. of the same day. The following members were present: J. F. Ebersole, Samuel Burkhard, Vernon S. Culp, F. S. Ebersole, J. M. Kurtz, S. E. Zook, W. B. Christophel, G. H. Rutt, and Miss Anna Yoder. The remaining members of the board are O. C. Yoder, H. L. Stump and Miss Elsie Byler. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, J. M. Kurtz; 1st Vice President, S. E. Zook; 2nd Vice President S. T. Miller; Recording Secretary, Miss Anna Yoder; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. N. E. Byers; Treasurer, F. S. Ebersole. Executive Committee:—J. M. Kurtz, S. E. Zook, F. S. Ebersole, Mrs. N. E. Byers, Miss Anna Yoder. Mrs. J. M. Kurtz was elected editor of the Alumni News Letter. The Executive Committee was asked to appoint a committee to carry out the instructions of the association with reference to an Alumni Endowment Fund, and also to remunerate those who do the editorial work of the Alumni News Letter.

Alumni Address.

At 7:30 P. M. the annual address before the Alumni was given by President N. E. Byers. He chose for his subject the College Motto "Culture For Service" and began by explaining the interpretation placed on the words culture and service when the motto was adopted ten years ago. Culture in its broadest sense is the development or cultivation of all the latent powers of the individual—physical, mental and spiritual. Service is the utilization of this culture in helping mankind. To be educated, refined and spiritually good is of no avail unless used for the good of humanity. In society there are those who are daily exercising to the utmost their very limited resources of personal powers, doing all they possibly can for their fellowmen. On the other hand there are those who are cultivated, trained and well prepared for lifes duties who are unwilling to use their resources for the good of others. In the words of President Byers, "Neither large capacity unapplied nor small capacity applied renders service satisfactorily, but the strong intelligent person who can and will use his powers effectively in a practical manner is truly educated. We do not wish to stop with an aristocracy of cultivated parasites but wish rather to give aid in using the fully developed powers in the most effective manner in the behalf of a needy society".

Alumni Reunion.

At the close of the address by Pres. Byers more than one hundred Alumni attended the annual luncheon and reunion in the dining room of Kulp Hall. The enthusiasm and spirit of good fellowship which prevailed made this one of the most enjoyable events of the week. After a delightful social hour the toastmaster of the evening, Mr. S. A. Zook, was introduced, whose jolly good humor together with the inspiration and good cheer of the speakers kept the large gathering in excellent spirits throughout the evening. The following Alumni responded to toasts: S. E. Zook, Miss Edna Metzler, A. W. Geigley, D. M. Landis, and H. F. Reist. The Ramblers sang several selections and at the close every one joined heartily in singing the College Song.

President's Report.

The President of the Alumni Association, Prof. Kurtz, in his annual report stated that there are now 205 members in the Association, one fourth of whom have the A. B. degree. 42 received their degrees at Goshen. Quite a number have higher degrees from leading Universities as follows: 9, A. M., 2, Ph. D., 4, M. D., 2,B. D., 1, B. LL.

The Association has made a commendable record during the twelve yeras of its existence. It established the Mennonite Historical Library. $10,000 has been subscribed to the Endowment Fund. And a publication maintained by the Association reaches its members quarterly. The spirit of loyalty to their Alma Mater has

been the chief incentive back of all these movements on the part of the Alumni and the College thoroughly appreciates what has been done.

One of the characteristics of our Alumni Association is that it is an active body. Every member is interested in what is being done. There is a strong sentiment among its membership, handed down from the time it was first organized, that the Association have definite policies and attempt to carry them out. It is not surprising, therefore, that on account of the rapid increase in the membership of the Association as well as their desire to be of real service to the College, that there should be a growing sentiment among the Alumni that the Association take up for serious consideration policies of considerable magnitude. It is not the intention to work hardships on any of its members, but by formulating financial policies in accordance with the means at their disposal, a great deal more can be accomplished by the Alumni than has yet been done. In the matter of raising an endowment fund it is possible that in ten years time a fund of about $50,000 can be completed by taking the plan suggested in the April number of the News Letter or a modified form of it.

The time has come for us as an Association to begin to lay plans for the future. The "Greater Goshen College" is in sight. And if the Alumni expect to do their part in the rapid development of their Alma Mater it is necessary that definite policies be formulated in the near future.

CLASS DAY.

THE College Senior Class of seventeen members reflected their thoroughness in a strong program.

In the emblem oration Geo. J. Lapp eloquently urged the Juniors to maintain the high standards in the social literary, religious and moral life of the college. Samuel Witmer appropriately responded for the Juniors.

In a spirit of altruism and not in selfishness, maintained Walter Nunemaker, should we accept our responsibilities, as a trust given us for the good of mankind.

Vernon Culp treated life's perplexing problems in a careful manner. Progress toward the beautiful in life is due largely to the personal inspiration and sympathy of intimate associates.

Crissie Yoder maintained that life is not doing merely, even of what is right, but primarily living in a sympathetic and brotherly relation to mankind—seeing and awakening the divine in others—even in the most neglected.

The bass solo, "Jerusalem", rendered by Fred N. Burkey was duly appreciated.

In his address on the subject, "The Individual and Progress", John J. Fisher clearly discussed the change of attitude even in morals and religion and the necessity of individual decision as to whether liberal leadership or dogmatic conservative formalism should be followed.

An original story entitled "The Reconciliation" by Elnora Kauffman held the individual attention of the audience.

In "Follow The Gleam" William H. Haarer forcibly recommended that we each follow our best light as Paul was controlled by his great vision.

The program closed in an attractive manner by the recitation of Inez Schrock, "Breaking the Wreath" a beautiful original poem containing suggestions regarding the experiences and prospective plans of the members of the Class of 1913.

The Academy Class consisted of twenty members—a strong class as measured by its good work in the four years course and also by its ingenious and well executed class program. After the opening salutatory on "Persistence" there followed an interesting symposium on the subject, "Echoes of College Life", which was creditably portrayed by a number of persons. This and the succeeding numbers were interesting and indicated the careful work of the class.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON.

MR. S. E. WEAVER of Middlebury, Ind., delivered the Baccalaureate Sermon. The following is a brief synopsis:

"That it may bear more fruit". The Great Teacher in a last message to his class here states that the purpose of all discipline and training is fruitbearing. Since His was a life which yielded the largest and most permanent results, it is there that we look for the interpretation of the term, and find that it must mean living for others.

It becomes us to highly resolve that we may be fruit bearing branches, bringing forth that which shall sustain the lives of our fellows though we are seemingly consumed. A hungry world is crying unto us for help and our knowledge of their needs should arouse us to a determination to live lives of selfsacrifice and holy love.

The fruitbearing branch needs be purged that it may bear more fruit. Shall we be willing to forego the lesser things and our more immediate desires in order that the larger and more permanent results may be forthcoming? You have endured thus far and it is needful to remind yourselves that the law of effort will never be relaxed in the years to come, but that all worthy contributions to your lives will be made along the line of heroic effort and selfsacrifice.

As men and women desiring to be useful in this world it becomes us to ask ourselves seriously whether we are working along right lines. We should understand that the branch indeed can not bring forth friut of itself except it abide in the Vine. "Herein is the Father glorified that ye bring forth much fruit".

FACULTY PERSONALS.

PROFESSOR C. B. Blosser is a loyal Alumnus of Goshen College. During the past year he felt it his duty to himself and family to enter a more remunerative field of labor. At the close of Commencement week, however, he recalled his resignation so that when the Fall term opens he will be back again to help make next year one of the most successful in the history of the institution. He is spending the summer with his brother in Ohio on the farm.

Professors Lehman, Zook, Detweiler, Smith, and Miss Ebersole are studying at the University of Chicago.

Professors Byers, Whitmer, Gerig, Kurtz, assisted by J. W. Shank, J. E. Weaver, Orie Miller, J. C. Brunk and S. F. Stallings constitute the Summer School faculty.

Professor Hartzler is traveling in the interest of the College.

Professor Brunk has gone to his former home in Virginia on a year's leave of absence.

Professor Smucker is engaged in a successful canvass for students in Elkhart and adjoining Counties.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'04, '01—Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole, Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'03, '04—Born to Mr. and Mrs J. C. Landis, Elkhart, Ind., a son.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs, J. S. Umble, West Liberty, Ohio, a son.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Miller, Chicago, Ill., a daughter.

'06—Jesse Brenneman completed his course in Civil Engineering at the University of Wisconsin and is now employed by the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

'09—Mr. Roy S. Smoker and Miss Agatha Wickham were married on April 30 at the home of Miss Wickham's parents. They are at home at Ishpeming, Mich.

'10, '13—Mr. John C. Brunk and Miss Inez Schrock were married June 20 at the home of J. S. Hartzler immediately after the commencement exercises at the College. They will be at home Sept. 1, at Effingham, Kan. where Mr. Brunk has been reelected supervisor of public school music.

'10—Mr. George Yoder and Miss Hazel Stiver were married on May 24, at Mishawaka, Ind. They are at home now at 1235 So. 8th St., Goshen, Ind.

'10, '12—Mr. Jay Smoker and Miss Mary Landis were married at the home of Miss Landis' parents, Goshen, Ind., on June 20. They are now at home at Ishpeming, Mich.

'10-'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gilliom Ann Arbor, Mich., a son.

'11—S. E. Weaver has been reelected Superintendent of Schools at Middlebury, Ind.

'11, '11—Misses Edna Metzler and Ruth Ebersole have been reelected principal and assistant principal respectively of the Doylestown, Ohio, High School.

'12—Mr. Benjamin Summer and Miss Clara Kauffman were married on June 18, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, Goshen, Ind. They are at home now at Metamora, Ill.

'12—Walter E. Gordon has been reelected Superintendent of the Harlowton, Montana, Schools at a salary of $1,700.

'12—F. A. Conrad received his A. M. degree from Indiana University in June. Mr. Conrad was the holder of a fellowship in History during the past year.

'12—D. A. Driver has been reelected

principal of the High School at Scott, Ind.

'13, '10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Detweiler a daughter.

'13—Mr. John E. Weaver and Miss Elnora Kauffman were married on June 29 at the home of Miss Kauffman's parents. They will be at home after July 20, at 1605 South Main St., Goshen, Ind.

'13—J. J. Fisher has been granted a fellowship at Indiana University and will do graduate work there next year in the departments of Philosophy and Education.

'13—Vernon Culp holds a fellowship in German at Indiana University and will study there next year.

'13—Miss Nora Colburn will go to Porto Rico in September to teach Normal and High School subjects under the auspices of the U. S. Government.

'13—W. H. Haarer will teach and do pastoral work for the Mennonite Congregation at Midland, Mich.

'13—A. W. Geigley will do evangelistic work in various parts of the United States and Canada.

'13—George J. Lapp will return to India to continue his Mission work at Dhamtari.

'13—Miss Crissie Yoder has been elected Dean of Women and Instructor of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kan.

'13—Silas Hertzler will teach in a Mennonite educational institution at Gretna, Manitoba.

IN MEMORIAM.

On Friday, July 11, John S. Musselman died of typhoid fever at Lancaster, Pa. Mr. Musselman was a member of the class which graduated at Elkhart Institute in 1902 and was well known among the Alumni and friends of the College. He spent several years at the Toronto Bible School and during the past year was a student at the Chicago Theological Seminary preparatory to going to India as a Missionary in September of this year. He was active in church and Missionary work in his home community and at Zurich, Ont., The Welsh Mt. Mission, Toronto, Ont., and Chicago. This is the second death in the Alumni Association of Goshen College during the twelve years of its existence. The first was that of Adeline V. Brunk who was a missionary at Hadjin, Turkey and died Dec. 11, 1906.

INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT HARTZLER.

FRIDAY evening Nov. 7, has been selected as the date for the formal installation of President Hartzler. The details have not yet been worked out but the committee in charge expects to arrange a program in keeping with the importance of the occasion. The chief address will naturally be delivered by the new president. Following this the plans include a response from a representative of Indiana Uuiversity in behalf of the state school system, a response from a representative of Earlham College in behalf of the colleges of the state and a response from the Dean in behalf of Goshen College. The dignity and importance of the occasion is such that it is hoped that many of the alumni and friends of the college may be present at these rare and significant exercises.

AT THE COLLEGE.

THE Summer School now in session has an enrollment of one hundred and forty seven, an increase of seventeen over last year. The attendance last year, one hundred and thirty, was a gain of thirty over the previous year which in turn had been a gain of ten over any previous year. This phenominal growth of our Summer School promises to continue. The quality of the work is fully up to the standard of former years and in some respects stonger. The future of the Summer School indeed is bright.

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Near the close of commencement week it became generally known that Pres. Byers and Prof. Smith had resigned to accept positions on the faculty of Bluffton College and Mennonite Seminary at Bluffton, Ohio. Among the alumni, students and faculty there was great regret and some anxiety as to the future of the college. This chilled somewhat the enthusiasm at the close of commencement and anniversary week. It is remarkable that the college has had so few resignations from its faculty in the ten years of its work here at Goshen. In all institutions changes are to be expected; they are inevitable. Goshen has had but few.

It soon became apparent that the loyalty of the faculty, alumni and students is such that the college will continue its

work without loss in attendance or lowering of standards. Every member of the faculty has definitely pledged his continused service to the college; the alumni have expressed their loyalty to the institution and expect to give it their enthusiastic support; and according to a rather careful canvass the student body will remain intact. In fact the senior class promises to be larger than was expected. The incoming freshman class also promises to exceed that of any previous year.

The Board met July 10 and arranged to fill all vacancies. John E. Hartzler of the class of 1910 was unanimously elected president of the college. Pres. Hartzler expects to spend most of his time in the field looking after the educational, administrative and financial interests of the college. Paul E. Whitmer of the class of 1905 was elected Dean. The Dean is to be the educational head, student adviser, disciplinarian, and chairman of the faculty. This organization seems to be generally satisfactory to the students and friends of the college.

Prof. John E. Winter of Ann Arbor, Mich., has been elected Professor of Philosophy and Education. We believe he is unusually well fitted for this position. He obtained his training at Hope College and the University of Michigan. From the former he holds the A. B. degree and from the latter the A. B., A. M., and Ph. D. Prior to beginning his graduate work he was a high school teacher for two years and superintendent of schools of Cass City, Mich. for three years. He also taught one summer in a Normal School. For the past three years he has been studying psychology, philosophy, and education at the University of Michigan. In philosophy he has studied under Professors Wenley and Lloyd, in psychology under Pillsbury and Shepherd, and in education under Whitney, Davis and Berry. Professor Davis of the University of Michigan, writes: "The chief reason we hope you will elect him, and at a good salary, is his exceptional worth as a man, a scholar, a Christian, and a teacher." The college is very fortunate in getting the services of such a well trained and experienced teacher for this important department.

Prof. James E. Gillespie of Ithaca, N. Y., has been elected Professor of History. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1909 with A. B. degree. The following year he took the A. M. degree in History, Economics, and Sociology at Harvard. He continued his studies in the same subjects for another two years at Columbia where he is a candidate for the Ph. D. degree. He has studied history under such men as Professors Robinson, Channing and Botsford; sociology under Giddings and Wilcox, and political science under Jenks and Seager. He has had successful teaching experience both in high school and in Normal School. The university authorities where he has studied speak of him in the highest terms as a scholar, teacher and Christian gentleman.

This is the first time in the history of the institution that the college has had to give up its president. We all regret this very much. President Byers is really a great teacher and the college will feel its loss very keenly. He has served the cause of Christian education in the Mennonite church nobly and efficiently. Goshen College owes much to his untiring efforts and will in years to come continue to profit by the educational policies that he inaugurated. Prof. Smith too has been prominently connected with the college from its very beginning. He has inaugurated some of the most prized features of our college life and work. He was always resourceful and efficient as a teacher and counselor. He too will be greatly missed. The alumni and students are glad for the life and work of these men and wish them every success in their new work.

It may be of interest to the friends of the college that eventually the places vacated by Mr. Byers and Mr. Smith will be filled by alumni of the college. Mr. J. J. Fisher who with a splendid record graduated with the class of 1913 will at once begin graduate study at Indiana University and later at the University of Chicago to fit himself for the professorship of Philosophy and Education. Mr. A. E. Kreider who has for several years been one of Goshen's most promising students has been selected for the professorship of History and Social Sciences. After a few years of furthur study he will be admirably equipped for that work. The arrangements made for the immediate and the more distant future insure that the "Greater Goshen College" promises to be realized before most of us anticipated.

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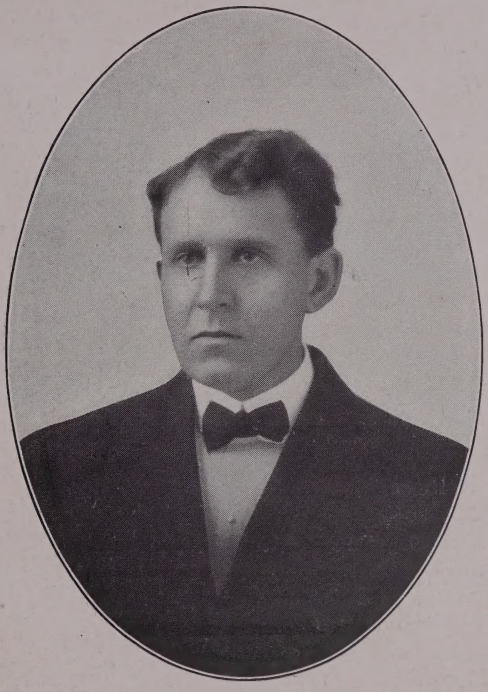

JOHN ELLSWORTH HARTZLER

JOHN ELLSWORTH HARTZLER was a member of the first junior college class of Goshen College. He later received the A. B. degree from the same institution. During 1907-09 he studied at McCormick Theological Seminary where he received the B. D. degree in June of 1910. Since then he has been pastor of the Mennonite church of Elkhart, Ind., and also did extensive evangelistic work. In 1912 he was elected to the position of Dean of the Bible School and Professor of Biblical Literature of Goshen College. On August 23, 1913, he became President of Goshen College. In his public work both as pastor and evangelist he has shown himself a natural leader of men. He is a man of vision and optimism, resourceful, tactful, energetic, with a great faith in the institution he is serving as well as in the men and women whose fidelity and devotion give significance to the purposes of its early founders. His extensive travel among the patrons of the institution while engaged in church work has afforded him ample opportunity to understand their real attitude and wishes concerning education, all of which will aid him greatly in the solution of the problems of a growing educational institution. He is the author of several publications that are widely circulated among the constituency of the school. Goshen College is fortunate to have found a man who combines so many important qualities essential to the carrying on of its executive work. He is a scholar, an organizer and a man of business ability. Added to these qualities is his strength as a leader in religious work as well as his wholesome and stimulating Christian influence over young people. With the present administration the college is entering upon a new era, with excellent prospects for rapid expansion and growth into a larger and more useful institution.

THE INAUGURATION OF JOHN ELLSWORTH HARTZLER, A. B. B. D.

Friday evening, Nov. 7, has been selected for the formal installation of President Hartzler. A cordial invitation is extented to the Alumni and friends of the college. Following is the program for the occasion.

Piano Solo.....Miss Sylvia Bontrager
Invocation.....Irvin R. Detweiler
Professor of New Testament
The Induction of the President
On Behalf of the Board of Education
Jonas S. Hartzler
Treasurer of the Board of Education
The Response of the President
Addresses of Greeting
On Behalf of the State Universities
Winthrope E. Stone
President of Purdue University
On Behalf of the Endowed Colleges
Robert L. Kelly
President of Earlham College
On Behalf of the Faculty
Paul E. Whitmer
Dean of Goshen College
On Behalf of the Alumni
Solomon F. Gingerich
Professor of English, Michigan University
On Behalf of the Undergraduates
Samuel Witmer, Class of '14
The Address of the President
Hymn
Benediction.....By the President
Informal Reception in President's Room

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'02—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Oyer of Benzonia, Mich., a daughter.

'04-'05—Mr. and Mrs. M. Clifford Lehman of Dhamtari, India, have returned to America on furlough and are spending the year in study at Goshen. Mr. Lehman is a member of the senior class. Mrs. Lehman registered in the Bible Department.

'05—Miss Mary Yoder has entered the Library School of Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio.

'06—Peter D. Summer completed his work in the School of Dentistry at Illinois University and is making a splendid record in his profession in Chicago.

'07—Dr. Homer B. Reed is doing research work in Philosophy and Education at Columbia University.

'08—In addition to his regular duties as instructor in the High School in Philadelphia, Pa., Harry G. Good is doing research work in Philosophy at the University of Pennsylvania. He has almost completed the requirements for the Ph. D. degree.

'08—Miss Esther Lehman, Preceptress and Instructor at Hesston Academy the past two years has resumed her college work at Goshen.

'10—Arthur L. Gilliom is practicing law at South Bend, Ind.

'10—Charles L. Shank is studying in the Mechanical Engineering department of Purdue University.

'10-'09—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank were recently appointed missionaries to South America by the Mennonite Board of Missions. They are at present located at La Junta, Colo. where Mr. Shank is Superintendent of Schools. They will leave for South America in about a year.

'10—Ira D. Yoder will complete his Horticultural studies at Cornell University this year.

'11—S. A. Zook is doing Post Graduate work at the University of Chicago.

'11-'11—Mr. Samuel Burkhard and Miss Elsie Byler were married on August 14, at the home of Miss Byler's father, Newton, Kansas. They are at home now at 1690 90th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

'11—Miss Clara DeCamp has been reelected instructor in Music and Art at Ashley, Ind.

'11-'11—Lester Hostetler and Vernon Smucker spent the summer traveling in Europe.

'11—Miss Meta Martin is instructor in German in the Shipshewana High School.

'11—Alvin J. Miller is a graduate student at Columbia University.

'11—Jesse Stutzman has entered the Michigan Agriculture College at Lansing Michigan.

'12—Fred Conrad entered the Theological department of Boston University.

'12—D. Arthur Driver resigned his position as principal of the High School at Scott Ind. to become Superintendent of Schools at Wolcottville, Ind.

'12—Mr. Walter E. Gordon and Miss Ruby Sweitzer were married on Aug. 31 at Mishawaka, Ind. They are now at home at 807 Washington Boulevard, Ft. Wayne, Ind., where Mr. Gordon is teaching in the Manual training High School.

ERRATUM

In the biography of John Ellsworth Hartzler on the first page, the part which indicates his Seminary education should read as follows:

"During 1907-09 he studied at the McCormick Theological Seminary. The following year he entered Union Theological Seminary where he received the B. D. degree in June of 1910."

schools at Corrinne, Utah.

'13—J. M. Yoder will be pastor of the Mennonite Church at Benzonia, Mich.

'13—J. Miller Yoder is teaching and doing pastoral work for the Mennonite Church located at Benzonia, Mich.

'13—Fred Burkey is principal of schools at Westville, Ill.

'13—Curtis Ziegler is principal of the High School at Waterford near Goshen, Ind.

AT THE COLLEGE

THERE are quite a few features about Goshen College that are new. In the few weeks that intervened between the close of Summer School and the opening of the Fall Term workmen were busy on the college building and the two dormitories. Both dormitories have been repainted and thoroughly renovated. By removing two partitions the reception room of Kulp Hall has been enlarged to nearly three times its former capacity. This change alone has greatly improved the appearance and convenience of the home for the young women.

In the main building quite a few changes have been made. Professor Zook's class room has been converted into a faculty room and outer office for President Hartzler. The furniture has been removed and the room furnished with a large table and a set of office chairs. The gas fixtures have been replaced by an electric chandelier. The faculty meetings are held in this room; it also serves as a general faculty room for study and rest between classes. President Hartzler has his private office in the former office of the Business Manager with a door leading into his outer office and faculty room. The partition in the book store has been moved forward to provide desk room for the clerk of the college. In addition to various other minor changes ten of the class rooms and offices were tinted.

The new executive officers of the faculty are assuming their duties in a way that inspires confidence in their work. President Hartzler is planning great things for the college. At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee, he was authorized to make definite plans to build a science building in the near future. In order to secure the best suggestions of competent men he will soon visit a number of colleges that have recently put up similar buildings. Professors Kurtz and Blosser are cooperating with him in formulating plans for class rooms and laboratories that will furnish accommodations for the Physical and Biological science departments and for the work in Agriculture, Domestic Science and Manuel Training, that will soon be introduced.

Dean Whitmer has entered enthusiastically upon the duties of his office. As chairman of the faculty he appointed a large number of committees with power to act in their various capacities. This limits the work of the faculty at its regular meetings to a consideration of problems of a more general nature and the discussion of an occasional committee report. Dean Whitmer makes a splendid presiding officer and the faculty finds these fortnightly meetings a source of real enjoyment. The students are equally well satisfied with Dean Whitmer's ideas and methods in the discharge of his new duties. The office of disciplinarian and student advisor is not always an easy one. However much depends upon the disposition and general attitude of the official toward the student body. The students find him a sympathetic friend as well as one who has a real interest in their personal problems. The freedom with which they can express their difficulties to him gives him a great opportunity to mould the general sentiment of the student body both with regard to social and religious ideals and educational standards.

The management is gratified over its choice of Prof. John E. Winter as Principal of the Normal School. Prof. Winter is competent, thorogoing, and from the point of view of the students in his department does very satisfactory work. Our relations with the educational authorities of the State of Indiana will continue as heretofore.

Prof. James E. Gillespie is a scholar in his subjects and thorogoing in his instruc-

tion.

The present (October 13) enrollment as compared with last year at this time is given below.

	1912	1913
College	60	62
Academy	59	65
Normal	2	8
Bible	5	15
Business	18	10
Music	15	15
Total	159	175

The total increase in enrollment is 16, half of whom are students of college grade (college and normal) and half of academy.. In view of the fact that 17 graduated with the A. B. degree last June, which was an unusually large class, our total gain in college students is more than satisfactory.

The increase in the various departments as well as in the total enrollment is due largely to the active campaign carried on by the management during the summer, especially by the President and Dean, as well as the general satisfaction and confidence in the present regime. The students have brought the most encouraging reports from their home communities. There never was a time in the history of the institution when the constituency manifested such a genuine loyalty and enthusiasm for Goshen College as they do just now. This is an inspiration both to the faculty and the student body. And with reports coming to the College of a similar sentiment even beyond our own borders the management feels that the foundations are laid and the time is ripe for a general advancement all along the line. A Larger Goshen College is in sight and the steps that will soon be taken for its realization will have the active and enthusiastic support of every lover of Goshen.

The interclass debates will take place before the holiday vacation this year. This arrangement saves the whole of the winter term for the intercollegiate debates. The senior team is composed of W. B. Weaver, Samuel Witmer, W. A. Blosser with M. C. Lehman as alternate. The juniors have selected J. R. Allgyer, A. J. Eby, S. L. Johnson with L. D. Hershberger as alternate. They will discuss: Resolved that the recall should be adopted for all elective state and municipal officers in Indiana (constitutionally conceded). The seniors present the affirmative. The Sophomore team is composed of V. J. Smucker, C. H. Duker, C. E. Reed with S. N. Nunemaker alternate. The freshmen are represented by Elban Lehman, A. H. Holdeman, John Wayre and Noah Burkhard alternate. They will debate: Resolved that the U. S. should be responsible for the establishment and maintenance of peace in Mexico. The Sophomores will uphold the affirmative. Arrangements are being made to continue intercollegiate debating with Manchester and Mount Morris Colleges. March 13 will probably be the date of the debate. The question has not yet been selected. We hope to repeat our history of last year—all victories and no defeats.

When the Emersonian Literary Society was organized four years ago the Aurora and Adelphian societies were greatly weakened by the withdrawal of the college men. Since then a strong sentiment developed among the academy boys in favor of merging the two societies. The Emersonian Society had in the meantime grown too large to do the best kind of literary work, it was therefore agreed by the Academy boys to turn over the Aurora and Adelphian Societies to the college men and organize one society for the Academy boys. A Committee composed of Professor Gerig and two College men, Samuel Witmer, a former Adelphian and Vernon J. Smucker, a former Aurora, divided the Emersonians. As soon as these two groups had joined the Adelphian and Aurora Societies, steps were immediately taken to revise the constitutions of these Societies so as to limit the membership to college men. By this arrangement the traditions of the Adelphian and Aurora Societies will be continued permanently and the gifts that each made to the college will be safeguarded. The new organization for the Academy boys is called the Ciceronian Society. The Academy girls' Societies, the Avon and Vesperian, continue as separate organizations but hold their regular weekly meetings together. This is known as the Avon-Vesperian Society. These five societies, two for Academy students and three for college students, provide nicely for the literary interests in Goshen College for the present.

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INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT HARTZLER

THE inauguration of John Ellsworth Hartzler was a memorable occasion. Its real significance was due not only to its being the beginning of a new administration but also on account of the general feeling of good will which prevailed toward the college and especially toward the new administration. When the welcome news of the election of President Hartzler, together with Paul Emmons Whitmer as Dean of the College was announced last summer, it was the unanimous sentiment of faculty, students, alumni and friends of the institution that the Mennonite Board of Education had performed a distinct service to the college and its constituency as well as to the cause of Christian education in general. It was felt that the able and efficient leadership which had characterized the institution's rapid development would be continued without interruption. The men selected were widely known as men of large vision, of recognized executive and administrative abilities, and a great faith in the cause to which they had pledged their united efforts. The manner in which they assumed the responsible duties of their offices inspired confidence and created an enthusiasm and loyalty among the earnest supporters of the college unprecedented in the annals of the institution. On every hand there was manifested a spirit of hearty co-operation and an earnest hope and expectation that the larger service into which the college was just entering should be measured only by the larger opportunities which were so rapidly unfolding.

It is doubly significant that this unanimity of sentiment should have come at the very beginning of the new administration and enter in so large a measure into the real success of the inaugural exercises. The large audience which assembled in Chapel Hall on the evening of Friday November 7, 1913, was a representative gathering of faculty, students, alumni, citizens of Goshen and friends of the college, some of whom had come considerable distances for this unusual event. The dignity and simplicity of the ceremony made it impressive. The exercises were opened with a piano solo by Miss Sylvia Bontrager. After the invocation by Irvin R. Detweiler, Professor of New Testament, Jonas S. Hartzler, Treasurer of the Board of Education spoke briefly but impressively of the rapid development of the college in the face of many difficulties. On behalf of the Board of Education he proclaimed John Ellsworth Hartzler, President of Goshen College, pointing out at the same time that the larger possibilities in this new and responsible position could be completely realized only through the spirit of service, self-sacrifice and devotion to duty. President Hartzler responded very appropriately and pledged his faithful services to the institution.

The addresses of greeting which followed portrayed in a most delightful manner the general feeling of good will which prevailed everywhere. They were full of expressions of congratulation as well as significant utterances as to the bright outlook for the college under the present administration. Dr. Winthrop E. Stone, President of Purdue University, who represented the State Universities, was very happy in his remarks in which he indicated the present cordial relationships existing among the educational institutions of the state and stated that their real interest in and congratulatory feeling toward Goshen College and the new president was the fact that the state had found an added strength to its force in the forward movement for better things. Professor Paul E. Whitmer, Dean of Goshen College who spoke on behalf of the Faculty, welcomed the new president and pledged the best services and heartiest co-operation of those whom he represented, to build up, not necessarily a big, but a really great institution of learning. He was optimistic in his vision of the future of the college, and those who heard him felt that the words he had spoken were uttered only after he had calmly and deliberately pondered their fullest meaning.

In representing the Alumni, Professor Solomon F. Gingerich, of Michigan University congratulated the new administration and bespoke for it to maintain the best traditions and standards of the past. He made an earnest appeal that the administration continue to inspire in the hearts of the students something of an initiatory spirit for the work of higher education and to keep an open door for the development of the latent talents of the humblest and poorest. He emphasized the fact that the profound interest of the Alumni in the College and their loyalty for the ideals and principles for which it stands will continue to be a very important part of its heritage.

Samuel Witmer, of the class of '14, spoke on behalf of the Undergraduates by indicating the splendid good feeling which had developed so spontaneously in the student body and pledged its enthusiastic support and heartiest co-operation in the realization of the greater Goshen College.

After listening to these delightful utterances for what seemed a very short time, for time passed rapidly on this occasion, all eyes were turned on President Hartzler, as he arose to deliver the chief address of the evening. The kind words which had been spoken on his behalf, while they were reassuring, only gave him a keener sense of the great responsibilities which had just been placed upon him. The deep silence of that expectant moment was broken by the words of the new president as he gave utterance to his cherished hopes and ideals for his beloved Alma Mater. He chose for his subject, "Basic Principles of Liberal Education and Culture" and gave a comprehensive discussion of its fundamental meaning and significance. After expressing his confidence in the loyal and self-sacrificing spirit of the faculty, Alumni, and constituency, including the student body, he pointed out that a liberal education implies a broad knowledge of the world and her affairs. It prepares men to do their part in the great moral and social work of the world, to keep this a fit place in which to live and be glad and it prepares men to enter in a fit and becoming way upon the life immortal. The cultured man, he said, is the man with a large, broad, altruistic sympathy. He is independent yet dependent; self confident, yet humble; a man of courage, yet kind. He has a passion to see things as they are and to know the will of God and make that will the prevailing power of his life. He indicated some of the difficult problems confronting a college that aims at a liberal education and culture and after discussing them at some length he assured his co-workers that many of the difficulties that seemed almost insurmountable in the past were slowly but surely being overcome and that we are just entering into a larger and fuller life of achievement and real service.

After a hymn by the audience and the benediction by the president, President Hartzler held an informal reception in his new room on the first floor where almost the entire audience waited to congratulate him and give expression to a few words of kindly greeting.

And so passed what was without doubt the most memorable occasion in the history of our Alma Mater. And as the pleasant recollections of the happy event linger in our memories its real significance is ever looming up into larger proportions and we rejoice that the greater Goshen College of our dreams is rapidly becoming an actual reality.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

Within the past few months some plans have been maturing which are taking on rather definite form. The management of the college wishes to be conservative in all its promises so that it shall be able constantly to accomplish even more than it promises. For this reason the plans here given will be decidedly conservative.

Financially the outlook is encouraging. Several negotiations are going on now that will bring to the college sums of money adequate to meet the growing needs of the college, in buildings, equipments and endowments. Plans are now in the hands of an architect for a new science building which has been under consideration for several years. This building will provide adequate room for our present science work and offer proper quarters for the work in Agriculture and Domestic Science that is soon to be launched. As soon as the present science laboratories and class rooms will be va-

cated the business department now on the first floor will be removed to two well equipped rooms on the third floor and the library and reading room will be enlarged so as to include all the space now occupied by the business department. The professors whose classes now occupy these rooms on the third floor will be given rooms on the lower floors and a Phychological laboratory will be equipped in the basement.

The college also expects to expand in the number and range of courses now offered and to add new courses. Next year the college will offer for the first time regular work in French. Two years work will be offered in this language with the purpose of adding a third year in the near future. It will soon be necessary to give the freshman required work in two sections. The class in Freshman English now numbers 35 and several of the other Freshman classes are nearly the same size. The college now has in preparation three young men and women and a fourth will soon be chosen to fill the vacancies that now exist and that will be created by the addition of the departments of Agriculture and Domestic Science. Other plans are gradually formulating that we hope to be able to report to the alumni before long.

A RHODES SCHOLAR

Milo L. March who did his freshman and sophomore college work at Goshen College has been appointed a Rhodes scholar. Early in October he took the examinations in the subjects required for admission to Oxford University on the Rhodes foundation. On December 18 he, with four other candidates who had also passed the scholastic tests provided by the University, appeared before the appointing committee at Indianapolis. This committee is composed of the presidents of the five universities and colleges that have the largest liberal arts departments among the institutions of the state. Mr. March's appointment is a notable recognition of the work that Goshen College does. He himself recognizes this. Since his appointment as well as before he has frequently said Goshen College taught him how to study. Mr. March at present is a senior at Princeton University. He will take up his work at Oxford next fall.

TREASURER'S REPORT

For want of space in previous issues of the News Letter the report of the Treasurer of the Alumni Association which should have appeared in the July number is given below.

Financial Statement

Money received during year 1912-13:	
From balance 1912 report	$ 7.11
Interest, fees, etc.	126.15
Payment on loan	15.00
Total	$148.66
Money expended and cash on hand:	
News Letter	$ 55.60
Banquet	27.01
Loaned	15.00
Cash on hand	51.05
Total	$148.66
Money and assets of Association:	
Cash on hand	$ 51.05
Notes and interest due	617.77
Total assets	$668.82

Collections

Lillie Minnich	$ .25
Lena Albrecht	1.50
Samuel Honderich	30.50
C. E. Bender	2.75
Charles Boomershine	.25
Walter Gordon	5.00
Elsie Byler	1.25
Frances Ebersole	1.50
Etta Gilliom	.25
J. L. Steiner	.25
S. E. Zook	.25
Mr. and Mrs C. B. Blosser	.50
Mrs. N. E. Byers	6.50
Anna Autenreith	11.25
Ella Wenger	2.75
A. J. Miller	2.75
J. W. Shank	.50
J. S. Yoder	.25
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz	1.00
Sylvia Bontrager	1.75
W. A. Blosser	.25
Lydia Smucker	5.25
Ella De Camp	2.00
Elizabeth Hauck	3.25
Peter Summer	.25
Allen Christophel	2.25
Delta Kauffman	.25
Charles Shank	.25
Anna Hoover	2.25
Florence Cooprider	.75
Minnie Yoder	1.50
W. B. Christophel	.50

Leander Weldy	21.00
J. C. Brunk	.50
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole	2.00
Alma Albrecht	1.50
Anna Yoder	2.75
D. B. Zook	.50
Mrs. D. S. Gerig	.25
Fannie Rupp	.25
Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler	.50
Mrs. Otis Johns	.25
Mrs. Lucinda Kropf	.25
Henry Burkhard	.25
J. S. Yoder	5.25
Anthony Moyer	.75

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yoder, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weiler, Chicago, Ill., a son.

'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Zook, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'09—Miss Anna Christophel has been secured to teach Domestic Science at the College during the coming Summer Term.

'11—Miss Rossie Hostetler is an instructor in the High School at Milroy, Ind.

'11—Mr. A. J. Miller will have charge of the work in History at the College during the Summer Term.

'11—Mr. A. R. Walker is teaching in the High School at Warrick, Montana.

'12—Mr. Charles Shoemaker is located at Scottdale, Pa., where he is in the employ of the Mennonite Publishing Company.

AT THE COLLEGE

The Winter Term opened with the usual increase in the enrollment over the Fall Term. At the opening of the second week of the term careful comparisons of the enrollment with that of the previous term and the corresponding terms of last year were worked out and are given below:

	1913-14		1912-13	
	Fall	Winter	Fall	Winter
College	62	67	60	60
Academy	65	60	59	65
Normal	8	15	2	8
Bible	15	17	5	8
Business	10	14	18	27
Music	15	14	15	13
Totals	175	187	159	181

The total enrollment for this term given above does not include the 16 students who are registered in the Special Bible Term, nor the late registrations in the other departments which brings the total enrollment at the present time up to 207. Some of the students of the Special Bible Term will remain throughout the Winter Term and this together with the usual late registrations will bring the total enrollment of regular students for the term up to about 200. This large enrollment together with the splendid spirit which prevails makes every body optimistic for greater and more significant things for next year.

The freshman-sophomore debate occurred on the evening of November 21. The sophomore team composed of V. J. Smucker, C. H. Duker, C. E. Reed and S. N. Nunemaker, alternate, upheld the affirmative of the question: Resolved that the United States should be responsible for the establishment and maintenance of peace in Mexico. The freshman were represented by Elban Lehman, A. F. Holdeman, John Wayre and M. B. Brenneman alternate. The debate was a close contest and was won by the freshman team. Two weeks later the junior-senior teams debated: "Resolved that the recall should be adopted for all elective state and municipal officers in Indiana." Again the negative team won. The juniors, who had the negative were represented by A. J. Eby, S. L. Johnson, J. R. Allgyer and L. D: Hershberger, alternate. The senior team consisted of W. B. Weaver, W. A. Blosser, Samuel Witmer and M. C. Lehman, alternate. These debates were strong forensic efforts and worthily upheld the standards established in former years. In contrast to previous debates, however, both winning teams had the unanimous decision of the judges.

The intercollegiate debate between Goshen, Manchester and Mount Morris will be held March 13. Our affirmative team composed of Lester Hostetler, S. L. Johnson, Elban Lehman and A. F. Holdeman alternate will go to Mount Morris while our negative team composed of J. R. Allgyer, V. J. Smucker, Samuel Witmer and A. J. Eby alternate will meet Manchester here at home. The question for debate is: Resolved that the United States should own and control the railroads within her boundary

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THE SCIENCE WORK AT GOSHEN COLLEGE

THE work of the Science departments at Goshen College like many other worthy causes had a small and unpretentious beginning. It was begun in the present reception room of the men's dormitory which served as recitation room and laboratory for Zoology, Botany, Chemistry, and Physics during the fall term of 1903. The present main building which had been begun during the summer of this year was however nearly enough completed so that it could be occupied at the beginning of the winter term. It was provided with physical, chemical and biological laboratories respectively, furnishing what were then considered commodious quarters. The amount of equipment nowever was small and consisted of a compound microscope and several tables for the biology work, one desk for chemistry and a small amount of apparatus for academy physics.

Gradually however, as the number of students increased and the classes grew larger new equipment such as desks, tables and other furniture and apparatus were installed. The rapid progress made in equipping the chemistry and physics laboratories was largely due to the generosity of the student body and friends of the college. The Vesperian Literary Society especially deserves credit for the liberal way in which it supported a movement which resulted in raising about one thousand dollars to purchase physical and astronomical material. This donation made possible the equipment of the physical laboratory for thorough and efficient work in the academy.

About three years ago the demand for college physics became so strong that it was necessary to secure more new equipment. This was largely done through the kindness of private individuals. At present the furnishings are sufficient to guarantee not only thorough courses in academy physics but a uniformly strong course in college physics.

The chemical laboratory, as has already been noted, in the beginning had very little equipment but through the large heartedness of students, funds were provided and rapid progress was made. There are now twenty one individual desks fully equipped with the necessary chemicals and apparatus for three years chemical work, and during the present year by duplicating desks it has been possible to enroll thirty students in this department.

As already stated the biology work began with several students, a few tables and a compound microscope. In 1909 the department of Biology was established. From this time on equipment was added as rapidly as funds permitted. At present this laboratory is provided with eleven compound microscopes, vertebrate skeletons, life histories of animals, mounted and in alcohol, bird skins, a large number of microscopic slides, demonstration material and charts in addition to the furnishings ordinarily found in a biology laboratory. We are able to offer at present thorough courses in academy zoology and botany as well as these same courses in the college.

It will be noted from the above brief account of the development of these departments that the college is now thoroughly equipped to do all the work that has been offered up to this time. The situation however that confronts us at present is that these departments have all outgrown their present quarters making it impossible in many cases to do the most efficient work.

The crowded conditions of the laboratories and class rooms naturally gave rise to a demand for larger and more commodious quarters. This positive need together with the increasing demands on the part of the supporters of our educational work for courses in agriculture, manual training and domestic science has gradually but surely demonstrated the need for a new science building.

In keeping with a strong sentiment in favor of such a project steps have already been taken to erect a new building in the near future so that all these departments may be properly accommodated.

To Accomplish this a considerable

amount of money will of course be necessary. The task of raising the amount we are glad to say, has already been undertaken and partially completed by our President and his helpers. A considerable amount of money has already been raised and the prospects for raising the necessary amount are, to say the least, very good.

When the agricultural work was proposed the need for a farm conveniently located at once became apparent. Accordingly the executive committee, several months ago, purchased a sixty acre tract just a short distance east of the campus to be used in connection with this department. During the summer a model barn will be built and other necessary improvements made.

According to present plans the erection of the new science building will be begun some time during the summer. It is to be a brick structure built to accommodate all the present science work as well as the proposed new courses in agriculture, domestic science and manual training. With this building thoroughly equipped we will be able to offer good courses in any one of the above mentioned departments in addition to being able to more than meet the State requirements. We believe that the project is entirely in keeping with the progress of our institution as well as a response to the strong demand from the constituency of the college for an enlargement of the scope of its usefulness. That the supporters of the College are heartily in sympathy with this new movement is shown by the liberal way in which they are supporting it. C. B. Blosser.

BRANCH ASSOCIATION REUNIONS

India Association.

THE India Branch of the Alumni Association held its second annual meeting at Sundarganj, April third, at which G. J. Lapp presided.

The following responded to toasts:

Dr. Esch on the pathetic and humorous in Medical Student Life.

Miss Hershey, of Bethany Bible School, Chicago, gave a very interesting review of Life in Bethany Bible School.

Mrs. G. J. Lapp took us back to college days by a vivid review of last year's events at the College.

G. J. Lapp read an interesting review of the Wilson Administration.

A motion was made to send an expression of loyalty and enthusiasm for the ideals and principles maintained by the College and the Alumni Association of America.

The meeting closed with tne singing of the College song. L. Ellen Schertz

Chicago Association.

A DELIGHTFUL evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rutt, 6201 Carpenter Street, by those members of the Goshen College Alumni Association who are at present residing in Chicago. This was the annual meeting for this part of the association and was very much enjoyed by all.

The greater part of the evening was spent in an informal way recalling the old experiences and happy days spent at Goshen College. A fine dinner was served which was especially appreciated by our worthy president, Dr. H. B. Weiler.

Speeches were made by Messrs S. A. Zook and W. C. Ebersole. Mr. Zook related a most incredible "fish" story in connection with an account of his winter's experience in Florida. However he produced the goods to confirm his descriptions. Pres. Weiler then gave a very brief report of Goshen and its bright future prospects after which there was a general discussion of them with expressions of gratitude for the past and optimism for Goshen's future.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Pres. J. R. Rupp; Vice-Pres., A. B. Rutt; Sec. and Treas., Mrs. R. J. Miller; Reporter to be appointed by Mrs. R. J. Miller.

In addition to the above the following alumni were present: Misses Amanda Ebersole, Florence Cooprider, Lena Albright, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Miller.

After singing "Goshen" with a renewal of the old time spirit the meeting was adjourned.

The memories of days spent at Goshen College, the friendships formed there, and the "Old Goshen Spirit" which can hardly be described but still keenly felt by all, are some of the most cherished things which every member of the alumni association possesses. The revival of these are what made the meeting one long to be remembered. J. R. Rupp

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'06—J. Frank Ebersole will be Assistant Professor of Economics at the University of Chicago during the Summer Quarter.

'06—Samuel E. Zook is head of the department of German in the Rockford, Ill., High School.

'08-'08—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Good, of Philadelphia, Pa., a daughter.

'08—On Jan. 29, Miss Adah Kauffman and Mr. Ira Armey were married at the home of Miss Kauffman's parents, Goshen, Ind. They are at home now at Miles City, Montana.

'10-'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Josephus W. Shank of LaJunta, Col., a son.

'11—Miss Ruth R. Ebersole of North Tonawanda, N. Y., and Rev. Carl A. Rasmussen of Buffalo were married April 16, at the home of Miss Ebersole's parents. They will reside at Pultney, N. Y., where Rev. Rasmussen will be pastor of the First Baptist Church.

'12—On March 18, Mr. Charles L. Haney of Milford, Ind., and Miss Lillian Wise of Van Wert, Ohio, were married at Miss Wise's home. They are at home at Mt. Carmel, Ill., where Mr. Haney is engaged in church work.

'13—John J. Fisher who is preparing himself to become head of the department of Philosophy and Education is making an enviable record at Indiana University this year. After receiving the A. M. degree there in June he will continue his research work at Pennsylvania University, Philadelphia, where he has been elected a Harrison Fellow, which carries with it a stipend of $500.

'13—Vernon S. Culp has been elected Professor of Germar for the coming year at Freeman College, Freeman, South Dakota.

ALUMNI DAY.

THERE will be a slight change in the number and arrangements of the meetings on Alumni Day this year due to the action taken by the Association at the annual meeting last June. Instead of the Association holding its annual business meeting on Wednesday afternoon, the Board of Directors will meet to transact the business of the Association and make nominations for directors and officers of the Board. At the Alumni Luncheon in the evening the business transacted and the nominations will be submitted to the Association for approval and the new members will be received at the same time. Every member of the Association is cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Board of Directors where any proposition submitted will receive careful consideration.

The meetings will be held as follows:
Board of Directors .....2:30 P. M.
Alumni Address .....7:30 P. M.
Alumni Luncheon ..... 8:15 P. M.

The Annual Address to the Alumni will be delivered by M. Clifford Lehman of Dhamtari, India, who is in this country on leave of absence. The Alumni Luncheon is rapidly becoming one of the most enjoyable events of commencement week and every alumnus should make an effort to be present.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK
June 7-12.
CALANDER OF EVENTS.

Sunday, June 7.
7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by President John Ellsworth Hartzler.

Monday-Tuesday.
Final Examinations.

Tuesday, June 9.
8:00 P. M. Music and Oratory Recital.

Wednesday, June 10.
10:00 A. M. Examinations Close
2:00 P. M. Literary Society Reunions
3:00 P. M. '99, '04, '09 Class Reunions.
7:30 P. M. Alumni Address by M. Clifford Lehman, Dhamtari, India.

Thursday, June 11.
10:00 A. M. Athletics.
2:30 P. M. Academy Class Program.
7:00 P. M. College Class Program.

Friday, June 12.
10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.
10:30 A. M. Final Students Devotional Meeting.
1:00 P. M. College Luncheon.
8:00 P. M. Commencement Exercises, Address by President George R. Grose of DePauw University.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM.
Thursday, June 11, Campus 7:00 P. M.
Ivy Ode ..... Ellen Yoder
Emblem Oration .... M. Clifford Lehman
Assembly Hall 8:00 P. M.
Music ..... Rambler Quartet
Salutatory, The Philosophy of Progress .....Samuel Witmer
Oration, Tests for Lives' Values. .... W. A Blosser
Original Reading, Rosetta ....S. Lloyd Johnson
Class History and Prophecy ....Esther Mae Lehman
Oration, Education for Efficiency.... .....William B. Weaver
Valedictory, A Valiant Heart..... ..... Nola Banta
Music.....Rambler Quartet

ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM
Thursday Afternoon, 2:30.
Piano Solo, LaHarp .....Eolienne Gladys Faye Sheline
Salutatory.....Education and Efficiency Charles Owen Hershey
Original Story .....Pedro Winnie May Kline
Oration..... Overcoming Inertia Simon W. Summer
Reading.....King Robert of Sicily Henry A. Willson

Oration .....The Underglow
Vinora Pearl Weaver
Oration ..... Universal Quest
Ada Mae Hoover
Class Prophecy .....
Ida Mae Miller
Oration ..... Growth Not Wealth
Robert M. Stemen
Reading.....The Wild, White Rose
Kathryn Ellen Mullet
Valedictory ..... Decision
W. Harvey Ebersole
Class Song.

MUSIC-ORATORY RECITAL.
Tuesday, June 9, 8:00 P. M.

Piano Duet, Landler ..... Hollander
Mary Thornton, Fern Lantz
Reading, "Gardeners Both" .....Hill
Mrs. Charles E. Reed
Vocal Solo.... ....
Leland Greenwalt
Piano Solo, "Rhapsodie Hongroise",..Liszt
Vida Hamman
Scene from "Ingomar" .....Halm
Anna Hostetler, Christopher Gerber
Vocal Duet, "The Fisherman" ....Gabussi
Leland Greenwalt, Lester Hostetler
Reading, "The Lost Word".....VanDyke
Frances Ebersole
Vocal Solo ....
Amos Ebersole
Piano Quartet, Finale aus der suite op. 39 .....Dvorak
Mary Thornton, Vida Hamman
Fern Lantz, Edith Miller.

AT THE COLLEGE.

THE new catalog that is coming off the press in a few days contains some interesting figures in reference to this year's attendance. There was a total gain of 30 exclusive of duplicates. This gain is distributed among the various departments as follows: College, 4; Normal School, 4; Music, 6; Bible, 3; Summer School, 17; Correspondence, 2 . There was a loss in the following departments: Academy, 1 and Business 16. The gain in the Normal School would be much more pronounced were it not for the fact that we did not offer courses in Agriculture or Domestic Science this Spring Term. Last year eight teachers registered in the Normal School in the spring after their schools closed against one this spring. Since teachers must give instruction in Agriculture and Domestic Science next year they are waiting to get that training this Summer in Summer School. In spite of this the Normal School had a total gain of four. This came about because a large number of Normal students entered last fall and remained with us throughout the entire year. Normal students are high school graduates and do work of college grade. The number of College and Normal students doing work in our regular college classes is one hundrd and five, not counting a number of Music, Bible, and Business students who are high school graduates and carry one or more college subjects in addition to their regular course. The juniors report that the senior class for next year will be the largest in the history of the college.

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The local Peace Oratorical Contest occurred on the evening of March 2 at which time the following orations were delivered:

World Peace through Christ, Leo Hershberger.

The Unwritten Constitution, W. A. Blosser.

The Irrationality of War, Orus Yoder.

Significant Factors of the Growth of Peace, Lewis Miller.

The Ideal of the Century, Charles E. Reed.

Mr. Reed won first place and a prize of fifteen dollars and Mr. Miller second place and a prize of ten dollars. The state contest was held at Butler College on the evening of March 20. Our representative, Mr. Reed, did not win a place in that contest. Earlham's representative took first place and Indiana's second place.

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Our second annual intercollegiate debate between Manchester, Mount Morris and Goshen occurred on the evening of March 13. Our negative team composed of J. R. Allgyer, Samuel Witmer, V. J, Smucker and A. J. Eby, as alternate, defeated Manchester's affirmative team on the home floor by a two to one vote of the judges. The audience that heard this debate packed the Assembly Hall to the doors. Financially also the debate was a great success. On the same evening our affirmative team composed of D. E. Lehman, S. L. Johnson, Lester Hostetler and A. F. Holdeman as alternate met Mount Morris' negative team at Mount Morris. At the close of a very close contest the judges by a two to one vote decided in favor of Mount Morris. The audience waited with suspense for the decision of the judges because of the closeness of the contest.

All the debates were a decided advance over last year in effectiveness and general interest. The finest spirit prevails among the members of the league and prospects are good for continuing debating relations with those institutions indefinitely.

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THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

THE eighteenth Annual Commencement exercises on Friday evening June 12, were a fitting close to the events of commencement week. President George Richmond Grose of De Pauw University delivered a masterly address to the graduating class on the subject, "The Uses of an Education." The large audience which filled the auditorium was deeply impressed with the serious purposes of the speaker. His eloquent appeal for true christian manhood and womanhood and efficiency in social service will long be remembered as one of the very best if not the best Commencement address ever delivered at Goshen College.

President Grose spoke first of the importance of education in our national life. It is the most pressing question before the people of this country. The industries, professions and in fact all vocations are demanding greater efficiency. The only method by which a man may increase his efficiency, his powers of production, and prepare himself to do his work in the world is through our schools. That schools are preparing young men and women for the world's work is evidenced by the constantly increasing numbers who are turning their faces to the doors of our colleges, technical schools and universities. Millions of dollars are invested in the cause of education because men feel that it pays.

But our schools are not established primarily to forward material prosperity. One of their chief aims is to assist in completing and perfecting the personality of men and women. Industrial or professional efficiency must be supplemented by personal integrity—character. Education broadens a man's interests so that he becomes a more useful citizen to his community. It makes men and women master servants in the fields of the world's greatest achievements. The speaker said he had nothing but contempt for the education that trains the head and hand but not the heart. In his judgment, true education trains the mind to think keenly, the hand to act skillfully, the heart to feel sympathetically. In conclusion he said that if our schools do not send out men and women who are willing to serve as our Master, the Christ, served they are a failure and have not served the true purpose of education.

At the close of the address President John Ellsworth Hartzler conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts on seven members of the College graduating class. The remaining three will receive their degrees at the close of the summer term. Following is the class roll:

Nola Banta
Sylvia Lloyd Johnson
Willard Abraham Blosser
Esther Mae Lehman
Cnarles Lewis Shank
John E. Weaver
William Weaver
Martin Clifford Lehman
Samuel Witmer
Ellen Elizabeth Yoder.

The following persons graduated from the Academy:

William Harvey Ebersole
Benjamin Franklin Esch
Charles Owen Hershey
Ada Mae Hoover
Winnie Mae Kline
William Landis
Ida Mae Miller
Ella Kathryn Mullet
Gladys Faye Sheline
Simon Sommer
Robert Montel Stemen
Vinora Pearl Weaver
Henry Wilson
Christopher Jacob Gerber
Ada Roberta Murphy.

The other departments of the College have the following graduates:

Music.

Amos S. Ebersole

Bible.

Jacob B. Brunk

Business

Madge Baker
Laura E. Pippinger
Irvin G. Bauman.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON

ON Sunday evening June 7 President John Ellsworth Hartzler delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class. It was an able discourse on the theme, "The Unsolved Riddle," based on the scripture text, "What is Your Life?" taken from James 4:14. He said in part:

Life is a complicated and very perplexing problem. Many answers to the question have been given. One class of thinkers attempt no answer. Their only advice is live honestly, soberly and be kind. So says Confucianism. Another class says life is essentially evil; there is no good in it. This is Buddhism. Another says better be dead; that ends all. Eat, drink and be merry for tomorrow you die and you will be dead a long time. So says the Epicurean. Another says life is hard; man's lot is emptiness; all your efforts toward progress and betterment only mock you; yet let us be men. So says the Stoic. Another says life is bad; it is full of sorrows; every day is a day of regret; it is not worth the living; men are not to be trusted; all is going to the bad. So says the pessimist. Another says life is good; it is worth the living; life is a time of smiles; the earth, the birds, the flowers, the streams, the clouds, the rainbow, and the music are inestimably valuable; life is too short to know them fully; life is a real pleasure; truth and right will one day prevail. So says the optimist. But one more answers: "This is life eternal that they might know thee the only true God and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent." Life consists in a knowledge of the great Parent, the Everlasting Father and Jesus Christ, His Son. So says the man of Galilee. And this is the best solution to our riddle. But who will explain this fully? The answer will be found in terms spiritual and the human mind is not able to fully comprehend it.

In the solution of the problem three primary considerations must be noted:

First. Life in terms of intellect—brain. Adjustment to the truth. The mind dare not be allowed to wander at large with no direction or discipline. To neglect the mind is equally sinful with the neglect of soul Men are responsible to God for their intellectual possibilities. Science was once accused of clipping the wings of faith, but such accusation cannot be brought today. Science now supports faith. The two walk hand in hand. Intelligence is a birthright; hence obligatory. The mind has no boundary lines except the cradle and the grave. The entire field is yours. The college is an alarm clock which awakens personality. Life is the great educator, but men must first be awakened.

Second. Life in terms of religion—heart. Adjustment to the divine. Religion is natural to man. No man is non-religious. Religion is an essential part of man. It is not an end, but a means; the spiritual avenue by which we pass from one spiritual condition to another. Religion is a method, through it the soul finds its unfolding. Christianity is the best possible religion. "Ye must be born again," is the divine method of adjustment.

Third. Life in terms of service—hand. Adjustment to man. The value of life is in its fittness to serve. The measure of a life is in what it has done. The serviceable life is a creator of sentiment in questions moral, industrial, social and religious. Every community needs a reconstruction in moral ideals, industrial conditions, social functions, and religious ideas. As a graduating class you are leaving this institution to go out into the world as servants.

THE GRADUATING CLASSES

THE Academy senior class program was given on Thursday afternoon of Commencement Week at two-thirty o'clock to a large and appreciative audience. Practically every member of the class performed a part of the program. The program was full of varied interest and substantial value which reflects favorably upon the personnel of the class.

About half of the graduates in the class expect to enter the freshman class of Goshen College this fall. Some will teach but plan to return to Goshen later for college work. Others will begin at once their life work.

The College senior class consisting of ten members rendered its program on Thursday evening at seven o'clock on the Campus and at eight o'clock in the Assembly Hall. Both programs were largely attended and appreciatively received. The planting of the class ivy and the em-

blem oration have come to be permanent features of commencement week and add much to the beauty and the significance of the final exercises of an outgoing class. The numbers given in the Assembly Hall were also of uniformly high order. It is a fine opportunity for graduates to do their best public work just before saying good bye to college and college friends. The class of this year suceeded in doing this in a most credible manner.

ALUMNI DAY

Business Meetings.

ON account of the change in the order of the meetings on Alumni Day the Board of Directors met on Wednesday afternoon to transact the business of the Association and make nominations for officers and members of the Board of Directors. At the Alumni Luncheon in the evening the Association endorsed the transactions of the Board and elected the nominees as officers and members of the Board.

Several matters of business came up for consideration. The raising of an endowment fund by the Alumni was presented to the Association a year ago and received favorable consideration. Final action, however, was postponed until this year. The Board and the Association unanimously endorsed the project and the executive committee was authorized to formulate plans for the raising of an endowment fund.

The following persons were elected to serve on the Board of Directors for the next three years: J. M. Kurtz, F. S. Ebersole, J. E. Weaver and Samuel Witmer. Mr. Witmer represents the Senior Class.

The officers for the coming year are: President J. M. Kurtz; 1st Vice President, Samuel Burkhard; 2nd Vice President, Ben Esch; Recording Secretary, Miss AnnaYoder; Corresponding Secretary Miss Vinora Weaver; Treasure, John E. Weaver. The executive committee is composed of J. M. Kurtz, Samuel Burkhard, F. S. Ebersole, J. E. Weaver and Miss Anna Yoder. H. F. Reist and I. R. Detweiler were re-elected to represent the Alumni Association on the Mennonite Board of Education.

Twenty-two new members were received into the association who subscribed $500 to the Alumni Endowment Fund.

Alumni Address

At 7:30 P. M., M. C. Lehman of Dhamtari, India delivered the annual address to the alumni on the subject "The Measure of a Leader". It was an able discourse of which the following is a brief summary:

Society in all its stages of development and in all kinds of organizations depends on the leadership of a few individuals for direction of its normal activities. All movements for betterment of the race are characterized by such leadership. This leadership which has been of real value is characterized by the following qualities:

Vision. Blindness disqualifies. He who cannot see the way cannot show it. Our great leaders have been men who have had visions of things which the stolid present day man could not realize.

Decision. Occasionally the different forces that go to make up a career are all crystalized into a few moments demanding the powers of the individual to face issues of supreme importance. Indecision is fatal to leadership. To stand trembling on the brink is to lose the golden moment in which a cause might be won.

Knowledge. Superficiality is the foe of all true helpfulness. The smatterer is the scatterer, not the leader.

Sacrifice. Nothing draws like sacrifice. It is better than genius. It is genius of the highest sort.

Self-effacement. The ship is not steered by the upswelling prow and its guilded figure-head, but by the buried and unconsidered rudder.

Loneliness. The man with a great idea must do a lot of standing alone. He finds no man who is like minded. Later he finds helpers and followers.

Leadership of the true sort is bought with a great price but it is a great prize.

Alumni Reunion

At the close of Mr. Lehman's address a large number of Alumni gathered in the dining room of Kulp Hall for their annual luncheon and reunion. After a brief business session the Alumni entered into the spirit of the occasion and with their overflowing good will and enthusiasm made the evening one of the most enjoyable events of the week. The Toastmaster Prof. C. B. Blosser, introduced the speakers in a very delightful manner, and the inspiration and optimism which charac-

terized their remarks created an atmosphere of good cheer among the Alumni and a greater loyalty to their Alma Mater. Those who responded to toasts were W. W. Oesch, J. J. Fisher, A. W. Geigley and Miss Ellen Yoder. The Rambler quartet sang several selections. At the close of the reunion every one joined heartily in the singing of the College Song.

ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND

THE proposition to raise an Alumni Endowment Fund which has been under consideration for several years, is beginning to take on a more definite form.

Since the action of the Board of Directors in June, a large number of alumni have expressed themselves favorable to the movement. The sentiment seems to be quite unanimous in favor of something like the ten year plan which was suggested in a previous issue of the News Letter. This will give every one an opportunity to assist in making the project one of considerable magnitude without working any material hardships on any one. The following extracts from letters and statements from some of the Alumni are representative of the sentiment expressed.

I favor the raising of a substantial endowment fund by the Alumni. It would constitute a practical expression of loyalty to the College in such a way as to partially meet one of its most urgent needs. Some plan looking forward to the raising of such a fund should be adopted by the Association and put into effect soon.

W. W. Oesch.

I believe the idea of an Alumni Endowment Fund should be embodied in a thoroughgoing plan and proposed to be adopted next June and put into execution immediately thereafter.

J. F. Ebersole.

The time is here when the Alumni of Goshen College snould raise an endowment fund as large as possible. I am in favor of starting it now.

S. T. Miller.

Shall we not give to Goshen College what we owe and what she needs by helping in this new movement?

Ben Esch.

As to the movement for an endowment fund I may say that I have always been in favor of some form of endowment and now since the Alumni seem to be unanimous on it we ought to take advantage of the psychological moment and launch a new and larger movement.

S. F. Gingerich.

I think the plan suggested to raise an alumni endowment fund is excellent. The alumni associations of other colleges have successfully executed similar plans. I see no reason why the alumni association of Goshen College can not do the same. I feel sure, considering the kind of men and women that compose the association, that whatever the association determines to do it will also accomplish.

C. Edward Bender.

I am heartily in favor of the movement for an Alumni Endowment Fund. Every worthy cause depends for its success upon the personal sacrifices of its supporters and in this proposed movement I see a splendid opportunity for every Alumnus to express not only in words but in deeds as well his faith in his Alma Mater.

A. J. Steiner

The success of any college, and her place in the world is determined more by the attitude of her Alumni than by any other force. The finances of an educational institution always have been, and always will be, the most vital, and at times, the most embarrassing feature connected with the institution. The financial attitude of the Alumni determines the fate of the College. Should our Alumni Association decide to raise a substantial endowment within the next five or ten years, say nothing of what the administration will be able to raise, then the future of Goshen College is determined. With the present attitude of the Church in general, the financial support which the college is receiving, there is absolutely no reason why Goshen College should not more than double her funds, buildings, equipment and enrollment in another ten years. I do not find words to fully express my appreciation for the co-operation expressed in this movement on the part of the Alumni Association of Goshen College. It bespeaks unmistakably absolute success for the institution.

John Ellsworth Hartzler.

THE NEW SCIENCE BUILDING

ON Friday afternoon of Commencement Week the ground was broken for the new science hall. At the College Luncheon just preceding this event, President Hartzler in giving a description of the building stated that it will be a brick structure one hundred and seventeen feet long by forty-nine feet wide with a fifteen foot extension in the rear. It will have four stories including the ground floor and will accommodate the work in Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Agriculture, Domestic Science and Manual Training.

The building will be thoroughly modern in its architectural designs and equipments. Two rooms for dairying, one for horticulture, and two for manual training together with several store rooms and offices will occupy the ground floor. On the first floor it has been arranged to have a lecture room with a seating capacity of 170, a large biological laboratory, a recitation room, a museum and several offices. The work in domestic science and domestic art will be nicely accomodated in the five rooms on the second floor. Some of these rooms may be used temporarily by the music department on account of the increasing demand for rooms for the students at Kulp Hall. The third floor will have three chemical laboratories, one physical laboratory, a recitation room, a chemical supply room, a balance room, and an office. A green house will be built as an addition to the rear of the building adjoining the horticulture room on the ground floor.

The building will be located east of the present main building. It will be heated from the plant in the main building where another boiler is being added to double the heating capacity. Excavation for the building has already begun. It is not expected however that it will be completed before next June. The plans are to profit by past experiences and take sufficient time to erect a good substantial structure.

FACULTY PERSONALS

During the past year President Hartzler traveled extensively in the interests of the College in Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado and Ontario. He also spent considerable of his time in evangelistic campaigns and delivering Bible lectures which had been arranged for before he became president of the College. His itinerary of eight thousand miles includes forty Bible lecturers at Bellefontaine, West Liberty, Millersburg and Louisville, Ohio, Breslau and Zurich, Ontario, and Pigeon, Michigan; ten lectures on Sunday School work at Sterling and Roanoke, Ill., Bellefontaine and Millersburg, Ohio, and Breslau, Ont.; five evangelistic campaigns at Breslau and Zurich, Ont., North Lima, Millersburg and West Liberty, Ohio; ten general and special lectures on educational and religious subjects at Chicago, Ill., Leetonia, Ohio, and other places already mentioned; inaugural address at the inaugural exercises at Goshen College; Baccalaureate sermon at Goshen College; two Baccalaureate sermons at the High Schools of Shipshewana, Ind., and King's Creek, O.; three series of lectures during the Short Bible Term at Goshen College; attended and took active part in the proceedings of the Mennonite General Conference at Kalona, Ia., and the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Berlin, Ont.; visited the Universities of Indiana, Illinois, Chicago, Purdue and Wooster in connection with the erection of the new science building.

During the college year Dean Whitmer addressed the Elkhart County Sunday School Convention, conducted a Bible Conference at Normal, Ill., was a delegate to the Student Volunteer Convention at Kansas City, addressed the La Grange County Indiana Teacher's Association, reported the Kansas City Convention at a union meeting of Goshen churches, addressed the Young Peoples' Christian Organizations of Goshen, spoke twice before the Men's Supper Club of Goshen, was a judge of the Notre Dame-Wabash intercollegiate debate, gave two religious addresses at the First Reformed Church of South Bend, gave three addresses at the Illinois Mennonite Sunday School Conference, delivered the high school commencement addresses at Stroh and Wolcottville, Indiana besides preaching and speaking frequently at the College and the Mennonite Churches in and near Goshen.

Miss Frances Ebersole is spending the summer at her home at Freeport, Ill. She is planning to study at the University of Chicago next year. Miss Ebersole has made many warm friends at the College both in and out of the class room and she

has their best wishes in her future work. She is still retained by the College as an instructor in correspondence work in English

Professors Lehman, Zook and Detweiler are studying at the University of Chicago.

Professors Whitmer, Gerig, Kurtz, Winter assisted by A. J. Miller, Jesse Stutzman, J. E. Weaver, Orie Miller, Mrs. C. L. Coffeen, Miss Anna Christophel, Walter Yoder and Miss Meta Martin constitute the Summer School faculty.

Professor Blosser is spending the summer on the farm demonstrating in a practical way the advantages of scientific agriculture.

Professor Ebersole is studying in the New York School of Music and Arts. He has been promoted from the position of Instructor in Music to that of Associate Director of Music at Goshen College.

Miss Sylvia Bontrager is spending the summer at her home at Sturgis, Mich. She will continue her studies in music next year at the Boston Conservatory of Music. She has proven herself a very able instructor in her department.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'01—C. E. Bender is conducting a normal school at Oakland, Md. this summer.

'02—Dr. S. F. Gingerich has been promoted from the position of Instructor to that of Assistant Professor of English at Michigan University with a considerable increase in salary. He has received furthur recognition in having been selected to give Saturday Extension Courses in Detroit under the auspices of the University in addition to his regular work.

'02—Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Yoder of Peru, Ill., visited with their friends in Goshen on June 14 and 15. They were on their way to Ohio to attend the wedding of Mr. Yoder's brother at Rawson and a family reunion at Wooster. Dr. Yoder has a very extensive medical practice.

'02-'03—The death of Margaret, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook, 807 N. Howard St., Akron, O., is sad news for the Alumni. While visiting with her grandparents at Sterling, O., an infection of the throat developed into diphtheria. After an illness of four days she died on June 14 and was buried on the same day near Sterling. Her age was 3 years 9 months and 16 days.

'05—Miss Mary Yoder has completed her library course at Western Reserve University and is a member of the library staff in the public library at Dayton, Ohio.

'07—Austin Landis is working in the offices of the Cadillac Automobile Co., Detroit, Mich.

'07—On June 14 Miss Martha Christophel of Nappanee, Ind., and Rev. David Beard of Chicago were married at the home of Miss Christophel's parents.

'08—Dr. H. B. Weiler completed the three years course in the Dental School of Northwestern University. He will locate in Elkhart, Ind., for dental practice.

'08—A. J. Regier is studying at the University of Chicago. He will continue his work next year as principal of the preparatory school at Mountain Lake, Minn.

'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Smoker, Ishpeming, Mich., a daughter.

'09, '09—Miss Lesse Blosser of Rawson, Ohio and Mr. Joseph D. Yoder of Philadelphia, Pa., were married on June 16 at the home of Timothy Blosser, Rawson, Ohio, brother of the bride. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Yoder spent a few days at Cedar Point on Lake Erie. Mr. Yoder will continue his work as chemist for the Harrison Safety Boiler Co., in Philadelphia.

'10—W. W. Oesch has been elected Principal of the High School at Bristol, Ind.

'10—Miss Ella De Camp will be instructor in piano at Goshen College next year. She is very kindly remembered on account of her satisfactory work in this department several years ago.

'10—Ira Yoder has completed the four year course in horticulture at Cornell University and has taken up horticultural work in the O. C. Barber greenhouses at Barberton, O.

'10—J. C. Brunk has been re-elected supervisor of music in the public schools of Effingham, Kan.

'10—Miss Florence Cooprider completed the four year course in the medical department of the University of Illinois, formerly the College of Physicians and Surgeons. She will spend the coming year as an intern in a woman's hospital in Philadelphia.

'11—A. J. Miller who did graduate work at Columbia University the past year has been engaged as head of the department

of Education at the University of Wooster, Ohio. He takes the place of the present incumbent during the latter's leave of absence.

'11—Samuel Burkhard is doing work in industrial and vocational education at Columbia University. He will continue his teaching in Cleveland, Ohio.

'11—Jesse Stutzman is instructor in Agriculture and Biology at Goshen College during the summer term.

'11—Miss Edna Metzler will return to Doylestown, O., as principal of the high school after a very enjoyable summer's vacation.

'11—Miss Meta Martin is instructor in Art at Goshen College during the summer term.

'11—S. E. Weaver has been re-elected Superintendent of schools at Shipshewana, Ind.

'12—D. A. Driver has been elected Superintendent of schools at Bristol, Ind.

'12—Miss Clara De Camp is studying Music and Art in Chicago during the summer.

'12—Miss Fannie Rupp will either teach English in the high school at Archbold, O. or do graduate work at Columbia University. The position at Archbold is held open for her at present.

'12—Miss Alta Eby will continue her work at Heston Academy.

'13, '05—On June 4 Mr. Amos W. Geigley of East Earl, Pa. and Miss Ella Musselman of Intercourse, Pa. were married at the home of Miss Musselman's parents. After the wedding they spent a week at Goshen attending the commencement exercises. Mr. Geigley will continue his evangelistic work.

'13 '09—On May 10 Mr. Curtis Zeigler of Goshen, Ind., and Miss Mary Fisher of Kalona, Iowa, were married at the home of Miss Fisher's father. They will reside near Goshen, Ind., where Mr. Zeigler will be engaged in high school work.

'13—R. R. Detweiler is doing graduate work in English at Ohio State University.

'13—Walter Yoder has charge of the music work at Goshen College during the summer term.

'14-'13—Mr. Charles Shank and Miss Crissie Yoder were married on July 4 at the home of the bride's parents, Creston, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Shank have been appointed by the Mennonite Board of Missions to do missionary work in India. They expect to leave for India some time in October.

'14—M. C. Lehman is spending his summer vacation in the interests of the India Mission He will return to Goshen this fall for a year of graduate study.

'14—S. L. Johnson will study medicine at Johns Hopkins University next year. Johns Hopkins has the distinction of having the leading medical school in America. It requires four years of college work with an A. B. degree for entrance and limits the first year class to ninety students. Mr. Johnson has been admitted without conditions.

'14—John E. Weaver will continue his work as Instructor in Shorthand at Goshen College. His work in this department during the past three years has been very satisfactory.

'14—William B. Weaver has been elected Instructor in History at Goshen College. Mr. Weaver completed his undergraduate studies at Goshen at the close of the winter term and immediately entered Indiana University to do graduate work in History during the spring and summer terms.

'14—Miss Ellen Yoder has been elected instructor in the high school at Belle Center, O.

'14—Samuel Witmer and Willard Blosser will do graduate study at one of the larger Universities next year. Mr. Witmer will specialize in Biology.

'14—Miss Esther Lehman has been elected assistant principal of the high school and instructor in Latin and English at Bristol, Ind.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE school year which has just closed has been very satisfactory. The friendly attitude of the constituency together with the hearty co-operation of faculty and student body has created a most wholesome sentiment both in and out of the College which will mean much for its future success. President Hartzler has done much to bring about a better understanding between the College and its constituency and in his travels has found a very liberal response to assist in supplying the material needs of the institution. Dean Whitmer's cordial

relations with the student body has given him a splendid opportunity to secure their hearty co-operation in maintaining high standards of scholarship and a wholesome atmosphere in the religious and social life of the College. The outlook for next year is very encouraging in every way.

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Perhaps few outside of those directly connected with the management of the College have a clear notion of what expansion, the erection of a new science building means to the work of the College. The new building will more than double the facilities of the College. This new building means the introduction of two new departments into the work of the college at once—Agriculture and Domestic Science. The two departments will each ouer two full years' work of a strictly specialized nature. With the foundation work in science and the cultural subjects that the College already offers we shall soon be able to offer four year's work in Agriculture and also four years work in Domestic Science. Some work will also be done in Manual Training but this will, for the present, be limited to the work required for the proper training of public school teachers.

In addition to the faculty that the College now has there are in training six young men and women. Two of these are to replace two vacancies that are now temporarily filed and the other four are preparing themselves for work that is not offered at the present time. By present indications the English department must soon give its freshman work in two divisions. This will require an additional teacher. The Music School also must have an additional instructor in the very near future. There is every indication that the college will in the next two or three years have a most phenomenal growth. It is already clear that next year will again be a record year for attendance. This is especially true of the college department. A preliminary canvass indicates a substantial increase in each college class.

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All the literary societies held reunions on Wednesday afternoon of Commencement Week. These reunions have come to be regular features of Commencement time. They were enthusiastic and largely attended gatherings. The young women took steps at the reunions of the Alethea, Avon and Vesperian societies to reorganize on the same basis that the young men adopted earlier in the year when the Aurora and Adelphian societies became college instead of academy societies. With the beginning of the fall term the Avon and Vesperian societies will be composed of college students only. This insures the preservation of the memorials, gifts and traditions of these organizations. The young women in the academy will then organize one literary society for all the young women. When this organization has been completed the college will have six literary societies—four for college students and two for academy students. All former students welcome these changes for it means that in after years when they return for commencement they can attend the reunion of their own societies in charge of the maturer students of the college.

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The Summer School now in session is the largest and in many respects the best that Goshen College has yet had. The enrollment at this time is one hundred and sixty-five. This compared with previous years represents an encouraging increase. The attendance for the last five summers was as follows: 92, 101, 130, 147, 165. It is believed that the attendance would have been even much larger this summer were it not for the fact that our Summer School opened from a week to two weeks before the Goshen, Elkhart, South Bend, and Kendalville schools closed. This was not discovered until our catalog was in print announcing our Summer School for next year to begin May 31. It has been decided that the Summer School next year will open one week later, June 6.

This summer we offered more advanced college courses than we did previous summers. The experiment has proved a success. The plans for next summer include a further expansion of college, normal and academy work. Special work for primary and lower grade teachers would be especially popular and may become a regular feature of our Summer School work after this year. The work in Agriculture, Domestic Science and Public School Drawing is greatly appreciated by the students this summer.

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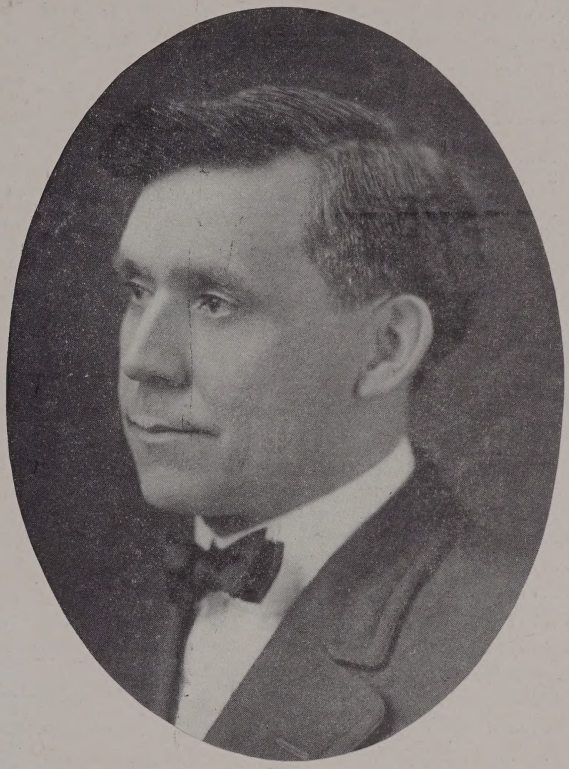

PAUL EMMONS WHITMER

PAUL EMMONS WHITMER, Dean and Professor of English at Goshen College, did his undergraduate work at Goshen and Oberlin Colleges, receiving his A. B. degree from the latter institution. He continued his studies in the Oberlin Seminary where he received the D. B. degree in June of 1908. Later he did graduate work in English at the Universities of Chicago and Michigan. Since 1908 he has been a member of the faculty of Goshen College, holding successively the chairs of Bible and English. In 1913 he was elected Dean of Goshen College, a position for which he has proven himself eminently qualified in personality as well as in training.

In his work as student and teacher Dean Whitmer has always maintained a high standard of scholarship. His comprehensive mental grasp, together with his positive and aggressive disposition, tempered with a deliberative turn of mind, are the essential qualifications for the position which he now holds. In the institutions where he received his training he repeatedly demonstrated his abilities of leadership by being elected to positions of honor and trust. His specialized training in his particular fields of educational work, in addition to his past experience in dealing with student problems, admirably qualifies him for the duties of student advisor and disciplinarian. His work at Goshen College, which has been years of faithful service, has won for him the respect and confidence of faculty, students and alumni, as well as of that larger body of friends of the college who are hoping and praying for its continued success. His strong Christian character and loyal devotion to the purposes of the early founders of the college has been an inspiration to a large number of students and has done much to permeate the institution with a wholesome religious life.

TREASURER'S REPORT

From July 1, 1913, to October 1, 1914.

Receipts

Cash balance	$51.05
Interest on loans	18.00
Fees, dues, etc	13.75
Alumni reunion, 1912	38.03
Payment on loan	46.50
Cora Shantz	5.50
Mrs. O. M. Johns	.25
Henry Burkhard	.25
George Phillips	.75
Mrs. D. S. Gerig	.25
Charles Shank	.25
D. A. Driver	.75
Mrs. J. E. Weaver	.25
P. E. Whitmer	.25
Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler	.50
Ruth Blosser	.25
Minnie Yoder	.25
Frances Ebersole	.25
Sylvia Bontrager	.25
Ernest Smoker	.25
Menno Landis	.25
Jacob Rupp	.25
Roy Smoker	.25
F. S. Ebersole	.25
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brunk	.50
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz	.50
Anna Yoder	2.75
Ruth Vance	.25
L. J. Wenger	1.00
Silas Hertzler	.25
C. E. Bender	2.75
H. G. Good	2.75
Chas. Bo[illegible]aine	.25
Mrs. N. E. Eyers	6.25
Ida Eby	.25
Interest on $300.00 for one year	18.00
Reunion Fees	28.75
Total	$242.83

Disbursements

October News Letter	$16.00
January News Letter	9.50
Stationery and Postage	1.87
Reunion Expenses	40.03
Ledger Blanks	3.50
Rambler Quartette	2.40
[illegible] News Letter	9.50
J[illegible] News Letter	18.45
Total	$101.25
Cash Balance	$141.58

PRELIMINARY COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

PLANS are already being made to close the school year with a strong commencement program. The twentieth anniversary of the founding of the college at Elkhart will be observed with appropriate exercises. The erection of the new science building, together with the addition of the department of Agriculture to the regular college curriculum will be the occasion for a special program. Prominent men from other institutions who have distinguished themselves in their own fields of science and agriculture will be secured for these addresses. All the regular programs will be unusually strong.

June has always been a busy month for many of our Alumni, so that it was practically impossible for some to attend the commencement exercises. This year commencement week comes two weeks earlier than usual, May 23—28. This will make it possible for the large attendance of last year to be still further increased when the Alumni meet for their annual reunion during commencement week.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND

AT the annual meeting of the Alumni Association last June the Executive Committee was instructed to take steps looking forward to the raising of an endowment fund. The committee after considering the project appointed a special committee to formulate definite plans and methods of procedure. This committee consists of the President of the Association, Mr. Kurtz, Prof. J. F. Ebersole, Mr. J. W. Shank and President J. E. Hartzler of Goshen College.

In working out the plans the committee will give special considerations to the best methods for the Alumni to assist in the raising of an endowment fund so that no one will need to suffer any material hardships and still do something to indicate his faith and loyalty to his Alma Mater. The present indications are that the Alumni are quite unanimous in the feeling that the time has come for them to do something for the college in a financial way.

In addition to devising ways and means for the raising of the endowment fund

it will also be necessary for this committee to formulate plans for the investment of the funds as they accumulate from the time the first payments are made by the Alumni until the full amount is given over to the College. The income from the investments will help to increase the total fund and for that reason the investments should be made with great care.

The committee will be glad for suggestions from the Alumni. After the plans have been formulated they may be printed in the News Letter or presented at the next annual meeting for adoption. It is very desirable, however, that the suggestions should be made soon so that they may be included in the first draft of the plans as they are outlined.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'01—On Oct. 10, Mr. John L. Steiner and Miss Geneva S. Schlosser were married at Leipsic, Ohio. They will be at home after Nov. 1 at Rawson, Ohio.

'05—Miss Amanda Ebersole is teaching Domestic Science in the school conducted by the Y. W. C. A. in Akron, Ohio.

'06—Jesse L. Brenneman has been elected Professor of Physics and Electrical Engineering in the University of New Mexico.

'06—John I. Byler is Superintendent of the Mennonite Mission at Youngstown, O.

'07—Dr. Homer B. Reed has been elected to the position of Instructor of Psychology and Philosophy at Illinois University. After receiving his Ph. D. degree from the University of Chicago, Dr. Reed spent last year in further graduate study at Columbia University.

'08 '10—Born to Mr and Mrs. P. A. Hauder, Garden City Mo., a daughter.

'08—On August 25th, Mr. Aaron J. Regier and Miss Susan Bargen were married at the home of Miss Bargen's parents Mountain Lake, Minn. They will reside in Mountain Lake, Minn. where Mr. Regier is principal of a preparatory school.

'09—Miss Frances Ebersole has entered Indiana University to do special work in English.

'10—Levi S. Miller is spending the winter at Las Cruces, New Mexico.

'10—J. W. Shank is superintendent of schools at La Junta, Col. Mr. Shank was re-elected because of his splendid work there last year.

'10 '12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, Ishpeming, Mich., a son.

'10—The friends of Harvey L. Stump will be glad to know that his health has improved considerably since he left Kansas for New Mexico nearly a year ago. His present address is 1115 S. High St., Albuquerque, N. M.

'10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Yoder, New Paris, Ind., a daughter.

'10—S. A. Zook is superintendent of schools at Bartlesville, Oklahoma. He has an enrollment of 157 in the High School.

'11—Miss Margaret Detweiler has entered the University of Chicago with the view of completing the four year course in Domestic Science.

'12—Miss Clara De Camp is supervisor of Music and Art in the city schools at Astoria, Oregon.

'12—Charles E. Reed is Principal of the high school at Mt. Erie, Ill.

'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. S. Summer, Metamora, Ill., a daughter.

'13—On Sept. 9, Mr. Albert H. Brechbill and Miss Cora B. Miller were married at the home of the bride's parents at Garret, Ind. They now reside at Topeka, Ind., where Mr. Brechbill is assistant principal of the high school and instructor in mathematics and science.

'13—On July 6, Miss Nora Colburn, who taught in the government schools of Porto Rico last year, and Mr. Frederick W. Budd of New York City, were married at Camny, Porto Rico. They are at home now in Lexington Ky., where Mr. Budd is employed as an electrician.

'13—John J. Fisher entered the graduate department of the University of Pennsylvania. His address is 3339 Woodland Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

'13 '12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Haarer, Midland, Mich., a daughter.

'13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller Yoder, Mc Bride, Mich., a daughter.

'13—Curtis C. Ziegler is superintendent of schools at New Paris, Ind.

'14—Willard Blosser is engaged in real estate business in Chicago. He is also devoting some time to the study of the legal phases of his business at the Northwestern University Law School.

'14—Samuel Witmer has entered the University of Wisconsin to do graduate

study in Biology. His address is 1030 N. Mills St., Madison, Wis.

'14 '13—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Shank, who had expected to sail for India early in October, have had the time for their departure postponed indefinitely on account of the war in Europe.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE Fall Term opened September 9 with an initial enrollment of 195. The enrollment at the close of the third week for the past three years was as follows:

	1912	1913	1914
Graduate Students			2
College	60	62	79
Academy	59	65	73
Normal	2	8	14
Bible	5	15	9
Music	15	15	18
Business	18	10	17
Total	159	175	212

The present enrollment is 218. The growth in attendance is due to a general increase representing every section from which the College draws students. The Goshen High School class of 1914 is represented by 14. A large number of the freshmen are graduates from high schools in the several states from Virginia in the east to Colorado in the west. Ohio, next to Indiana, furnishes the largest number of students. Good feeling and enthusiastic confidence is expressed by both students and faculty.

The teams for the interclass debates have been selected and are hard at work on their questions. The senior team is composed of Lester Hostetler, Bert Smith, Clifford Brunk and J. R. Allgyer as alternate. The juniors have selected A. F. Holdeman, Elmer Lehman, S. E. Yoder and Henry Burkhard as alternate. They will debate: "Resolved, that the U. S. government should subsidize its merchant marine." The sophomore team consists of J. C. Myers, A. D. Hartzler, John Warye and W. N. Baer as alternate. The freshmen are represented by Jesse Smucker, Orie Gerig, W. H. Ebersole and Harold Bender as alternate. They will discuss: "Resolved, that the Philippines should be granted autonomy by 1920." The freshman-sophomore debate will occur on the evening of Nov. 20. The junior-senior debate will be held on the evening of Dec. 4. The prospects for strong intercollegiate teams this year is unusually good.

With the beginning of this college year Goshen College is offering some graduate work for the first time. Mr. M. C. Lehman, who took his A. B. degree in June is a candidate for the A. M. degree. His Major is Philosophy and his minors Education and Bible.

The Board at its recent meeting authorized the college to grant the A. M. degree in such departments as are sufficiently well equipped to offer one year of graduate work. It is not the intention to offer graduate work in more than a few departments that are best equipped for this work. Miss Anna Yoder of the Class of 1912 is doing some advance work in German. She, however, is not a candidate for a degree.

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The Board of Education held its annual session at the College Oct. 13 and 14. It was a most satisfactory meeting. The Board took definite steps to assume more responsibility for the work of the College and to support more directly the faculty and local management in their efforts to build up a strong Christian College. In connection with the Board meeting an educational conference was held. The following program was given:

Tuesday Evening—Agriculture and Rural Evangelism, J. K. Bixler; Value of Agriculture in Elementary Schools, S. S. Yoder; The Farmer's Problems in the Soil, Anson Groh.

Wednesday Forenoon—The Call of the Country Church, John Blosser; What Educational Policies should this Board Adopt? J. S. Shoemaker; The Bible in the College, S. F. Coffman.

Wednesday Afternoon—John S. Coffman as an Educator, J. S. Hartzler; Missionary Education, D. H. Bender; What are the Educational Demands of the Church? Daniel Kauffman, Drive to College Farm.

Wednesday Evening.—Feeding and Breeding Dairy Cattle, Prof. C. L. Coffeen; Science as a Handmaid to Agriculture, Prof. C. B. Blosser.

The conference was so successful and so largely attended that it will probably become a permanent feature of our annual board meeting.

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THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT

FOR several years the alumni association has been considering the advisability, appropriateness and possibility of raising $50,000.00 as an endowment fund for some particular chair or department of Goshen College. The association deserves congratulations for even considering this question in this stage of its experience. It is an indication of what is soon to come to pass. Goshen College has planted its roots more deeply into our generation than we are aware. Slowly, quietly, yet most certainly, the institution has made its way into the hearts of thousands to an extent that it has become immortal.

But the time has come when the association expects to act. We have been on the bleachers for a number of years. It is time to "get into the game." Few colleges, if any, are self-supporting. Tuition does not pay salaries. No student pays full money value for his or her education; and no institution can do its best when its only source of income is from the small sums paid in tuition by the student body. State Universities draw their support from the Legislature and the taxpayers of the State pay it. This the denominational college can not do. We must have an endowment fund of several hundred thousand dollars to do what the State Institutions accomplish through the Legislature.

To become a standard college in the State of Indiana, Goshen College must meet three conditions:

(1) We must have at least five qualified teachers "devoting their time exclusively to college work." This condition we have met.

(2) "The library must contain at least 5,000 volumes exclusive of public documents. It must be a growing library * * The library room must not be used for a recitation room." This condition we have met.

(3) In the way of finances "There must be an endowment of not less than $200,000.00.." Or in lieu of such endowment there must be an annual income, exclusive of tuition of $10,000.00. This condition we have not met.

Since Goshen College has made its way to the front in every way except endowment, and since it is possible to bring it to the front in this respect also, are we not doing the institution an injustice when we neglect that which is possible and needful?

With $200,000.00 endowment invested at 5 per cent the institution would realize an income annually of 10,000.00. With such an income Goshen College could greatly increase her present out-put and meet all other obligations. The facts in the case are that Goshen College must complete such an endowment and that right soon. We may be denied our "wants" without any serious injury, but we can not be denied our "needs" without great loss. The main support of all denominational institutions is the Alumni Association. Goshen College is no exception to this rule.

The benefit of such an endowment is evident. 1. The college could then meet the pressing demands for new departments, also new and more advanced courses, Agriculture must be added. Domestic Science must be added. Manual training must be added. This year we confer the first Master of Arts degree. A graduate department is pressing in upon us. We must meet it.

2. The college could pay salaries which would encourage and justify original investigation and research by the faculty. This is an age of progress, invention and discovery. A year or two away from study places a man in the rear. Goshen College can ill afford to tie the hands of its faculty by small salaries. Every member of the faculty of Goshen College is well able to make their way to the front ranks of scholarship and service provided we do not hinder them financially. The life and success of any educational institution is in a body of qualified men who will give their lives to it. With an endowment which will bring us a substan-

tial income annually this problem will be solved.

3. The college would receive recognition as a standard College. This would be a great mile-stone in the history, experience and influence of the institution. Goshen College can not fill its place as it should in the educational work of the church, the state and the age in which we live until said endowment becomes a reality. When the $200,000.00 has been reached we can then come to the front and take our place without apology in the Kingdom of Christ and serve our day and generation as an insitution of this kind only can. Not one member of the Alumni Association need because of old age go down to their grave without seeing all this as a reality if we are determined to do it. Only a few years of concentrated effort in this direction will do the work.

4. The college would become an everlasting benediction upon coming generations. As an association we are indebted to three generations: to the past, the present and the future. To the past, to remain loyal to the high and noble ideals of our predecessors. To the present to serve it to our utmost capacity. To the future to hand over to it an educational estate which will be worthy of the name of A Standard College during the years of progress and advancement of which the future is pregnant. There is no greater heritage we can leave to our children than a well endowed institution which stands for the principles and ideals for which Goshen College stands. To pay our debt to the future we can do no better than hand over to the rising generation an institution of lofty ideals, one of high and unsurpassed educational standards, one which stands for and aims at the development of real men and real women, men and women of character and of strength, men and women who are brave and who will face the problems of the age and deal with them victoriously. This is real and permanent service.

The $50,000.00 by the alumni association may seem like a small amount, but for the coming ten years is large enough. It is large enough to insure the completetion of the $200,000.00 fund. **We can do it. Will we arise to the task with its manliness, its magnificence, its dignity, its glory and its honor?**

John Ellsworth Hartzler.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS AND SCIENCES IN A LIBERAL ARTS COLLEGE

THE present tendency in the field of education is toward making the work of the college more comprehensive. There are social needs which the college must endeavor to meet more adequately than it has in the past if it is to retain its place as an efficient servant of society. In order that the college may be efficient, it must promote general intelligence concerning the various fields of human activity so that there may be wise co-operation in seeking the general welfare, and in addition to this it must give technical and professional efficiency whereby one may be able to do a high standard of work in his chosen field.

In view of the above statements, I wish to show as adequately as space will permit that the industrial arts and sciences have a valid claim for recognition on an equal basis with the other subjects of the curriculum generally classed as cultural subjects, and that the college that wishes to be a larger factor in social advancement should include these in its curriculum.

There has been and is yet considerable objection on the part of educators to admitting courses in the industrial arts and sciences into the curriculum of the liberal arts college, and giving an equal amount of credit for work done in them. The chief objection to their admission is that they are regarded as bringing a non-cultural element into the atmosphere of the college enjoying the idealism that is fostered by means of the liberal arts curriculum. We may not all agree as to what constitutes real culture, but whatever it is, we have come to think of a literary course as being the dispenser of it. The literary subjects when properly taught, offer various angles of approach to an understanding of life as it was in the past and is at present. As such, they offer cultural values of the highest type. But it is possible to acquire the technique of languages, mathematics, sciences, etc., and still not arrive at any greater appreciation of life because of them. The cultural subjects are worthy of the high place that has been accorded them only in so far as they become the mediums of contact with the common and universal interests of mankind and succeed in

establishing sympathetic attitudes toward these interests. If the industrial arts and sciences can succeed in doing this they are as deserving of a high place as any other subject.

The objection to the industrial arts and sciences on the basis of their non-cultural value is justifiable because much of the work done in these subjects has been true to the term "manual training." It is proper that one acquire manual dexterity in manipulating raw materials if he would master his chosen trade or vocation, and much that has passed under the subject of "manual training" was given with the view of giving technical efficiency. There is no doubt but that there is a certain amount of culture to be derived from the ability to work with raw materials and see them under your own touch grow into concrete forms of usefulness and beauty; but if the largest cultural value is to be derived from industrial subjects, the work done in the school laboratory must furnish an avenue of approach to a different phase of the same life out of which history, sociology, literature, fine art, etc., have grown. It is in the field of making the industrial courses more than merely technical that much remains to be done to bring them to their full possibilities in giving cultural values. To have the shop or laboratory become an end in itself is to follow the line of least resistance, but if the work is to be vitalized it must be made to reach out into fields of interest and create a sympathetic attitude toward certain social activities which are not so easily reached by means of other subject matter. The industrial arts and sciences have a thought content of their own which is of as high an order as that contained in any other subject and so present a valid claim for equal recognition with the other cultural subjects.

It is impossible in this short space to go into great detail concerning cultural values. It yet remains to suggest briefly what an enriched curriculum will do in the way of social advancement. In the college where a larger number of subjects are given it must result in broadening the sympathies of the students, and at the same time provide more adequately for a larger variety of vocational and professional interests. The farmer will be more than a farmer. He will be able to be sympathetic with the feelings and appreciations of others whose professional interests are unlike his own. In the same way the professional man will be given an opportunity to appreciate life interests that lie outside his own field of activity. All these things mean that the enriched curriculum of the college will make it easier for men to co-operate in the different fields of social activity and thus promote more rapidly the general welfare.

Samuel Burkhard, '11.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dedication of Science Building

The leading event of commencement week will be the dedication of the new science building on Thursday afternoon, May 27. Dr. Eugene Davenport, Dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois will deliver the chief address on this occasion. Dr. Davenport is one of the leaders of thought in the science of Agriculture in this country and the college is very fortunate in securing his services.

Commencement Address

Dr. Dan F. Bradley, Pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church of Cleveland, Ohio will deliver the commencement address on May 28. Dr. Bradley was formerly President of Grinnell College and has for a long time been prominently connected with Oberlin College. He is well known as a great educator and preacher.

Committee on Appointments

Some months ago the college organized a Committee on Appointments to cooperate with its students and graduates in securing teaching positions. This committee has been so successful in its efforts that it wishes to exend its services to all the alumni and former students as well as to the outgoing classes. During the last year the committee has placed superintendants of schools, principals of high schools, instructors and grade teachers in good positions. You can help us in two ways: By reporting to us when you are available for a position, stating your teaching experience, salary and the kind of position for which you are looking and also by reporting all vacancies in which our alumni might be interested. Help us to make Goshen College continuously helpful to all its alumni and former students. Our services are free. Address all communications to Dean Paul E. Whitmer.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Miller, Chicago, Ill, a daughter.

'06—On Dec. 24, Dr. Peter D. Summer and Miss Lulu Garber were married at the home of Pres. John Ellsworth Hartzler. They are at home now at 317 N. Mason Ave., Chicago, Ill., where Dr. Summer is engaged in the dental profession.

'07—Prof. J. Frank Ebersole, assistant professor of Economics at the University of Minnesota, was elected Secretary-Treasurer and a member of the Executive Committee of the Minnesota Academy of Social Sciences at the annual meeting of the association in December.

'12—On Nov. 26, Mr. Harmon R. Rupp and Miss Lavina Geiger were married at Bluffton, Ohio. They are at home now at Archbold, Ohio, where Mr. Rupp is applying the methods of scientific agriculture.

'12—On Dec. 24, Miss Adda Lavanda Miller and Mr. Carl Pryce Weber were married at Iowa City, Iowa.

'13-'12—On Dec. 24, Miss Ruth Frances Smith and Mr. Samuel Peter Unzicker were married at the home of Miss Smith's parents at New Paris, Ind. They are now at home at 620 South 8th St., Goshen, Ind.

'13—On Aug. 29, Mr. Vernon S. Culp and Miss Sylvia E. Miller were married at Nappanee, Ind. They are located at Freeman, South Dakota where Mr. Culp is Professor of German in Freeman College.

AT THE COLLEGE

COLLEGE work is progressing nicely in all departments. The increase in the attendance is very noticable in the class rooms, the halls and especially at chapel. There would be a great deal of anxiety about properly providing for our students next year were it not that the new science hall will be ready for occupancy by the opening of the Summer School. The comparative summary of enrollment given below for the winter term for three years is suggestive:

	1913	1914	1915
Graduate students			1
College	60	67	80
Academy	65	60	91
Normal	8	15	21
Bible	8	17	7
Business	27	14	22
Music	13	14	20
Totals	181	187	242

There are also 21 students taking the Special Bible Term work. Some of these will enroll in the regular Bible courses and other departments at the close of the special term. The present enrollment is 263.

The interclass debates occurred on the evenings of Nov. 20 and Dec. 4. The freshmen represented by O. B. Gerig, W. H. Ebersole, J. N. Smucker and H. S. Bender alternate, defended the negative of the question, Resolved, "That the Philippines should be granted autonomy by 1920." The sophomore debaters were J. H. Warye, A. D. Hartzler, J. C. Meyer and W. N. Baer, alternate. The debate was a very spirited, interesting and effective discussion of the question. The junior-senior debate was also a very closely contested discussion of Resolved, "That the U. S. government should subsidise its merchant marine." The senior team, Lester Hostetler, Bert Smith, Clifford Brunk and J. R. Allgyer, alternate, argued the affirmative. The junior class was represented by A. F. Holderman, E. E. Lehman, S. E. Yoder and Henry Burkhard, alternate. Both debates were forceful and effective discussions of live issues. In each case the negative team won by a two to one vote of the judges. In four years of inter-class debating every negative team has won with but one exception.

The inter-collegiate debates with Mount Morris and Manchester colleges will occur on Friday evening, March 12. J. R. Allgyer, J. N. Smucker, Lester Hostetler and A. D. Hartzler, alternate, will uphold the affirmative at Manchester. A. E. Kreider, A. F. Holdeman, V. J. Smucker and J. C. Meyer, alternate, will defend the negative on the home floor against Mount Morris. The question this year is Resolved, "That the United States should grant financial aid to ships engaged in foreign trade, and owned by her citizens."

Dr. Ansel Victor Coffman of Evanston, Ill., presented to the college a two-thirds life size portrait of his father, J. S. Coffman. It is especially appropriate that such a picture of the founder of the Elkhart Institute, the forerunner of Goshen College should hang on the walls of the faculty room of the college. The faculty and students are very grateful for this beautiful portrait of one whose memory is held sacred by the college and its friends. Such a portrait will help to perpetuate the memory and influence of one of the church's greatest and most loved leaders and the virtual founder of Goshen College.

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GOSHEN COLLEGE

Retrospect and Prospect

THE remarkable growth of their Alma Mater has always been a matter of great interest and deep concern to the Alumni of Goshen College. In the present issue of the News Letter four distinct stages in the history of its material expansion are represented. The

ELKHART INSTITUTE, 1895-1903.

Elkhart Institute was erected at Elkhart in 1895. During the twenty years which followed four large buildings have been erected at Goshen, making an average of one every five years.

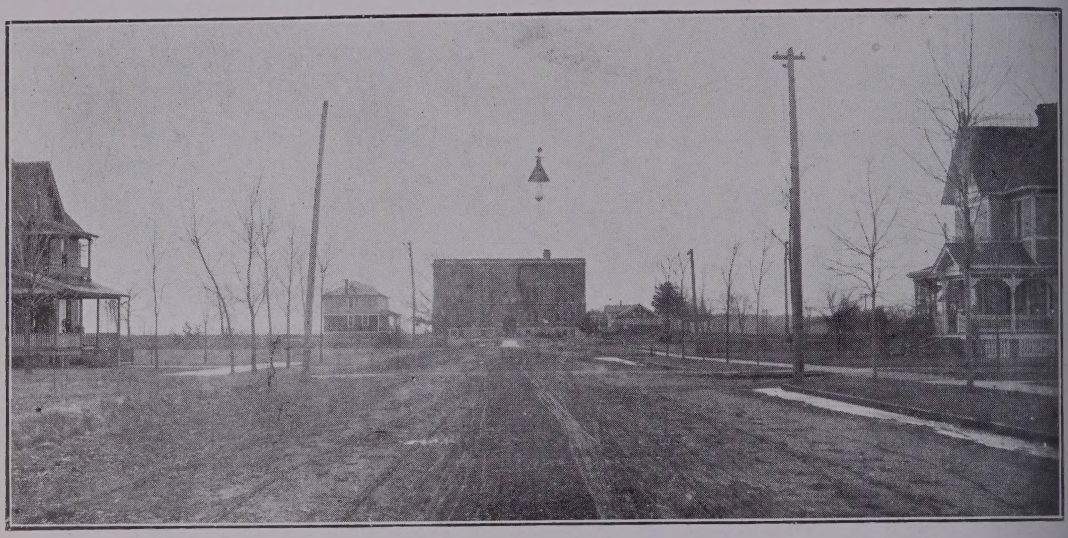
The picture of the new Science Hall on the fourth page was taken early in April. Since then the workmen have made rapid progress because of the splendid weather during the past month. The building is a four story structure including the ground floor and will be under roof in a few weeks. During the summer the interior will be finished and the scientific equipment installed to be ready for occupancy at the opening of the Fall Term.

The new building is a beautiful structure and adds much to the general appearance of the campus. Several changes will also be made on the front of the administration building to bring it in harmony with its surroundings. In addition to this the Men's Dormitory will be moved from the campus to the north of College Avenue between the Mission building and the Big Four railroad. The campus will be graded, new walks and driveways laid out and trees and shrubbery planted. A landscape gardner is laying out plans for the improvement and beautification of the campus which will give it an entirely new and much more artistic appearance. In the general scheme provisions are made for three more buildings, a library, gymnasium, and men's dormitory. The quadrangle is larger than originally planned and the general effect is very satisfactory.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND

Report of Committee

AT a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association the report of the special commitee which had been appointed to formulate a plan for the raising of an endowment fund was adopted and recommended to the Board of Directors for consideration at their annual meeting on May 26.



GOSHEN COLLEGE, 1903-1906.

The following is the complete report:

The Committee appointed by the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association with the special duty and obligation to formulate a plan for raising an endowment for Goshen College, wishes to report in the form of a Resolution for adoption at the next annual meeting of the Association. This Resolution contains certain amendments to the Constitution of the Association which must be voted upon and adopted at that time if it be considered desirable to adopt the plan approved and presented by the Committee.

Signed: J. M. Kurtz J. F. Ebersole.
J. E. Hartzler J. W. Shank

"WHEREAS, the Alumni of Goshen College are deeply conscious of the advantages of educational institutions, as well as of their own personal obligations to the educational institutions through which they have come, and desire to manifest their appreciation in some substantial and self-giving manner of the advantages derived therefrom; and

WHEREAS, Goshen College requires a substantial endowment to meet the Indiana State requirements for a standard college and to give greater stability and permanence to the work for which it was originally founded, and

WHEREAS, a financial pledge on the part of the Alumni will be a means of obtaining other gifts and bequests for the College from individuals not Alumni of the institution, and

WHEREAS, the Alumni desire to concentrate their gifts during the next ten years in this single, unified plan, with the understanding that they will not be expected to assist in other ways or forms, meanwhile, be it

RESOLVED, that the Alumni and former students raise an Alumni endowment fund of $50,000 and that the following amendment be made in the Constitution of the Alunmi Association in order to give form to and authority for such a movement:

(a) To amend article V, Sec. I so that it will read:—"The Board of Directors shall have charge of all the business affairs of the Association not otherwise provided for. It shall, annually, etc, etc."

(b) To amend Art. V, Sec. VI, so that it will read:—"It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive and hold all funds of the Association, not otherwise provided for, subject to the order of the Board etc, etc."

(c) To amend Art. VIII, by substituting the following:—"All funds on hand July 1st, 1915, and all gifts or bequests received subsequent thereto, including in-

terest received upon notes now held by the Association, and the surplus accruing annually from the excess of ordinary receipts from dues over and above ordinary expenses, are hereby irrevocably pledged to the Alumni Endowment Fund. All these sums and the income thereof shall be invested, accumulated, re-invested, and held until the total amount of original principal paid in, plus the interest actually earned shall have reached the sum of $50,000, whereupon it shall be assigned, to take effect upon some day of the next succeeding commencement week to Goshen College as a trust fund to be maintained as an endowment fund, the income from which shall be available for meeting the current expenses of the college budget, and shall be known as the Alumni Endowment Fund.

"The solicitation of funds for this Alumni Endowment Fund and the posession and investment of the funds received therefore shall be vested by the Association in a Board of Trustees of five members specially constituted for this purpose. This Board shall be organized on or before July 1st, 1915, and shall contain the then President of the College, the President of the Association at the time this amendment is adopted, and three other persons (of whom one must be a woman) selected by the two designated members. Vacancies occurring shall be filled by appointment by the remaining members of the Board. The Trustees after organizing by the election of Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, and Treasurer, shall associate with themselves advisory Committees upon Publicity, Soliciting, and Investments; which Committees shall provide fair representation to all the graduating classes, the geographical distribution of the Alumni, and the relative number of men and women in the graduating classes, now existing or hereafter graduated during the existence of this Board. All proposals for publicity, soliciting, and investments, shall be formulated by the respective committees, and approved by the majority of the Board of Trustees.

"Subscriptions and pledges to this fund may be accepted in any one or combination of the following forms:—(a) To be paid in cash at once; (b) In a series of notes payable annually for such ascending amounts as shall be approved by the trustees; (c) In a series of notes of equal amounts payable annually; (d) In a series of notes payable annually for such annually descending amounts as shall be approved by the trustees. Any person giving a pledge in the form of a promisory note

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or a cash payment toward this Alumni Endowment Fund shall be entitled to receive a cancellation of his note or notes of any other kind then held by the association, if such note or notes are for a smaller amount in the aggregate than the amount of the new pledge.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK

May 23-28.

CALANDER OF EVENTS.

Sunday, May 23.

7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by President John Ellsworth Hartzler.

Monday, May 24.

Final Examinations.
7:00 P M. Literary Society Reunions.
Final Examinations.

Tuesday, May 25.

Final Examinations.
7:00 P. M. Music Class Exercises.
8:00 P. M. Philharmonic Concert.

Wednesday, May 26.

2:30 P. M. Academy Class Program.
6:30 P. M. Alumni Dinner and Reunion at Goshen Cafe.

Thursday, May 27.

10:00 A. M. Athletics.
2:30 P. M. Vocational Education Program.
7:00 P. M. College Class Program.

Friday, May 28.

10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.
10:30 A. M. Final Students Devotional Meeting.
1:00 P. M. College Luncheon.
8:00 P. M. Commencement Exercises.
Address by Rev Dan F. Bradley, D. D., Pastor of Pilgrim Church, Cleveland, O.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM.

Thursday, May 27, Campus, 7:00 P. M.

Ivy Ode.....Lita Miller
Presentation of Gift..Leo. D. Hershberger
Emblem Oration.....Lester J. Hostetler

Assembly Hall, 8:00 P. M.

Piano Duet.....
.....Mary Thornton and Fern Lantz
Class Address.....J. Roy Allgyer
Vocal Solo.....Prof. Amos S. Ebersole
Coffman Oration.....Vernon J. Smucker
Delineation.....Aaron J. Eby
Piano Duet.....
.....Mary Thornton and Fern Lantz
Class Oration.....Amos E. Kreider

ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Wednesday, May 26, 2:30 P. M.

Piano Duet, Invitation A la Danse..Weber
Misses Landis and Reed
Salutatory.....
Isaiah A. Rickert
Reading.....The Two Roads
Lola Irene Beery
Oration.....Voices that Call
Pearl Dausman
Violin Solo.....Flowers and Ferns
Mabel Kennel
Class History and Prophecy.....
Mabel Unzicker
Oration .....Thought Control
H. Elmer Eby
Class Will.....
Esther Smoker
Valedictory.....Public Opinion and Peace
Clemens S. Hallman
Class Song.

MUSIC SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Tuesday, May 25, 7:00 P. M.

Mozart..Allegro from Concerto in C Minor
Fern Lantz
Schubert.....Death and the Maiden
Schumann.....Dedication
Nelson Bechtel
Mozart Minuette / Alla Lusca From Sonata in A Major.....
Chopin.....Nocturne F Minor
Nobie Kreider.....Legend C Minor
Moszkowski.....The Jugglers
Mary Thornton
Ashford.....Moods: The Search / Night Song / Evening / Good Night
Nelson Bechtel

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Bach.....Loccata G Major
Beethoven.....
..Minnuette from Sonata in E Flat, Op. 7
Chopin.....Prelude No. 15 Op. 28
Moszkowski.....Romance
Scriabine.....Etude
Fern Lantz
Moscheles.....
Allegro Agitato from Concerto in F Minor
Mary Thornton

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Alumni day the Board of Directors will meet at 2:00 P. M. The public program which formerly preceded the reunion will be merged with the reunion program this year. The Alumni will meet at the Goshen Cafe at 6:30 P. M. for dinner and the Annual Reunion.

The program on Thursday afternoon in connection with the new science building and the formal opening of the departments of Agriculture and Domestic Science will be the leading event of commencement week. Dr. Eugene Davenport, Dean of the School of Agriculture and Director of the Experimental Station, Illinois University, and Mr. William R. Book of Indianapolis, Deputy Supervisor of Vocational Education in Indiana, will speak.

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THE NINETEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

DURING the week of May 23-28 the nineteenth annual commencement was held at Goshen College. The programs throughout the week were excellent, the attendance larger than usual, and the splendid spirit that prevailed made it a most thoroughly enjoyable occasion. Many Alumni and former students returned to participate in the celebration of the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the College. Others who had expected to be present were prevented on account of commencement coming in May instead of June. The conditions that have necessitated this change in date have been removed and the commencement season will no doubt soon be changed to the middle of June again.

The commencement address was delivered by Dr. Dan F. Bradley, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Cleveland, Ohio. He spoke in his usual charming and inspiring manner to an audience that filled the Assembly Hall, including the gallery and side rooms, to its utmost capacity. In announcing the subject of his address he stated: "My subject is before me," referring to the graduating class. "The truth shall make you free", was the theme that gave organic unity to the entire address. He illustrated each phase of his address by striking incidents from his large and varied experience and years of close observation as college professor, college president and pastor of a large city church.

Dr. Bradley very clearly showed that a man is a bundle of raw material with infinite possibilities. Education, the kind of education that a Christian college gives, makes one free by disciplining the powers and informing the mind. In closing his address Dr. Bradley made a strong appeal to the graduates to give themselves in whole-hearted and loyal service to their fellows who are less fortunate than they. Genuine social service developes the finest type of truly educated men and women. The address contained much good counsel given in a form that pleased, as well as instructed.

At the close of the address, President John Ellsworth Hartzler conferred the degrees of Master of Arts and Bachelor of Arts and granted diplomas and certificates to the members of the graduating class who had finished their work. The class, including those who will complete their work at the close of the Summer School, has a membership of fifty-one, twenty-one more than last year. Following is the class roll:

Master of Arts

Martin Clifford Lehman

Bachelor of Arts

J. Roy Allgyer	Clifford F. Brunk
Aaron J. Eby	Margaret Detweiler
Amos E. Kreider	Samuel P. Unzicker
Martha Martin	Vernon J. Smucker
Orie O. Miller	Bertram H. Smith
Lita Miller	Lester J. Hostetler
Vesta Zook	Leo D. Hershberger
Adam R. Rupp	Chauncey H. Duker

Orus R. Yoder

Academy

Florence Landis	Esther Smoker
Hannah E. Reed	Lewis P. Brunk
Mabel A. Kennel	Pearl Dausman
George W. Stump	Walter Brunk
Merrill Hire	Owen C. Wogoman
Clement C. Kaser	Mabel Unzicker
Joseph E. Brunk	Anola F. Schrock
Lola Beery	Abel Snyder
Isaiah Rickert	H. Elmer Eby
Walter Oswald	Paul F. Blosser

Clemens S. Hallman

Music

Ferne Lantz — Mary Thornton

Nelson Bechtel

Commercial (Diplomas)

Ezra S. Deter — Ralph Rood

Eulah Margaret Kistler

Commercial (Certificates)

Hazel M. Cripe	Charles Wideman
Carlton Renbarger	Mary A. Stahley
Elizabeth Stahley	Sarah Ganger

BACCALAUREATE SERMON

ON Sunday evening of commencement week President John Ellsworth Hartzler delivered a stirring baccalaureate sermon, choosing as his subject Proverbs 4:25-26. "Let thine eyes look right on and let thine eyelids look straight before thee. Ponder the path of thy feet and let all thy ways be established."

Concentration, said the President, is the slogan of the day. The man who has a clear vision of what he expects to do is the one who is most apt to succeed. The undecided man is ever at sea, and cannot be depended upon.

But concentration may be wrongly directed as well as rightly, hence the need of careful consideration in choosing one's course. Civilization is not static but progressive and this implies a continual reconstruction of all our ideals. It follows that we cannot blindly accept all the traditions of the past and abide by them. No two people are exactly alike, and the best that each can do is to effect self-realization. This should especially be the ideal of every student, and college life offers to each an unprecedented opportunity to survey the future and lay out paths of progress.

In mapping out his future he must beware of a false humility, though he should always be teachable. Intellect, emotions and the will should each receive their full quota of attention, and the need of Divine guidance should always be considered of prime importance.

THE GRADUATING CLASSES

THE College Senior Class has left a record worthy of emulation. In numbers it has no superior. The abilities of its members in scholarship and student enterprises have been of an unusually high order. Their influence has had a most wholesome effect upon the social and religious life of the institution. The college is richer and stronger for their having been here and it is hoped that the high standards they set and helped to maintain will be continued in the future.

This class of seventeen members represents a variety of interests. In their major work one specialized in History, two in German, two in Philosophy, two in Biological Science, four in English, and six in Physical Science. As they leave the College about one-half of the class will become instructors in high schools and colleges. Others will enter the graduate departments of some of the best universities. Quite a number will continue their studies in the professional schools of agriculture, domestic science, and medicine. Several will engage in business.

The class program on Thursday evening of commencement week was considered the best ever given by a Goshen graduating class. The seniors who appeared on the program reflected great credit not only upon their class but upon the whole institution by their splendid productions and the able manner in which these were presented.

The Academy Senior class was an unusually strong class. It consisted of twenty one members and its representatives on the program on Wednesday afternoon are to be commended for the high standards reflected in their productions.

ALUMNI DAY

Business Meetings

THE Board of Directors met on Wednesday afternoon of Commencement week to transact the business of the Association and make nominations for officers and members of the Board of Directors. At the Alumni reunion in the evening the Association endorsed the transactions of the Board and elected the nominees as officers and members of the Board.

The most important matter of business that came up for consideration was the report of the special committee appointed by the Executive Committee to formulate plans for the raising of an Alumni Endowment Fund for Goshen College. After a careful consideration of the essential features of the plan by the Board the report was adopted as printed in the April number of the News Letter.

The following persons were elected to serve on the Board of Directors for the next three years: Dr. S. T. Miller, J. S. Yoder, Anna Yoder and Vernon Smucker. Mr. Smucker represents the Senior Class.

At the request of Mr. Kurtz, who has held the office of president of the associa-

tion since 1910, his name was not presented in nomination when the election of officers was taken up. It was during his administration that the Alumni Association began the publication of the Alumni News Letter and took the necessary steps to launch the proposition for an Alumni Endowment Fund.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. S. T. Miller; 1st Vice-President, J. S. Yoder; 2nd Vice-President, B. F. Esch; Recording Secretary, Miss Anna Yoder; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Vinora Weaver; Treasurer, Samuel Witmer; Historian, Mrs. J. M. Kurtz. The executive committee is composed of Dr. S. T. Miller, J. S. Yoder, Miss Anna Yoder, F. S. Ebersole and Samuel Witmer.

J. M. Kurtz was elected editor of the News Letter.

Thirty-seven new members were received into the Association at the reunion in the evening.

Alumni Reunion

On account of the large amount of business that was to come before the association at the reunion on Wednesday evening, the annual address by an Alumnus was omitted from the program of Alumni Day. At the close of the business session and dinner at the Goshen Cafe, M. C. Lehman of Dhamtari, India, the toastmaster of the evening, spoke briefly and very appropriately in his usual happy vein, in introducing the speakers of the evening. Those who responded to toasts were B. H. Smith of the Senior Class, Ella DeCamp, Dr. S. T. Miller, J. M. Kurtz and President J. E. Hartzler. The large attendance added much to the success of the reunion and after listening for over an hour to the speakers of the evening the Alumni adjourned feeling that the evening was one of the pleasantest occasions they had attended in many years.

$50,000.00 IN TEN YEARS

WHEN the Alumni Association took the necessary steps at its last annual meeting to raise an endowment fund for Goshen College, it endorsed the most significant as well as the most comprehensive proposition that has yet been attempted by the Alumni. The cordial reception of the plan outlined indicates hat the Alumni are ready to assume responsibilities in a substantial way for the welfare and the prosperity of their Alma Mater.

The organizatin for this endowment fund will be composed of (1) a Board of Trustees of five members and (2) three advisory Committees of Publicity, Solicitation and Investment. The Board of Trustees are J. M. Kurtz, Chairman; Amelia Bergey Nahrgang, Vice-Chairman; J. W Shank, Secretary; J. F. Ebersole, Treasurer and President J. E. Hartzler. This Board of Trustees has selected the Advisory Committees as follows:

Publicity Committee

J, M. Kurtz, '01, Chairman.

Mrs. D. S. Gerig, '02	H. L. Stump, '10
Leander Weldy, '03	Jesse Stutzman, '11
Almira Kohl, '03	Meta Martin, '11
C. E. Bender, '04	Alta Eby, '12
Mrs. R. J. Miller, '05	Olive Nafziger, '12
Mrs. A.W.Geigley, '05	W. H. Haarer, '13
S. E. Zook, '06	Vernon Culp, '13
H. G. Good, '08	M. C. Lehman, '14
A. K. Rupp, '08	Samuel Witmer, '14
Mrs. C.C. Zeigler, '09	Orie Miller, '15
Frances Ebersole, '09	Martha Martin, '15

Solicitation Committee

J. W. Shank, '10, Chairman.

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A. J. Steiner, '00	Anna Christophel, '09
Mrs. S. T. Miller, '01	S. A. Zook, '10
C. C. Yoder, '02	Samuel Burkhard, '11
W. B. Christophel, '02	Sylvia Bontrager, '11
J. M. Hartzler, '03	Anna Yoder, 12
A. C. Ramseyer, '04	Benj. Summer, '12
P. E. Whitmer, '05	J. J. Fisher, '13
Jesse Brenneman, '06	Walter Yoder, '13
C. B. Blosser, '07	W. B. Weaver, '14
Delta Kauffman, '08	C. O. Hershey, '14
Mrs. J. Kauffman, '08	A. E. Kreider, '15
Isaiah Rickert, '15	

Investment Committee

J. Frank Ebersole, '06, Chairman.

S. F. Gingerich, '02	A. J. Regier, '08
D. B. Zook, '02	Roy S. Smoker, '09
William Gehman, '03	W. W. Oesch, '10
F. S. Ebersole, '04	I. R. Detweiler, '11
L. C. Schertz, '05	Harmon Rupp, '12
J. S. Yoder, '05	Fred Burkey, '13
A. M. Hess, '06	Willard Blosser, '14
D. M. Landis, '07	Vesta Zook, '15

The proposition is to raise $50,000.00 in

ten years. The ten year plan is the unique feature. If an Alumnus would donate $153.00 at once and the Board would invest the donation so as to realize a five percent income, at the end of ten years the annual compound interest together with the principal would amount to $250. The Alumni would receive credit for a $250.00 contribution to the fund by donating $153.00 in actual cash. Those who would prefer, could make small payments. If $19.16 were paid annually for ten years and invested as above, the total of investment and income would also amount to $250.00. If it would be preferable, the earlier payments could be made still smaller, and the later ones larger than the $19.16; that is, by starting with a small donation and increasing the amount contributed each year, practically any alumnus could subscribe sufficiently to realize a $250.00 donation.

The entire fund to be raised might be considered as made up of two hundred shares of $250.00 each, making a total of $50,000.00. The College Senior Class of this year has already subscribed enough to make a $3,000.00 donation. Nearly every one of the Seniors who subscribed took one share each. Some of the Alumni are in a position to take four shares, others three, quite a number can take two, while the large majority are able to take at least one share each. Subscriptions will also be received in part-shares. We now have about 275 Alumni. During the next ten years this number will be nearly doubled. It ought not to be considered a difficult matter, therefore, for so large a body to raise a $50,000.00 endowment fund.

The entire plan seems to appeal to the Alumni, for it is one in which all can assist. And by taking ten years to realize it a large endowment fund can be accumulated. All that is necessary is a combined effort and we will surprise ourselves at the results. The Alumni have been waiting for just such an opportunity and some are optimistic enough to predict even more than $50,000.00 by the end of the ten year period. President Hartzler stated at the annual meeting of the Alumni Association that during the next ten years the management of the College would not solicit any funds from the Alumni, so that all their donations can be added to the Alumni Endowment Fund. It should also be stated that a provision has been made so that any Alumus who subscribes an amount equal to, or greater, than his note now held by the Association can have such old note cancelled and returned to him.

FACULTY PERSONALS

During the past year President Hartzler divided his time between the internal and the external work of the college. The erection of the new science building, the preparation of plans for the new barn on the college farm, together with the regular duties of his office, prevented his leaving Goshen for any considerable length of time. He traveled in the interest of the college in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Ontario. He also conducted four evangelistic campaigns at Belleville, Pa., Orrville and Sugar Creek, O., Normal, Ill. and Mauson, Ia.; delivered four special lectures at Chicago, Ill., Canton, O., Nappanee and Kokomo Ind; held four Bible Normals at North Lima and Sugar Creek, O., Belleville, Pa. and Normal, Ill.; delivered the Baccalaureate Sermon at Goshen College; gave the address at the Elkhart Co., Ind., commencement exercises; visited eleven high schools in northern Indiana and spoke to the students; attended local and state church and Sunday School Conferences and the meetings of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, besides preaching and speaking frequently at the College and the Mennonite Churches in and near Goshen.

Dean Whitmer, Professors Gerig, Kurtz, Winter, W. B. Weaver, Stutzman, assisted by J. E. Weaver, J. W. Shank, Miss Gladys Snapp, Miss Meta Martin, Amos Ebersole, Miss Mary Thornton and Miss Bertha Mackinzie constitute the Summer School faculty.

At the close of the first six weeks of Summer School Dean Whitmer left on a tour among the churches of the east, including Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia.

Prof. Lehman is doing research work in Industrial Mathematics at the Columbia

University.

Prof. Detweiler is studying at the University of Chicago.

Prof. Zook attended the students Y. M. C. A. convention at Lake Geneva and will spend the remainder of the summer at Smithville, Ohio, his former home.

Prof. Blosser will devote the next few years to work on the farm. He is still retained on the college faculty as a special lecturer on agriculture. Prof. Blosser's services during the past six years have been highly appreciated by both faculty and students.

In addition to his summer School work at the college Prof. Ebersole is studying at the American Conservatory of Music at Chicago.

Miss Ella DeCamp will resume her private work in music at Elkhart, Ind. after a very successful year's work as a member of the faculty of the School of Music.

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'02—Dr. S. F. Gingerich is recognized as one of the leading University Extension lecturers at the University of Michigan. During the past year in addition to his regular work, he offered courses at Detroit and Saginaw with unusually gratifying results. On April 14, while visiting Goshen friends, accompanied by Mrs. Gingerich and son, Horace, he favored the College with an excellent address on "Tennyson's In Memoriam." At a faculty reception held in his honor he spoke on "The Humanism of Wordsworth."

'02-'02—The death of Virgil K., son of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, 702 N. Main St., Mishawaka, Ind., is sad news for the Alumni. After an illness of about three weeks of endocarditis, he died on June 11. His age was 10 years and 4 days.

'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Bender Oakland, Md., a son.

'04-'01—Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole, Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'05—Miss Amanda Ebersole will continue her work as instructor of Domestic Science in the Y. W. C. A. at Akron, O.

'06—Jesse Brenneman, Professor of Physics and Electrical Engineering at the University of New Mexico has been sent by that institution on a tour of the Pacific coast cities to inspect science buildings with the view of obtaining the latest and best designs for the new science building to be erected for his department at the University.

'06—John I. Byler is Superintendent of the city mission at Youngstown, Ohio.

'06—J. F. Ebersole of the University of Minnesota has recently been elected to a directorship in one of the prominent banks of Minneapolis. The men interested in this bank control seventeen country banks in North Dakota. Prof. Ebersole will spend part of his summer vacation in North Dakota investigating the operating methods of these banks.

'06-'12—On June 20, Mr. Samuel E. Zook and Miss Fanny Belle Rupp were married at the home of Miss Rupp's parents at Archbold, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Zook will be at home to their friends after Oct., 1 at 319 S. Second St., Rockford, Ill, where Mr. Zook is head of the department of German in the Rockford High School. They are spending the summer at Belleville, Pa., Mr. Zook's former home.

'07—Dr. H. B. Reed, head of the department of Philosophy and Psychology at the University of Wyoming, has been elected head of the department of Philosophy and Psychology at the University of Idaho.

'08—The University of Pennsylvania at its annual commencement in June conferred the degree of Doctor of Philosophy upon Mr. Harry G. Good. He has been elected to the position of Professor of Education at Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio.

'08—Miss Delta Kauffman, who studied in the graduate department of the University of Michigan after graduating in that institution a year ago, expects to teach during the coming winter.

'08—Arthur K. Rupp is an enterprising Florist at Shiremanstown, Pa. Mr. Rupp graduated at Oberlin College in 1914 where he specialized in Botany.

'10—J. C. Brunk resigned his position as Supervisor of Music in the public schools of Effingham, Kansas to become County Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Belleville, Kansas.

'11—Miss Sylvia Bontrager will continue her studies next year at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston Mass.

'11-'11—Prof. and Mrs. Samuel Burkhard spent a few days visiting their friends at Goshen while on their way to Denver, Colorado. Mr. Burkhard favored the college with a splendid address on "Industrial Education." His experience in this field during the past three years at Cleveland, Ohio, has given him a very practical knowledge of the subject.

'11—Miss Meta Martin has been re-elected assistant principal and instructor in German and Music in the Shipshewana, Ind., high school.

'11—Alvin J. Miller who was a member of the faculty at Wooster College during the past year is spending the summer in England.

'11—S. E. Weaver has been re-elected Superintendant of Schools at Shipshewana, Ind.

'12—Miss Clara De Camp is studying at the University of California during the summer.

'12—W. C. Ebersole is doing graduate work at the University of Chicago.

'12—Miss Alta Eby is studying in the Educational department at the University of Kansas during the summer.

'12—On June 29, Miss Ruth Landis and Mr. Glen S. Umble were married at the home of President J. E. Hartzler. After a short trip to Niagara Falls and Akron, Ohio, they located at West Liberty, Ohio, to engage in agricultural work.

'13—Vernon S. Culp has been elected a member of the high school faculty at Akron, Ohio for the coming year.

'13—Reuben R. Detweiler resigned his position as Professor of English at Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, to take charge of a Methodist circuit at Corunna, Ind.

'13-'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Zeigler, New Paris, Ind., a son.

'13—John J. Fisher who was elected a Harrison Fellow at the University of Pennsylvania last year has been re-elected and will continue his research work another year.

'14—Amos S. Ebersole has been promoted from Associate Professor to Director of the School of Music at Goshen College.

'14-'05—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman who were in America on furlough for the past two years returned to Dhamtari, India to continue their missionary work. They sailed from San Francisco on June 5, and are due in India about the middle of July. On June 22 as they were nearing Yokohama, Japan, they wrote that they had a most ideal and restful voyage across the Pacific. Besides devoting most of their time in America to study at the College they traveled considerably in the interests of the India missions. A year ago Mr. Lehman completed his undergraduate work and on May 28 of this year the college conferred upon him its first Master of Arts degree.

'14-'13—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shank sailed from San Francisco for Dhamtari, India on June 5, to engage in missionary work. Their departure from America was delayed nearly a year on account of the European war.

'14—Simon W. Sommer is pastor of a Mennonite church and will teach at Fair View, Mich.

'14—Miss Ellen Yoder has been re-elected instructor in the high school at Belle Center, Ohio.

'15-'11—Bertram H. Smith and Miss Edna F. Metzler were married on May 1, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Rassmussen, South Pultney, N. Y. They came to Goshen where they remained until the close of commencement week after which they left for Mankato, Minn., where Mr. Smith is engaged in business.

'15—J. Roy Allgyer will enter the Agricultural Department of Ohio State University in September.

'15—Miss Margaret Detweiler will study in the Domestic Science Department of the University of Chicago next year.

'15—Chauncey H. Duker has been elected to the position of instructor in Mathematics in the Goshen, Ind., high school.

'15—Leo Hershberger will be Principal of the high school and instructor in science and athletics at Shipshewana, Ind.

'15—Lester J. Hostetler will enter Columbia University for graduate study.

'15—Near the close of the school year Amos E. Kreider was ordained to the ministry at Topeka, Ind., where he is now pastor of the Maple Grove Church. During the coming year he will either continue his ministerial work and teach or do graduate study.

'15—Miss Martha Martin has been elected to the position of Dean of Women and Instructor at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

'15—Miss Lita Miller will be instructor in the township high school at Jamestown near Elkhart, Ind.

'15—Adam Rupp will soon take the Civil Service examination for a government position.

'15—Vernon J. Smucker will enter Columbia University for graduate study in History and Economics.

'15—Samuel P. Unzicker will be a student in the Medical Department at the University of Texas.

'15—Orus R. Yoder has entered the Medical Department of Chicago University for the Summer Quarter. Next year he will be Principal of the high school at Middlebury, Ind., after which he will resume his medical work.

'15—Miss Vesta Zook will study in the Domestic Science Department of Lewis Institute at Chicago next year.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE year that is reviewed in the present issue of the News Letter was in practically every respect the record year of Goshen College. The most significant single event is the erection of a magnificent college building. It is beautiful, substantial and admirably adapted to the purpose for which it was built. Even the State Board of Education in its recent report recognizes it as an indication of the beginning of a new era in the efficiency and usefulness of Goshen College.

The growth in attendance has been so rapid that it is entirely possible that the attendance for a year or two may not greatly exceed that of the past year. The Winter Term reached a total of 267 actual resident students. The Fall and Spring Terms were as usual somewhat smaller, but these too reached 219 and 214 respectively. The College has on account of the heavy teaching schedule of its teachers, adopted a policy of retrenchment in its correspondence work. As a result of this the enrollment in this department has decreased from 34 last year to 10 this year. In spite of this the total enrollment in all departments for the year represents a substantial gain. The registration of the students doing college work reached a total of 100. This does not include the two graduate and the 26 normal students who also did work of college grade. The Academy also increased in every class as compared with last year. There are still many sections from which the College draws students where good high school privileges can only be had by going away from home. Nearly all the other departments have made substantial gains.

In debate Goshen College won two splendid victories. On the home floor our negative team won a unanimous decision from the judges against Mount Morris's affirmative team. The visiting team was completely outclassed by the Goshen debaters. At Manchester our affirmative team in a closely contested debate won a two to one decision from the judges. During the past three years Goshen has won five victories and Mt. Morris four. Four of our strongest inter-collegiate debaters graduated with this year's class. We must develop new teams for next year's inter-collegiate contest.

At the beginning of the college year the Student's Council was reorganized. With the growth of the college department the more advanced and mature students do an increasing proportion of the extra-curricula work of the College. The reorganization was effected to give the advanced students proper representation on the council. By the present plan the personnel of the council consists of four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, one freshman, two academy students, representing the two upper and the two lower classes and a young man and a young woman elected by the Y. P. C. A. cabinets. The good work of the council during the year fully justified its reorganiztion on the new basis.

A year ago last fall the young men's literary societies were re-organized and at the close of the college year the young women's societies were also re-organized. The Aurora and Adelphian are now literary societies composed of college men and the Vesperian and Avon are composed of college women. This new alignment of the college students in rival societies has greatly stimulated literary work. The Monday and Friday evening programs are much improved in interest and value. The academy boys have united their forces in the Ciceronian Society and the academy girls in the Philomathean Society. The present arrangement for literary work is

very satisfactory.

The Summer School now in session has an enrollment of 147. We have 18 more normal students than we had last year, but the number of our regular students who remained for summer study is much smaller than last year. The increasing number of students who are working on our regular courses reduces the number of those who need to fill in interrupted and broken courses by summer study. The work is going very nicely. Every one seems to enjoy his courses and the fine fellowship of the Summer School students. The work of the model school under the direction of Miss Mackinzie is very popular and helpful to the normal students. This work will probably be a permanent feature of our future summer work.

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the college the following policy governing the faculty was adopted. We believe it is one of the several steps that are being taken that will make Goshen College a greater and more effective institution.

1. The teaching force of Goshen College shall consist of instructors, assistant professors and professors.

2. An instructor shall be a graduate of a college or professional school that requires a four year high school course for admission and a four year course for the A. B. or equivalent degree. An instructor may receive three advances in salary as provided by the salary schedule.

3. An assistant professor shall have all the educational qualifications of an instructor and in addition at least one year of graduate study and two years of successful college teaching. The college may accept graduate training in lieu of teaching experience—a year of graduate training to count for a year of teaching experience. An assistant professor may receive three advances in salary in accordance with the salary schedule of the college.

4. A professor shall have all the requirements of an assistant professor in training and teaching experience and at least two years of graduate training including the A. M. or equivalent degree with college teaching experience to make a total of six years of graduate study and teaching. Professors shall receive salary increase as provided by the salary schedule.

5. All advances in rank and salary shall be made by vote of the Executive Committee of the college.

Goshen College and community has been unusually fortunate during the past year in having an opportunity to hear great lectures and good music. Charles M. Sheldon, Maude Bollington Booth and Lincoln McConnel are a few of the men and women who lectured in Goshen during the past year. Among the musicians who appeared in Goshen are Alice Nielsen, John Landsbury, John T. Read, and Lillian French Read. But the most interesting event from the standpoint of the students was the address by Vice-President Marshall in the assembly hall of the College on the evening of June 24. Mr. Marshall was in Goshen visiting friends and was glad for the opportunity to address the students of the Summer School. We found the Vice-President an unusually pleasing and effective public speaker.

At a local option election held in Goshen on May 3, the city voted dry by a large majority During the campaign nearly all the manufacturers came out openly in favor of the dry cause. It is very probable that the saloon has been permanently eliminated from Goshen. The citizens have also formed an organization to see that Goshen shall be dry in fact as well as in name. With the elimination of the saloon, Goshen becomes a still more desirable location for a college.

Several years ago the question was raised as to whether the College campus was actually within the corporate limits of the city. When the College was located at Goshen the city council took the necessary steps to bring it within the corporation. A number of years later, however, it was discovered that the proceedings of the council were never properly entered upon the records. This placed the College in a peculiar position and on several occasions unpleasantnesses developed out of the indefinite records. As an indication of its cordial attitude toward the college the city administration has just recently, at its own initiative, taken the matter up for rectification. As soon as the necessary steps are taken the records will show that the College is within the corporate limits of the city of Goshen.

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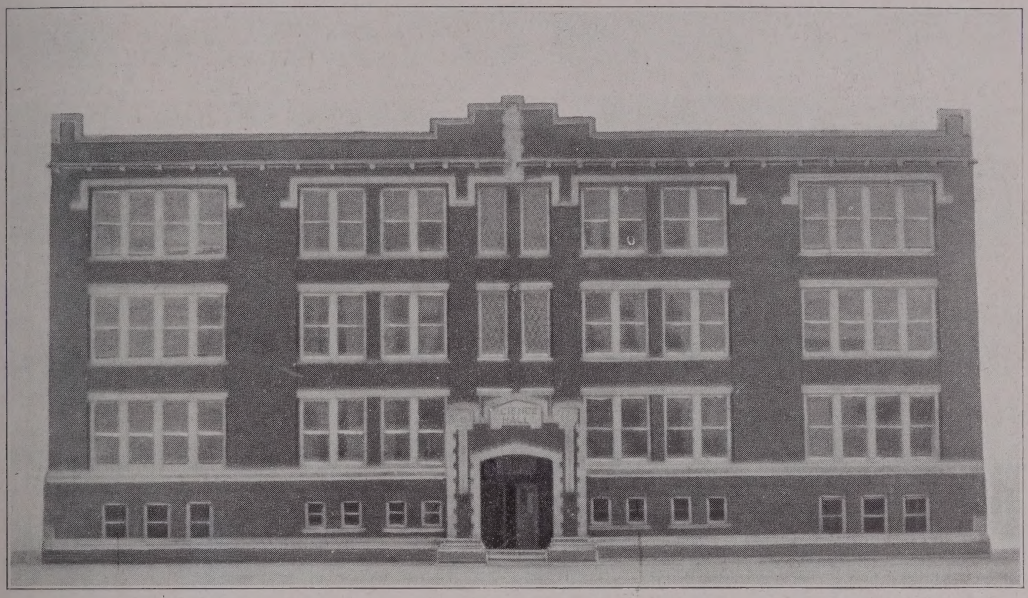

SCIENCE HALL

THE new Science Hall is a four story brick structure including the ground floor. The dimensions are one hundred and nineteen by forty-nine feet with a twenty-five foot extension in the rear. There is one main front entrance and two entrances in the rear of the building. A stairway at each end of the building leads from the basement to the third floor.

The entire ground floor is given over to the agriculture department. The west wing is the soils laboratory. The east wing the dairy laboratory. Between these two large laboratories in the front of the building are several store rooms and offices. In the rear is a large Horticultural laboratory with a green-house annexed.

The biological laboratory for Botany and Zoology is located in the west wing of the first floor. The east wing has two recitation rooms. A small auditorium with a seating capacity of two hundred occupies the rear and several offices and preparation rooms the front of the same floor.

The second floor is given over to the domestic science department. A laboratory and a sewing room in the west wing and two recitation rooms in the east wing. Another laboratory in the rear, a dining room, ladies rest room, and offices in the front gives ample space to this department.

The two wings of the third floor are chemical laboratories. In the rear is a physical laboratory and a science recitation room while the front has two store rooms adjoining the chemical laboratories, a weighing room, and an office.

The Science Hall stands just east of the Administration building and makes a beautiful appearance on the campus. In the spring the new driveways and walks will be laid out according to the designs of the landscape gardener. The enlarged quadrangle with provisions for three more buildings, a library, gymnasium and men's dormitory will add much to the general effect.

ENDOWMENT FUND.

THE work of the soliciting committee of the organization having in charge the raising of the $50,000 Alumni Endowment Fund has begun and pledges have already been made by a number of Alumni. At one of the meetings of the Board of Trustees the following resolution was adopted which makes it possible for the Alumni to make their donations in a single cash payment or in ten equal, increasing, or decreasing installments, to receive credit for a share of $250:

I. The committee on solicitation shall solicit and accept subscriptions to the endowment fund according to the following plans:

First—Cash subscriptions of $153.56 to receive credit for $250.00 donation.

Second—Subscriptions in the form of notes for equal amounts of $19.16 to be paid annually for ten years, to receive credit for a $250.00 donation.

Third—Subscriptions in the form of notes for increasing amounts, beginning with $14.82 and increasing one dollar each each year for ten years; or $10.72 and increasing two dollars each year for ten years, to receive credit for a $250.00 donation.

Fourth—Subscriptions in the form of notes to be paid in decreasing amounts, beginning with $23.02 and decreasing one dollar each year for ten years; or beginning with $27.12, and decreasing two dollars each year for ten years, to receive credit for a $250.00 donation.

Fifth—Subscriptions to be made in any series of payments agreed upon by the donor and solicitor.

II. That when donations are not made in cash, subscriptions be made in form of promissory notes, the number of notes to correspond to the number of installments in which the payments are to be made.

III. That the above notes be made to mature on the dates June 15, or December 15, of each year, or at such other dates as may be considered most satisfactory to the donor and solicitor.

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The following are the reasons given for the raising of an Alumni Endowment Fund in the resolution adopted by the Alumni Association at its last annual meeting:

"WHEREAS, the Alumni of Goshen College are deeply conscious of the advantages of educational institutions, as well as of their own personal obligation to the educational institution through which they have come, and desire to manifest their appreciation in some substantial and self-giving manner of the advantages derived therefrom; and

"WHEREAS, Goshen College requires a substantial endowment to meet the Indiana State requirements for a standard college and to give greater stability and permanence to the work for which it was originally founded, and

"WHEREAS, a financial pledge on the part of the Alumni will be a means of obtaining other gifts and bequests for the College from individuals not Alumni of the institution, and

"WHEREAS, the Alumni desire to concentrate their gifts during the next ten years in this single, unified plan, with the understanding that they will not be expected to assist in other ways or forms, meanwhile, be it

"RESOLVED, that the Alumni and former students raise an Alumni Endowment Fund of $50,000.00,

AN EXPLANATION.

That the Alumni News Letter is a welcome visitor in the homes of the Goshen Alumni is indicated by the large number of inquiries that have been made about the present issue. The picture of the new Science Hall will perhaps justify the delay. The efforts to secure a good cut of the building have resulted in this issue reaching its readers much later than was originally intended.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

From October 1, 1914 to July 1, 1915.

RECEIPTS

Cash Balance	$141.58
Loan paid by College Equipment Fund	30.70
Loan paid by College Equipment Fund	35.00
Interest on loans	16.42
Reunion Banquet	44.50
Samuel Burkhard	10.75
Mrs. Samuel Burkhard	1.50
Nora Colburn	.25
Etta Gilliom	.25
H. G. Good	2.75
J. L. Brenneman	6.25
A. S. Ebersole	.25
Lydia Kurtz Smucker	3.00
Elizabeth Hauck Snyder	2.75
Samuel Witmer	3.25
William Haarer	.50
Mrs. William Haarer	.50

Frances Zook Oyer	2.75
Florence Cooprider	1.00
H. L. Stump	.25
Lena Albrecht	1.50
Elta Wolf	.50
Anna Christophel	.25
Anna Hoover	2.25
Ella DeCamp	2.00
John M. Yoder	.50
Ernest Smoker	.25
Ella Wenger	5.50
Lydia Stutzman Miller	5.25
William Landis	2.75
W. E. Yoder	.50
S. A. Zook	2.75
Mary Rohrer Yoder	3.00
Ruth Smith Unsicker	.50
George Phillips	.75
A. W. Geigley	.50
Fred Walker	2.75
W. B. Weaver	2.75
Lillie F. Minnich	.25
S. L. Johnson	3.25
J. E. Weaver	.25
Elinora Kauffman Weaver	.25
Samuel Burkhard	5.25
Elsie Byler Burkhard	1.50
Total	$349.20

EXPENDITURES

October News Letter	$ 9.50
Printing, News Printing Co	3.25
Typewriting	.35
Stationery	8.43
January News Letter	9.50
April News Letter	9.00
Alumni Banquet	47.00
Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, Ed. News-Letter	5.00
Total	92.03
Cash balance	$257.17

Respectfully Submitted, J. E. Weaver.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'06-'07—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole, a daughter.

'07—C. B. Blosser is doing graduate work at the University of Wisconsin. He is specializing in agriculture.

'07-'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, a son.

'09-'13—On October 7, Miss Frances Elizabeth Ebersole and Fredric N. Berkey were married at the home of Miss Ebersole's mother at Freeport, Ill. They have located at Tomah, Wis., where Mr. Burkey is engaged in business.

'10-'11—Miss Alma Bontrager and Leland Greenwalt were married on July 18, at the home of Miss Bontrager's mother at Middlebury. They are at home now at Goshen, where Mr. Greenwalt is engaged in business.

'10—Samuel A. Zook and Miss Violet Slocum were married in August at Marklesville, Okla., where Mr. Zook is superintendent of schools.

'10—On November 24, Menno C. Landis and Miss Orpha Hostetler of Elkhart, Ind., were married at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Landis now reside in Goshen, Ind., where Mr. Landis is in the employ of the Sheet Metal Specialtiy Company.

'11—Samuel Burkhard, who received his A. M. degree from Columbia University in 1912, has entered the same institution for further graduate work in education and psychology.

'11—Jesse Stutzman is professor of agriculture at Goshen College.

'11—Born to Rev. and Mrs. Carl A. Rasmussen, Hammondsport, N. Y., a son.

'11—Miss Rossie Hostetler is instructor in the High School at Miami, Fla.

'12-'09—On Nov. 16, Amos S. Ebersole and Miss Elvina Steiner were married at the home of Miss Steiner's mother at Bluffton, Ohio. They are at home now in Goshen, Ind., where Mr. Ebersole is the Director of the School of Music at Goshen College.

'12-'09—Miss Olive Nafziger and John S. Plank were married on July 24. They are at home now at Goshen, Indiana, where Mr. Plank is engaged in business.

'13—C. C. Zeigler has been re-elected as superintendent of schools at New Paris, Ind. At the close of his last years work the high school was commissioned by the State Board of Indiana.

'13—Silas Hertzler has entered the Theological Department at Northwestern University.

'14—Samuel Witmer is Professor of Biological Sciences at Goshen College.

'14—Miss Esther Lehman and Steven Yoder of Heston, Kas., were married on October 24, at the home of Miss Lehman's parents, at Columbiana, Ohio.

'14—Miss Nola Banta is instructor in the High School at New Paris, Indiana.

'14-'13—Mr. and Mrs. John E. Weaver have entered the graduate department of Indiana University. Mr. Weaver is doing his major work in the department of mathematics and Mrs. Weaver is specializing in history. ,

'14—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Simon W. Sommers of Fair View, Mich., a son.

'15-'12—On September 2, Orie O. Miller and Miss Elta Wolf were married at the home of the bride's parents at Akron, Pa. They have located at Akron, Pa.. where Mr. Miller is engaged in business.

'15—Chancey Duker and Miss Cora Smith were married on November 25, at Goshen, Indiana, where Mr. Duker is instructor in science in the High School.

'15—Samuel P. Unzicker has entered the

chemical engineering department of the University of Wisconsin.

'15—Aaron J. Eby is superintendent of schools at Wolf Lake, Indiana.

'15-'15—Clifford and Lewis Brunk are studying medicine at Ohio State University.

'15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Brunk, Goshen, Indiana, a son.

AT THE COLLEGE.

WITHIN a week of the opening of the Winter Term the enrollment reached a total of 251, distributed among the several departments as follows:

College	87
Academy	90
Normal	11
Bible (regular)	14
Bible (special)	26
Music	13
Business	11
Total	252

It is significant that even though there was a slight decline in the total attendance there was an increase of college students as compared with last year. In the Normal, music and business departments there was a loss. The academy held its record of a year ago and the College and Bible departments made gains. Fluctuations from year to year are to be expected but the general tendency is a steady growth, especially in the College department. Last year's senior class was considered unusually large but the number of A. B. degrees that will be conferred this year promises to be as large if not larger than last year.

The interclass debates are attracting the usual attention of the students and citizens of Goshen. On the evening of November 12, the Freshmen and Sophomore teams discussed the question: "Resolved that Immigration should be further restricted by an illiteracy test."—F. A. Butler, R. L. Hartzler, O. B. Gerig with H. S. Bender as alternate, representing the Sophomores advocated the affirmative. The Freshmen team, debating the negative, consisted of W. E. Oswald, J. H. Yoder and C. E. Lehman with Abel Snyder as alternate. The judges voted two to one in favor of the negative. On the evening of December 17, the Juniors and Seniors discussed the question: "Resolved that the Monroe Doctrine should be continued as a part of the foreign policy of the United States." J. H. Warye, E. E. Miller, A. D. Hartzler with W. A. Stoltzfus as alternate representing the Juniors argued the affirmative while the negative was upheld by the Seniors, L. E. Blouch, S. E. Yoder, J. C. Meyer, with L. L. Miller as alternate. Again the negative won by a two to one vote of the judges. Both debates were spirited contests and fully maintained the standard of former years.

The faculty committee selected O. B. Gerig, E. E. Miller, J. N. Smucker with W. E. Oswald as alternate, to represent Goshen College against Manchester College in the coming intercollegiate debate. They will have the negative on the home floor. A. D. Harzler, L. E. Blauch, J. C. Meyer, with C. E. Lehman as alternate, will debate the affirmative against Mt. Morris at Mt. Morris. The question selected for this year is: "Resolved, that the United States should cease to maintain the Monroe Doctrine."

During the closing week of Summer School, Professor Winter received information that he was elected Professor of Educational Psychology in the University of North Dakota. The appointment came unsolicited and was a great surprise to Professor Winter. Since the new position offers a fine opportunity for promotion, the College, in justice to Professor Winter, felt obliged to accept his resignation. The faculty, students and friends of the College wish Professor Winter large success in his new position.

In two weeks after Professor Winter's resignation the position was filled by electing Professor George D. Bivin of Fargo College, Fargo, N. Dak., professor of Philosophy and Education. Professor Bivin has had unusually good training. He received the A. B. degree from Clark College in 1909. In 1910 Clark University granted him the A. M., and in 1913 the Ph. D. degree. Since receiving the Ph. D. degree he has been professor of Philosophy and Education in Fargo College. Dr. Bivin is giving strong and popular courses in Philosophy and Education. Personally Dr. Bivin is a man of fine ideals and pleasing social qualities. He is deservedly popular among the students and faculty.

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LETTER FROM J. W. SHANK

(To give the Alumni a better understanding of the nature and scope of the work of the Board of Trustees for the $50,000 endowment Fund, the resolutions embodying the general financial plan of the organization are printed in this issue. It was only after they had begun to organize the work that the members of the Board of Trustees realized the magnitude of the task they had undertaken. The treasurer, Mr. Ebersole, found is necessary to devote an unusual amount of his time to the formulation of the financial policy and work it out in elaborate details. The Chairman of the Soliciting Committee, Mr. Shank, gave his time to the development of the plans for solicitation. As soon as the Board had completed its work of organization, Mr. Shank made a very careful and systematic canvass in the vicinity of Goshen during the week before his school opened in La Junta, Col. He found a favorable response from the Alumni and if he could have continued, the subscriptions to the Fund would already be taking on very large proportions. In the letter which follows, he gives the Alumni several timely suggestions.—Editor).

To the Alumni:

Eight months have passed since the resolutions for raising the $50,000.00 Endowment Fund in ten years were adopted. During this time a great deal of hard work has been done to organize the movement so that something could be done. After the holding of a number of meetings during several months of last summer, the Board of Trustees for the Endowment Fund finally accomplished sufficient organization and planning to begin active soliciting.

Any alumnus who has ever done active work in pushing the financial side of a movement is aware of the fact that a great deal of patience is required to produce results. Especially is this true when the work must be done by correspondence. Those who graduate from college are usually a busy class after they have entered professional life. The person who approaches them by correspondence becomes fully aware of this before his work has progressed very far. When he makes personal calls it is possible to do business in a short time. But when solicitation is done by mail it is easy to delay answering letters. Even the most loyal alumnus will lay aside a letter expecting to attend to its reply in a very few days, but the days slip into weeks and months.

The moral to the foregoing discussion is this: If it is within the power of the alumni members to take a part in this movement, it is well to do so at the first opportunity. Here are some of the reasons why this point is urged: First, in order that $50,000.00 may be raised during a period of ten years it will be necessary for as many alumni as possible to begin making payments in the first year of that period. Since the ten year period is to close in June of 1925, it is important that payments begin in June of 1916. Second, if it is desirable that the annual payments be small, they should begin early in the period, e.g. Ten annual payments of $19.16 will give credit for one share of $250.00, but if the first or second year is passed without a payment being made, the annual payments for the remaining years will have to be larger than this amount to realize credit for one share.

A report of the solicitation for this Fund will be made at the next annual meeting of the Alumni Association in June. The aim of this report will be to give the totals of subscriptions by classes. In order that each class may have the best possible showing in this report, it is hoped that subscriptions will be made promptly.

While it is not my present purpose to make a report of solicitations up to date, it may however, be stated that about forty members of the Association have already given in their subscriptions under the new plan. The average amount given by these members is indeed creditable, the majority having subscribed the full share or over. The amount to be added to the Fund is constantly increasing. Let us hope that the next four months will bring even a greater response from other alumni.

J. W. Shank,
La Junta, Col.

RESOLUTIONS FOR ENDOWMENT FUND

THE following resolutions taken from the minutes of the Board of Trustees for the Alumni Endowment Fund were unanimously adopted upon recommendation by the Treasurer of the Board, Mr. J. F. Ebersole. Previous to such recommendation, the Treasurer submitted his original draft of the resolutions to the Investment Committee of which he is chairman, for suggestions. The resolutions, therefore, are the embodiment of the best thought and judgment of Mr. Ebersole and his advisory committee.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED AUG. 26, 1915

For the purpose of establishing system and order in the financial affairs and transactions of the Board of Trustees of the Alumni Endowment Fund, be it **Resolved,**

I. That subscriptions shall be received either in the form of notes or in cash, and that the notes shall be sought and received by the secretary of this board, or his duly appointed assistants approved by said board; and that these notes shall be forwarded at frequent and reasonable intervals to the treasurer of this board, accompanied by an inventory of each remittance made in duplicate. One copy of this inventory, if found to be correct, shall be receipted by the treasurer and returned to the secretary; and the duplicate shall be preserved for the treasurer's records.

II. That all cash payments of subscriptions, whether they be payments of notes or outright cash gifts, and all income of the Board of Trustees, shall be payable to and received by the treasurer of the Board who shall give for such payments of note-subscriptions a receipt in the form of a receipted note, where payments are made in full for the separate notes; and for all other forms of income received, he shall issue a simple receipt.

III. That all moneys received by the treasurer of this Board for the Board shall be deposited in the name of "The Board of Trustees for the Alumni Endowment Fund of the Alumni Association of Goshen College," in a bank or banks, the selection of which shall be approved by the Board of Trustees.

IV. That all payments from the cash assets of the Fund, whether for expenses, or for investments, or for transfer to a new incumbent of the treasurer's office, or for final conversion to the destination designated in the constitutional amendments establishing this Fund and this Board of Trustees, shall be made solely by checks drawn upon the bank account or accounts described in Article III, signed by the treasurer, and subject to the following rules:

(A) Separate bills for necessary expenses of the Fund, or its Board of Trustees, when for sums of five dollars ($5.00) or less may be paid upon the responsibility of the treasurer, or of the chairman of the Board of Trustees, provided notification of such expenditure be filed with the secretary for presentation (reading and recording on the minutes) at the next regular meeting or conference of the Board. In the case of separate bills for expenses exceeding five dollars ($5.00) authorization for such expenditure shall first be secured from the Board either at a regular session or, provided all members are notified, by correspondence yielding the consent of a majority. The signature of the secretary coupled with the word "Approved" and the date of approval, shall be sufficient proof to the treasurer that such bills have been duly authorized by the Board to be paid.

(B) Investment purchases for the Fund shall be made only after specific and detailed proposals for the same have been made and approved by a majority of the Board of Trustees, secured either at a regular meeting, or, provided all members are notified, by correspondence. Such specific and detailed proposals shall be presented to the Board of Trustees by the Chairman of the Investment Committee after consultation with the members of his committee.

V. That the treasurer of the Board shall keep an accurate and complete record of all his receipts and expenditures of money, funds, or assets in a cash book and such other books as may be found necessary, designating in each case the source and amount of the separate receipts, and the purpose and basis of authorization of each expenditure. He shall carefully preserve his check-vouchers returned from the bank

upon settlement of his account with the bank. He shall carefully preserve the notes received from the secretary until they are severally paid. He shall hold for the Board all the legal evidence and documents for investments made. For the adequate protection of these records and any documents of value belonging to the Fund and in his possession, he shall be required to secure a safe deposit box and the expense of the same is hereby authorized to be paid from the Fund.

VI. That any of the assets of the Fund may be converted into cash or into other assets, whenever the Board of Trustees decides so to do, either at a meeting regularly convened or, provided all are notified of the proposed action, by correspondence yielding the consent of the majority of the Board.

VII. That Annual Reports shall be made by the treasurer to the Board of Trustees upon a date satisfactory to the Board (which date need not be the same each year) showing in detail the receipts and expenditures since the last report, the balances at the beginning and at the end of the period covered, and an inventory of the other non-cash assets; and liabilities, if any.

VIII. That the books and accounts of the treasurer may be audited at any time the Board may elect so to do, and, in any case, a final audit and accounting shall be made at the close of the period for which the Fund exist. And before the assets pass from the hands of the treasurer, the Board of Trustees shall authorize for him a release from further responsibility, the same to become effective upon the turning over to the authorities designated in such a release the audited balance found on hand at that time.

IX. That for the faithful performance of the above stated rules and duties and none other, the treasurer shall be bonded by a company satisfactory to the Board of Trustees for a sum sufficient in the opinion of the Board to cover all the risk of loss. The size of the initial bond shall be Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00); and the amount shall be increased to Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) just prior to the first collection date for installments of subscriptions. Likewise, the secretary shall be bonded in the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) for the faithful performance of his duties, which bond shall cover among other things:—careful preservation of all subscription notes received, proper forwarding of such notes to the treasurer and the making of full and immediate remittance to the treasurer of all cash funds or assets that may come into his possession for the benefit of the Fund. Annually, the Board of Trustees shall fix the amount of these bonds. The expense of securing such bonds are authorized by this resolution to be paid from the Fund. And these bonds shall be made payable to the Alumni Association of Goshen College, and placed in the possession of some reliable disinterested party such as a trust company or a reliable individual who may be selected by the Board of Trustees for that purpose.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED FEB. 24, 1916

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Whereas, the Endowment Fund is pledged to earn five per cent compound interest upon all the receipts, and enough more to meet all the expenses of printing, postage, etc., it is important that productive investments be found; and since safety of principal must be a first consideration in order to avoid losses which would reduce the earning of the Fund, therefore, be it **Resolved,**

1. That all investments shall be made in: (a) First liens upon improved farm or city property, and not exceeding fifty per cent of the market value thereof, or (b) in bonds with the net earnings for the past five years of the issuing party equal to one and one-half times the aggregate interest charge upon all bonds outstanding, or (c) in municipal bonds, or (d) in interest-bearing deposits in banks approved by the Board of Trustees.

2. That no investment shall be made that matures later than 1930, except in the case of bonds listed upon exchanges providing marketability.

3. That investments preferably shall be made in properties which are so located as to be available for observation or appraisal by one or more members of the Investment Committee; or by one or more members of the Board of Trustees, or by others personally known to them.

——II——

Whereas, the Endowment Fund notes fall due primarily upon June 15 of each year, and a few on December 15, and the plan of the Fund implies that interest be credited upon all payments beginning the day they are made, it is important that all funds received shall be promptly invested in order to secure an efficient investment policy; and, therefore, be it **Resolved**

1. That on April 15 of each year the treasurer shall notify the members of the Investment Committee and Board of Trustees of the sum total of cash on hand, investments maturing, and notes falling due the succeeding June 15.

2. That members of the Investment Committee or Board of Trustees shall be free to suggest, prior to May 15, proposals for investment which may comprehend investments large as, or smaller than, this sum available for investment on June 15.

3. That the Chairman of the Investment Committee shall receive and combine these proposals in a report to the Board of Trustees; and he shall submit his opinion of the investments proposed, and any proposal of his own, in writing, on or as soon as possible after June 1.

4. That on or before June 15 the Board of Trustees shall act upon the recommendations of the Investment Committee and its Chairman and authorize a list of investments suitable for purchase for the Fund.

5. That on June 16, the Chairman of the Investment Committee shall select such investment or investments upon the approved list as shall most nearly utilize all the money actually on hand on this date.

6. That the same method shall be followed regarding notes falling due December 15, with the various steps, spaced, as to time, in an identical way; provided, however, that for sums less than $300.00, the chairman of the Investment Committee shall exercise his discretion in making investment, giving a decided preference to forms that will mature at or near the next investment date (June 16), and limiting the investments to the classes described in the resolution on kinds of investments.

7. That in case money should be received after June 16, or December 16, the Chairman of the Investment Committee shall use his discretion in selecting from the investments remaining upon the approved list; provided, however, that, since ALL funds on hand June 16 and December 16, are to be invested, the first $100 received thereafter shall be held available to meet expenses for the ensuing six months. The remainder of such expense-reserve on hand upon the next investment date shall be included in, and considered a part of the "sum available for investment."

8. That the treasurer shall devise suitable means for reminding the makers of the notes of the importance of prompt payment for the purpose of concentrating the investments of the Fund.

——III——

Upon recommendation of the Chairman of the Investment Committee, in order to utilize promptly all available moneys received and to establish a standing rule to authorize the investment of small sums that would otherwise remain idle for some time, be it

Resolved, that the Board of Trustees approve the Bank of Perth, Perth, North Dakota, to receive investment funds in the form of certificates of deposit bearing six per cent interest for such sums, not exceeding $300.00, and at such times as the Chairman of the Investment Committee shall deem advisable, other than upon June 16.

——IV——

Upon recommendation of the treasurer and for his own convenience be it

Resolved, that the Board of Trustees approve the following banks for the active checking accounts of the Fund:
State Deposit Bank of Minneapolis, Minn.
City National Bank of Goshen, Indiana.

——V——

Whereas, the treasurer and the secretary serve without compensation and should not be asked to bear expense incurred in performing their respective duties so long as those duties are honestly and faithfully performed, be it

Resolved, that, as an inducement now, or at any time hereafter for them (secretary and treasurer) to sign bonds containing the clause "and the said Principal (secretary or treasurer) doth hereby for himself, his heirs, executors and administrators, covenant and agree to and with the said Surety, that he will save, defend and keep harmless the said Surety, from and against all loss and damage of whatever nature or kind, and from all legal and other costs and expenses, direct or incidental, which the surety shall, or may, at any time, sustain, or be put to (whether before or after any legal proceedings by, or against, it to recover under this Bond, and without notice to him thereof), or for, or by reason, or in consequence of the said Surety having entered into the present bond," the Board of Trustees for the Alumni Endowment Fund agree to compensate them (the secretary and treasurer) for any expense whatsoever that may be incurred by them now or hereafter because of the furnishing or giving of such bond, except in case of proof of the fradulent conversion by them of the moneys, securities, or property of the Fund.

——VI——

Whereas, the treasurer wishes to have the transactions of each separate year examined and aproved as the work progresses, therefore, be it

Resolved, that an audit of the accounts of the Board of Trustees be made annually; and that this audit be made in one of two ways, **either** (a) by a committee of the trustees appointed annually for that purpose by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, **or** (b), whenever it is inconvenient for such a committee of the trustees to view the accounts and vouchers, by a certified public accountant or firm of certified public accountants selected for the purpose by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

ALUMNI NEWS LETTER
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DONATION BY JOHN ROPP AND MRS. MARY RUPP

According to an announcement by President Hartzler several months ago, John Ropp and Mrs. Mary Rupp indicated their intentions of making a donation of $16,000.00 to the College. $6,000.00 has since been paid over to the College and the remainder will be forwarded in the near future. In giving this gift, Mr. Ropp has specified that $5,000.00 of his donation shall be invested in farm land. His remaining $10,000.00 is to be used as the management of the College may direct.

Mrs. Mary Rupp indicated that her $1,000.00 is to be applied to the new dairy barn which will cost approximately $3,500.00. The barn will be erected on the college farm this summer.

The generosity of the donors is greatly appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. John Ropp and Mr. and Mrs. John Rupp have previously given large sums of money to the College. The total amounts of their gifts including this last donation is $56,500.00. They made their first donation when C. K. Hostetler was Business Manager of the College. Mr. Ropp frequently expressed himself that he found a real pleasure in giving in a large way. It was usually through his influence that Mr. Rupp, his father-in-law gave his donations to the College. "I will give as much as you give," was his characteristic remark and that was usually the final word. Mr. Rupp died about two years ago, but his widow, Mrs. Mary Rupp, gave $1,000.00 in the recent donation.

Mr. Ropp, who gave the major portion of the $56,500.00, is interested primarily in religious education. In making his first donation, he specified that the income from the fund should be used for needy students preparing for mission work. The second gift was given to pay off a mortgage on the College Campus. The third was for the purchase of a farm for the College on condition that free tuition be given to regular Bible students. Still later he gave on condition that an additional amount be raised as an endowment fund.

GIFT BY ANONYMOUS DONOR

A donation of $8,000.00 has come to Goshen College through the generosity of a friend of the institution, who requests that his name be withheld from publication. The gift is in the form of an annuity and consists of 320 acres of grazing land near Emporia, Kansas. It is specified that the gift shall be used for endowment purposes in the interests of missionary education.

The donor was formerly a resident of Kansas but some time ago moved to Indiana. He still retained his possessions in Kansas, however, from which he has been realizing an income of more than six per cent on the amount above stated. The College has the privilege of selling the property if it so desires. It is not probable, however, that this will be done in the near future.

The donor has been a warm friend and supporter of Goshen College for a number of years. He has been very intimate in his acquaintance with J. S. Hartzler to whom the first intimations were given with reference to this latest and very generous gift to the institution. The strong religious atmosphere and missionary interests and activities of the College induced him to entrust this gift to the College to aid in carrying out the dominant purposes of the institution. In making this donation, he said, "I put no strings to this gift except that it shall be used to advance the Master's cause in preparing young people to spread the gospel." The management appreciates the obligations it has assumed and will exercise great care in the proper administration of the funds.

Sometime ago the management of the College announced that as soon as the new Science Hall would be completed, the efforts would be directed to the completion of the $200,000.00 endowment fund. This is the initial gift, therefore, in this direction and is greatly appreciated. With the growth of the endowment fund the College will be of still greater service in the future than it has been in the past.

MODERN DAIRY BARN

The plans for the new dairy barn on the College farm have been completed and construction work will begin about June first. The building will be one hundred feet long and thirty-six feet wide with a straw shed forty-six by thirty-six feet. The very best material both for the frame and concrete work will be used. The building and the equipment will be thoroughly modern and conveniently arranged. There will be stanchions for twenty-four cows. The milk room will be entirely separate from the interior of the barn. The plans also include stalls for eight horses. The building will be lighted with electric lights and electric power will be used for water pumping and feed grinding. The Hawks Electric Company of Goshen supplies the current. Two silos, one ten by thirty-eight feet and another twelve by thirty-eight feet complete the entire outfit. It is the intention of the management to place a herd of registered Holstein cattle on the farm as soon as the barn is completed. This herd and the modern dairy equipment will give the department of agriculture of the College a splendid opportunity to give instruction in the practical side of animal husbandry and dairying.

ALUMNI DAY

In addition to the annual reunion on Alumni day, there will be a concert by the Glee Club to which the Alumni are most cordially invited. The following is the program for the day:

2:30 P. M. Glee Club Concert.
3:30 P. M. Meeting, Board Directors.
6:30 P. M. Annual Dinner and Reunion.

A report of the meeting of the Board of Directors will be made at the reunion in the evening. The Executive Committee is arranging a splendid program for the reunion and every Alumnus should put forth a special effort to be present. The interval between the afternoon and evening sessions will be an excellent time for class reunions and a general revival of college friendship. The Alumni who will participate in the afternoon's exercises and mutual exchange of happy greetings will find their enjoyment at the annual reunion in the evening greatly increased.

COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Distribution of Tickets

Tickets are required only for Thursday and Friday evenings. These may be obtained, without charge, from Prof. I. R. Detweiler. They entitle the holders to reserved seats in the main auditorium but the seats will not be reserved after 8:00 P. M. when the doors will be thrown open to the public.

Entertainment Committee

A committee composed of Professors I. R. Detweiler, Samuel Witmer, and Miss Mary Hooley will be glad to render every possible service to commencement visitors. All inquiries should be addressed to this committee.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'02—Born to Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Yoder, Peru, Ill., a daughter.

'02, '03—Born to Prof. and Mrs. D. B. Zook, Akron, Ohio, a daughter.

'04—Prof. C. E. Bender, principal of the Oakland, Md., High School, will teach in the educational department of Goshen College this summer.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yoder, Goshen, Indiana, a daughter.

'05—At the Indiana primary election held on March 7, J. S. Yoder was chosen as a candidate for State Representative on the Republican ticket.

'05—Born to Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Esch, Dhamtari, India, a daughter.

'05, '06—Born to Prof. and Mrs. B. D. Smucker, Bluffton, Ohio, a son.

'06—Prof. J. Frank Ebersole will teach in the Summer School of the University of Minnesota.

'06—Born to Dr. and Mrs. P. D. Summer, Flanagan, Ill., a daughter.

'07—C. B. Blosser's splendid work at the University of Wisconsin has been rewarded with a Scholarship for next year.

'10—Prof. J. W. Shank of La Junta, Col., will do graduate work in Education at the University of Chicago during the coming summer.

'10—On March 30, Chas. E. Yoder and Arvilla Garber were married. The are now located on a farm west of Goshen.

'10, '08—Born to Pres. and Mrs. John

Ellsworth Hartzler, Goshen, Indiana, a daughter.

'10—Charles E. Suntheimer, who has been studying at the Michigan Agricultural College during the past year, will be instructor in agriculture in the Middlebury, Indiana High School next year.

'11, '11—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burkhard, New York City, a son.

'11—Samuel Burkhard, who is doing graduate work in Education and Psychology at Columbia University, has been elected head of the department of Education at Bethel College, Newton, Kas., for next year. During the coming summer he will teach in the Summer School at Bluffton, Ohio.

'11—A. J. Miller has charge of the Normal extension work at the Kent State Normal College, Kent, O.

'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. S. Summer, Metamora, Ill., a daughter.

'12—Jacob R. Rupp has completed the medical course at Rush Medical College and will receive his M. D. degree in June. At the present time he is doing graduate work at the University of Chicago for the M. S. degree.

'14, '13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Shank, Dhamtari, India, a daughter.

'14—Born to Prof. and Mrs. W. B. Weaver, Elkhart, Indiana, a son.

'14—Robert M. Stemen is instructor in the High School at Millersburg, Indiana.

'15—Samuel P. Unzicker is teaching in the science department of the High School at Versailles, Ohio.

'15—A. J. Eby will enter the International Business College at Ft. Wayne at the close of a very successful year as superintendent of schools at Wolflake, Indiana.

AT THE COLLEGE

The new catalog that is now in press will contain some interesting information. It reveals the fact that some of our dreams are coming true. With the beginning of the Summer School, the department of Home Economics will begin regular work. Young women can now elect Home Economics as their major subject for the A. B. degree, or elect any number of courses as free electives in this department. The work will be in charge of Miss Vesta Zook, who is an A. B. graduate of Goshen College and will receive the B. S. degree in Home Economics, in June, from Lewis Institute at Chicago, after two years of study in addition to her work in Goshen College. Miss Zook has had three years' successful teaching experience.

The department of Home Economics will have commodious quarters on the second floor of the Science Hall. These include two laboratories, a model dining room, a girls' rest room, an instructor's office and a class room. The equipment for this department that is now being installed is new and of the most approved type throughout.

Miss Zook is also to serve in the capacity of Dean of Women. With the return of Miss Sylvia Bontrager, after two years of study in Boston, the continued service of Miss Mary Hooley and the adding to the faculty Miss Opal McCoy, we shall, for the first time, have four women on our faculty giving their whole time to the teaching and administrative work of the college. Miss McCoy studied four years at De Pauw University and holds the Mus. B. degree from that institution. Miss Hooley will again study at the University of Chicago this summer. We feel that Goshen College is now in position to appeal very strongly to women who seek an education. We were never so well prepared to serve them as we are now.

This has been a great year for Goshen in intercollegiate activities. On the evening of April 7, its representatives in debate won two victories over Mt. Morris and Manchester Colleges and the representative in the state peace oratorical contest took second place with nineteen institutions participating.

In intercollegiate debate Goshen College had but one debater who had intercollegiate debating experience previous to this year, but was fortunate in having a large number of young men of intercollegiate caliber to choose from. The team, which met Manchester College on the home floor, consisted of O. B. Gerig, captain, E. E. Miller, J. N. Smucker, and C. E. Lehman as alternate. The team that made the trip to Mt. Morris was composed of A. D. Hartzler, L. E. Blauch, J. C. Meyer, captain and W. E. Oswald as alternate.

The question for debate this year was, Resolved, "That the United States should

cease to maintain the Monroe Doctrine.'' At Mt. Morris our debaters upheld the affirmative and won by a two to one vote of the judges. At home, our team defended the negative and won a unanimous decision over Manchester. The debates were spirited and thoroughgoing discussions which reflect much credit on the work of Goshen College. In four years of intercollegiate debating, we have won four successive victories over Manchester and three of four debates with Mt. Morris. Our record could hardly be improved.

The local peace oratorical contest was held on the evening of Feb. 21, 1916, at which time the following orations were delivered:

The reign of Peace, Frank Haut.

The United States and Universal Peace, Lewis L. Miller.

Science and International Harmony, Frank Stoltzfus.

The Night of War; What of the Day, Frank A. Butler.

Mr. Stoltzfus and Mr. Butler won first and second places and prizes of fifteen and ten dollars. This made Mr. Stoltzfus the representative of Goshen College in the state contest, held at Indiana University on the evening of April 7. Mr. Stoltzfus' oration was one of the best yet heard at Goshen College and was warmly praised at the state contest where it took second place, failing by the narrowest margin to win first place as the accompanying score shows. Mr. Stoltzfus received a prize of $50.00 in the state contest.

Name and Institution	JUDGES			Rank
	Lapp	Otto	Moore	
Bryant Gillespie, Indiana	2	1	4	1
Frank Stoltzfus, Goshen	4	2	2	2

COMMENCEMENT WEEK

May 28-June 2.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, May 28

7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by President John Ellsworth Hartzler.

Monday, May 29

Final Examinations.
7:00 P. M. Literary Society Reunions.

Tuesday, May 30

Final Examinations.
8:00 P. M. Recital by School of Music.

Wednesday, May 31

2:30 P. M. Glee Club Concert.
6:30 P. M. Alumni Dinner and Reunion.

Thursday, June 1

10:00 A. M. Athletics.
2:30 P. M. Academy Class Program.
7:00 P. M. College Class Program.

Friday, June 2

10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.
10:30 A. M. Final Students Devotional Meeting.
1:00 P. M. College Luncheon.
8:00 P. M. Commencement Exercises. Address by President William Lowe Bryan, Indiana University.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday, June 1

Campus, 7:00 P. M.

Gift to Our Alma Mater....Louis L. Miller
Response by President Hartzler.
The Passing of the Emblem.....
.....Solomon E. Yoder
Junior Response.

Assembly Hall, 8:00 P. M.

Class Presentation.....Charity Steiner
Oration—The Receding Horizon.....
.....Jacob C. Meyer
Piano Solo—Beethoven Sonata, Op. 14 No. 2.....Florence Wenger
Oration—A Modern Poet.....Mary Hooley
Oration—Marching On....Lloyd E. Blauch
Vocal Solo-The Years at the Spring..Beach
June .....Beach
.....Nellie Yoder
Breaking of the Wreath.....Fannie Shank

ACADEMY SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday, June 1, 2:30 P. M.

Piano Solo, La Fontaine, Op. 31, Lysberg..
.....Esther Reed
Salutatory—To Know, To Live, To Do....
.....Ezra Deter
Essay—Alice Freeman Palmer.....
.....Vesta Miller
Vocal Duet—Two Merry Alpine Maids....
.....Grace Hostetler, Esther Reed
Original Story—The Schoolmates.....
.....Kathryn Speigle
Debate—Resolved, that Arbitration should be a Substitute for War.....
Affirmative—Carl Kaser
Negative—Ray Eschleman
Quartet—Yachting Glee.....Culbertson
Ezra Deter Arthur Slagel
Harvey Nunemaker Daniel Hostetler
Address—The Man with a Message.....
.....Arthur Slagel
Class History and Prophecy.....
..... Cleone Friesner
Valedictory—A Step Forward..Ella Shoup
Class Song—Words by Arthur Slagel, Music by Esther Reed.

RECITAL BY SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Tuesday, May 31, 8:00 P. M.

Sonata, D Major.....Haydn
Chant du Voyageur, Op. 8, No. 3.....
..... Paderewski
Eunice Guth
Wanderer's Song.....Schumann
Mrs. Sallie Blake
A May Morning.....Denza
Harriet Geddes
Sonata, G Major.....Haydn
Important Event.....Schumann
Marie Ackerman
The Two Grenadiers.....Schumann
Daniel Hostetler
Summertime .....Landon Ronald
1. Day-break. 2. Morning. 3. Evening.
Joy Arnold
Valse, Op. 62, No. 11.....Gurlitt
Album Leaf, Op. 12, No. 7.....Greig
Song without Words.....Mendelssohn
Op. 19, Nos. 4 and 6, Op. 53, No. 5
Mina Showalter
Somewhere a Voice is Calling.....Tate
F. A. Butler and B. F. Hartzler
O Divine Redeemer.....Gounod
Cleopatra Meyers
Concerto, Op. 58.....Moscheles
Allegro moderato.
Mary Thornton
(Orchestral accompaniment on 2nd piano by Noble Kreider).

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SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND

NO doubt the readers of the News Letter will be interested in seeing a few statistical facts in regard to the progress of the Endowment Fund movement. We do not feel like boasting over the results of the first year's canvass of the Alumni but there are many reasons for great encouragement. The response from all Alumni whom we have been able to reach by letter or by personal visit has been remarkably good. While there are some to whom letters were sent, that have not replied, a good average have responded with encouraging letters.

At the time of the Alumni reunion, just a few weeks ago, we reported subscriptions to the amount of $7,000, which have been received for the Fund. Today we can announce that this amount has been increased by a little over $4,000, making a total of a little more than $11000. Of this amount $1875 has been subscribed in sums greater than one share ($250); $7500 in sums of one share each; and $1750 in sums less than one share. From these figures it is readily seen that by far the largest number of people are keeping up with the standard of one share.

We would like to report at this time the totals of all class subscriptions to the Fund. One thing makes us hesitate to do this; that is the fact that in some cases nearly all members of the classes were personally solicited while in other cases only a few have been reached. This difference is largely due to the locations. In view of this inequality, we will report only a list of the classes which deserve special mention for the total amounts subscribed. In the following list actual subscriptions by note or cash only are included:

Class of 1916	$1875.00
Class of 1915	1500.00
Class of 1905	1050.00
Class of 1912	962.00
Class of 1911	812.00
Class of 1910	774.00
Class of 1906	750.00
Class of 1902	687.00

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THE FINANCES OF THE ALMUNI ENDOWMENT FUND

THE Alumni decided in June, 1915, to raise $50,000 within ten years. Enough has been accomplished during the first year to convince the members of the Board of Trustees that the Fund is going to prove a successful undertaking.

The Board has proceeded cautiously at every step taken during this first year. This care and caution has been due to the realization that every decision made would establish a precedent or rule of action for the full ten year period in which this Fund is being developed.

The business methods of the Fund have been the subject of much consideration. The members of the advisory committees were consulted upon all the important points involved. After securing their advice the Board has proceeded to deliberate and then to formulate final conclusions in resolutions, the last of which were approved in the latter part of February, 1916. During the past year, fully half of the time and energy devoted to the work of the Fund by the members of the Board has been consumed by the correspondence and deliberation connected with the establishment of these business methods and their announcement to the Alumni in the News Letter. This effort has been justified by the confidence which these systematic methods inspire in contributing Alumni. It is the desire of the Board to keep the Alumni fully informed of the methods followed and of the facts as they develop.

While the major part of the first year has been spent in organization, the end of the second year should witness the completion of at least one approach to each Alumnus that has not already sent in his own request to join in this Fund. While the Alumni are responding willingly and cheerfully, when the request reaches them, yet it appears to be necessary to send the requests, and this is a problem requiring considerable time and energy of the Board.

The financial work of the Trustees has three phases: (1), securing subscriptions;

(2), collecting subscriptions; and (3), investing the cash received. How have these three tasks been performed?

First, Despite the large proportion of time spent upon the problem of organization during the first year, $11,024.63 has been received in subscriptions. Primarily, this work has fallen upon the Secretary and he has made a good showing in the opinion of the other members of the Board.

Second, Our first experience with the problem of collections came on June 15, 1916, the first date upon which a considerable number of installment notes fell due. The treasurer prepared a printed notice to be sent those whose notes fell due at that time. We are convinced that payments will not be made without the sending of such a notice, and the expense involved appears to be necessary. The percentage of notes that were taken care of at maturity was very high; and much higher than the normal experience of a typical country bank with its maturities. Probably changes of address may account for the three notes yet uncared for, since a few payments are known to have been delayed by this difficulty.

As an inducement to insure continuous prompt payment of all notes on the dates when they fall due, the Board will add 6 per cent interest upon the delinquent amounts, as is provided for in the notes. This inducement is a minor one however. The Board relies more upon a proper sense of responsibility and obligation to bring the payments in upon the due dates. Without such a sense of personal responsibility any individual pledge would be worthless. The plan adopted is dependent upon the continuous cooperation of the contributors.

Third, The cash received has been promptly invested as was originally planned. $750 has been deposited in two banks at six per cent interest for a period of six or twelve months. This is a desirable form of investment since it is productive of a good rate of interest and is available upon short notice to be combined with later receipts in a single investment.

Lastly, some detailed statement of receipts and expenditures may be made here even though a full fiscal year has not yet elapsed. The first Alumni subscription was paid in full by L. C. Schertz in February, 1916. The total cash receipts to July 7, 1916 were $853.47. The investment was $750 as above mentioned. The expenses may be classified as follows: Printing, $15.07; postage, $19.12; envelopes and stationery, $10.74; mimeographing, $2.45; typewriting, $3.10; books of record, $2.50; soliciting expense $40.00; revenue stamps, $7.60; safe deposit, $2.90; fidelity bonds, $7.00; and rubber stamp .30.

Several comments should be made upon this report.

(1) There is an overdraft in the bank account of $7.31. (Some Alumnus or Alumna of spontaneity can do a real service by sending in a cash subscription at once). (2) The expenses for printing, postage, and stationery are not a fair measure of a single year's expense. Stationery, blank notes, notices, and a large number of stamped envelopes are on hand available for use in subsequent years. These would probably inventory for twenty dollars. (3) The expenditures for soliciting work will not be less but probably greater during the next few years or until the whole fund is pledged.

Respectfully submitted,
J. F. Ebersole,
July 7, 1916. Treasurer.

Subscriptions to the Alumni Endowment Fund

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In making these estimates we have observed the rule of counting each Alumnus in the class from which he last graduated, unless by special request the person wished to be placed with an earlier class. In the case of a single subscription by man and wife who are both members of the association but of different classes, we have credited half to one and half to the other.

It may be quite possible that, by the time another News Letter is published, the ranking will need to be changed because of incoming subscriptions. It should be the aim of each Alumnus to do his part in keeping up the total for his own class. It is the individual subscription that counts in making totals.

Respectfully submitted,
J. W. Shank,
July 4, 1916 Secretary.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

THE twentieth annual commencement exercises on Friday evening June 2, were a fitting close to the events of commencement week. After the invocation by Dean Whitmer and a piano solo by Mr. Dunkleberger, President William Lowe Bryan of Indiana University delivered a splendid address to the graduating class on the subject, "The Trap of Habit." The serious purpose of the speaker made a deep impression on the large audience which completely filled the auditorium as he emphasized the fundamental truth of his theme.

One of the great tragedies of life is the result of men having only a superficial knowledge of their professions or trades. In the faithful performance of their daily tasks they form habits which make for efficiency but because they lack the knowledge of the fundamental principles of their professions they cannot adjust themselves to the necessary changes that come with our advancing civilization. Very frequently without a moment's warning these men find that they are caught in a trap—the trap of their own habits.

It is very essential, therefore, that we lay our foundations well in order to escape being caught in our own traps. The speaker emphasized the fact repeatedly that the fundamental sciences should constitute an important part in this early preparation. Such a preparation will enable the individual to understand his profession so that he can adapt himself to any change as well as to become a leader among men. Furthermore, with such a preparation an occupation which often is simply a trade may be placed on a higher plane and become an art; and when done in the highest way it is a part of religion.

At the close of the address, Prof. Ebersole sang a solo, after which President Hartzler conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts and granted diplomas and certificates to the members of the graduating class who had finished their work. The class, including those who will complete their work at the close of the Summer School has a membership of forty-six. Following is the class roll:

Bachelor of Arts

Lloyd E. Blauch
Henry Burkhard
Ida L. Eby
Asa Hertzler
Albert F. Holdeman
Mary Hooley
Elmer E. Lehman
Jacob C. Meyer
Louis L. Miller
Elcy Russell
Fannie Shank
Charity E. Steiner
Charles E. Sunthimer
Alice G. Treuschel
Florence L. Wenger
Nellie A. Yoder
Solomon E. Yoder

Academy

Norman Bauman
Ezra Deter
Ray Eschliman
Cleone Friesner
Prudence Gardner
Mary Good
Cordelia Grabill
Daniel Hostetler
Grace Hostetler
Lewis Hoover
Carl E. Kaser
Vesta Miller
Harvey Nunemaker
Nancy Ramseyer
Esther Reed
Rosa Russell
Stella Shoemaker
Ella Shoup
Amos Showalter
Arthur Slagel
Kathryn Spiegle
Ora Stiver
Amelia Wengerd

Music

Mary Thornton

Business

LeRoy Ganger
Edythe Miller
Silda Schertz
Bernice Ulery
Thomas Walker

BACCALAUREATE SERMON

WITH the assembly hall filled to its utmost capacity on Sunday evening, May 28th, President John Ellsworth Hartzler in his baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class, made a strong appeal for Christian leadership. The theme of his discourse was taken from Matt. 5:13. "Ye are the salt of the earth." "The Mission of a graduate," he said, "is to supply the world's needs with leaders of righteousness". This need demands the ablest and most devoted men and women to properly reconstruct our educational, international and religious ideals.

In our educational work it is necessary to maintain high standards but our aim should be to develop consecrated and efficient leaders rather than scholars. A broad intellectual vision must go hand in hand with a deep spiritual insight. Furthermore, in order to properly meet the demands of the age, these leaders must be impressed with the principles that have a world wide application. And, finally, they must have a religion that springs from the heart and not a mere profession so that they can lead men into a larger and fuller life. Their appreciation of the spiritual must counteract the materialistic tendencies of our days. They must be Apostles rather than Prophets in order that they may properly lead in building up great institutions to bring the kingdom of God on earth.

THE SENIOR CLASS

THE College Senior Class had a membership of eighteen this year. This is the largest senior class in the history of the college. Owing to ill health, however, one of its members was unable to complete the year's work with the class. For the third time, therefore, there were seventeen candidates for theBachelor of Arts degree, including those who can finish the work in one summer term.

The class represents a variety of interests as is indicated by their majors. One specialized in History and Social Science, two in English, two in German, four in Philosophy and Education, four in Biological Science, and four in Physical Science. As they leave the institution, the majority will enter the teaching profession. A large number have been employed as high school instructors. Several expect to engage in farming and religious work. Others will do graduate work in some of our leading universities. The professional schools of medicine, agriculture and home economics will be represented. As an indication of the intellectual acumen of the class, three of its members have been granted scholarships and fellowships by three of the leading universities.

To give expression to their interests in and loyalty for their Alma Mater, they presented the College with a double bench as a memorial to be of service to their College friends in future years. In the subscriptions to the new Alumni Endowment fund this class heads the list as is indicated in Prof. Shank's report on the first page.

ALUMNI DAY

Business Meetings

THE Board of Directors met on Wednesday afternoon of commencement week to transact the business of the Association and make nominations for officers and members of the Board of Directors. Dr. S. T. Miller of Elkhart, Ind., President of the organization, presided at the meeting. At the Alumni reunion in the evening, the Association endorsed the transactions of the Board and elected the nominees as officers and members of the Board.

The following persons were elected to serve on the Board of Directors for the next three years: J. F. Ebersole, P. E. Whitmer, S. E. Weaver and J. C. Meyer. Mr .Meyer represents the Senior class.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. S. T. Miller; 1st Vice-President, J. S. Yoder; 2nd Vice-President, Dr. W. B. Christophel; Recording Secretary, Miss Anna Yoder; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Vinora Weaver; Treasurer, Samuel Witmer.

J. M. Kurtz was re-elected editor of the Alumni News Letter.

Brief reports on the progress of the work of the Alumni Endowment Fund were given. Mr. Kurtz, chairman of the Board of Trustees for the fund, stated that as soon as the organization for the

fund had been perfected careful and detailed financial plans were adopted. These have been previously announced in the News Letter. Mr. Shank, Secretary of the Board and Chairman of the Soliciting Committee, reported that $7,000 had already been subscribed to the fund. (In his latest report given on the first page of this issue this amount has been considerably increased.)

Twenty-six new members were received into the Association at the reunion in the evening.

Alumni Reunion

One of the most enjoyable events of commencement week was the reunion of the Alumni on Wednesday evening. The presence of a number of Alumni from a distance made it a rare opportunity for the renewal of College friendships. The executive committee had made every possible arrangement for the comfort and enjoyment of the guests by serving dinner at the parlors of the First Methodist Church. The Ramblers were present and contributed their full share to the pleasure of the evening. Dr. S. T. Miller, President of the Association, was toastmaster on the occasion and in his usual vein of boundless good humor presented the speakers of the evening. The toasts which were responded to by Rev. R. R. Detweiler, Miss Mary Hooley, Dr. W. B. Christophel and Dean P. E. Whitmer were very appropriate and full of enthusiasm. The entire occasion was permeated with the spirit of loyalty to their Alma Mater by those who are vitally interested in its future welfare.

The Alumni who have been unable to attend the reunions during the last few years will be glad to know that next year commencement week will come a week later than this year. This will bring Alumni Day on June 6, which will enable practically all of the Alumni engaged in High School and College work to meet their friends of college days at the future reunions.

TREASURER'S REPORT

From Oct. 1, 1915 to July 1, 1916

RECEIPTS

Cash Balance	$230.41
Alta M. Eby	10.00
C. B. Shoemaker	3.00
Etta A. Gilliom	27.75
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver	.50
J. S. Yoder	.50
Lena Albrecht	1.50
J. L. Brenneman	3.00
S. W. Witmer	.25
Nelson Bechtel	.25
Adda Miller Weber	.25
Frances Z. Oyer	2.50
A. J. Eby	.25
Anna Yoder	3.00
P. E. Whitmer	.25
A. Z. Martin	.25
Henry Burkhard	.25
Wm. Landis	52.50
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Burkey	1.25
Alumni Banquet	42.00
Minnie Yoder	26.50
Anna Hoover	2.25
Winnie Kline	1.25
Mrs. H. B. Snyder	2.75
Total	$412.41

EXPENDITURES

Alumni Endowment Fund	$225.41
October News Letter	8.75
Receipt Book	.05
January News Letter	9.25
Printing, News Printing Co.	7.25
Postage	.50
Postage and typewriting	.55
J. M. Kurtz, Ed. News Letter	5.00
April News Letter	9.75
Alumni Banquet	95.15
Total	$361.66
Cash Balance	$50.75

Respectfully submitted,
S. W. Witmer, Treas.

WANTED—PERSONAL ITEMS

The policy of the News Letter during the last few years to give considerable space to personal items has been very acceptable to the Alumni. The number of columns printed each year during the last five years is 4¾, 5½, 5, 7¼, and 8¼. The increase in the number of individual items is even more marked as is indicated by the following figures: 54, 63, 78, 80, 105. There is no reason why we should not have ten columns with approximately 150 items during the coming year. This would be devoting one-fourth of each issue to personal items. If the Alumni will cooperate in this matter by reporting infor-

mation about themselves and their friends they will perform a service which will be highly appreciated by every reader of the News Letter.

FACULTY PERSONALS

During the past year President Hartzler traveled in the interests of the college in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York. In addition to this, he held evangelistic meetings and delivered a series of lectures on Sunday School normal work at Smithville and Sugar Creek, O., attended the state conference at Kalona, Ia., the state and local church and Sunday School conferences and Mission Board meetings; delivered baccalaureate sermons at Goshen College and the high schools of Metamora, Ill., and West Liberty, O.; gave commencement addresses at the high schools of Walnut Creek, O., and New Paris, Indiana; attended several important state educational meetings; delivered a series of lectures during the Special Bible Term at Goshen College, besides preaching and speaking on various occasions in and near Goshen.

Dean Whitmer, Profs. Gerig, Kurtz, Weaver, Stutzman, C. E. Bender, Ebersole, Miss Vesta Zook, Miss Bertha McKenzie, and H. W. Schrock constitute the Summer School faculty.

Professors Lehman, Detweiler, Miss Hooly and Dr. Bivin are studying at the University of Chicago.

Professor Witmer is doing work in Biology at the University of Illinois.

Professor Dunkelberger is studying at the American Conservatory of Music, Chicago. He will be instructor in piano at the Oregon Agricultural College next year.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'04-'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist of Scottdale, Pa., a son.

'04—H. F. Reist, editor of the Christian Monitor, has recently been ordained to the ministry. He was the unanimous choice of the congregation at Scottdale, Pa.

'05—On June 8, Dr. S. T. Miller of Elkhart, Ind., gave a very practical address to the students of the summer school on the subject: "Schoolroom Sanitation."

'06—Dr. C. D. Eash and family of the Dhamtari India Mission, will return to America next winter on furlough.

'09-'12—On May 2, Miss Anna Christophel and Ezra Mullet were married at the home of Miss Christopel's parents near Goshen, Indiana.

Goshen, Ind. They are at home now at Nappanee, Ind., where Mr. Mullet is engaged in business.

'09-'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Plank, Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'10—J. W. Shank has been elected professor of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kas. He is spending the summer in graduate study at the University of Chicago. Alumni who are corresponding with him in connection with their subscriptions to the Alumni Endowment Fund will address him at 5815 Dorchester Ave., Chicago, Ill., until September 1.

'10-'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gilliom, Danville, Ill., a son.

'10—Miss Florence Cooprider will sail from San Francisco for Dhamtari, India, in October to engage in medical missionary work. She completed her medical work at the University of Illinois, where she received the M. D. degree after which she spent a year as interne at a Philadelphia hospital.

'11—I. R. Detweiler, professor of New Testament and Missions at Goshen College, has been elected Dean of the Bible School.

'12—After receiving his M. D. and M. S. degrees from the University of Chicago in June, Jacob Rupp began his work as interne in a hospital in Los Angeles, California.

'12—Fred A. Conrad completed his theological work at the Divinity School of Boston University and received the B. D. degree in June.

'14—Miss Ella Mullet and Clarence Holloway were married on May 12, at the home of Miss Mullet's parents at Nappanee, Ind. They are at home now at Nappanee, where Mr. Holloway is engaged in business.

'14—Robert Stemen will be assistant principal of the high school at Millersburg, Ind.

'14—Miss Ada Hoover and Abram Hartman were married on Jan. 1 at the home of Miss Hoover's mother near Goshen, Indiana.

'15—A. E. Kreider is doing graduate work in the Divinity School of Northwestern University. He has been granted the Shafer Fellowship for next year.

'15—Miss Vesta Zook who received her B. S. degree at Lewis Institute, Chicago, in June, has entered upon her work as head of the department of Home Economics at Goshen College.

'15—Miss Lita Miller will teach in the city schools of Elkhart, Ind

'15—Miss Margaret Detweiler completed her work in Home Economics at the University of Chicago in June and received the Ph. B. degree. She has accepted the position of instructor in Home Economics at Freeman College, Freeman, South Dakota.

'15—Adam Rupp has become the proprietor of the Luncheonette cafe in Goshen.

'16—Lloyd E. Blauch will enter the University of Chicago for graduate work in Education. Mr. Blauch has been granted a scholarship by the University for the coming year.

'16—Henry Burkhard has caught the modern spirit and has gone "back to the farm" after having devoted considerable time to the study of scientific agriculture.

'16—Miss Ida Eby will devote the next few years to further study in the medical department of the University of Illinois. She is at present engaged as a nurse at a sanitarium in Waukesha, Wis.

'16—Asa Hertzler has been elected principal of the high school at Churubusco, Indiana. He will teach science and manual training.

'16—Arthur Holdeman will devote his time next year to the study of agriculture at the University of Illinois.

'16—Miss Mary Hooley will be instructor in English at Goshen College. At present she is doing graduate work at the University of Chicago.

'16—Elmer Lehman has been granted a scholarship in agriculture for next year by the University of Wisconsin.

'16—Jacob Meyer will enter Indiana University for graduate study in education. He has been elected to a fellowship by the University.

'16—Miss Elcy Russel will continue her studies in Home Economics at Chicago University.

'16—Miss Charity Steiner will be instructor in the township high school at Pandora, O.

'16—Charles Sunthimer will be instructor in agriculture at Middlebury, Ind.

'16—Miss Alice Treuschel will teach German in the junior High School at Elkhart, Ind.

'16—Miss Florence Wenger will teach in the city schools of Elkhart, next year.

'16—S E. Yoder will be instructor in the High School at Topeka, Ind.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE regular school year which has just closed is characterized by three distinct gains. The science departments occupied the new Science Hall soon after the middle of the year and found it admirably suited to their needs. The previous crowded conditions of the laboratories is entirely removed and the comfort and convenience of the new building adds very materially to the maintenance of high standards of work. The new department of Agriculture has given the college its first experience in vocational education. Professor Stutzman did splendid work in spite of the fact that some of his courses were deprived of laboratory facilities during the first half of the year. The large enrollment in this department later in the year is an indication that the college has performed a distinct service to its constituency in this fundamental modification of its educational policy. As was stated in a previous issue the department of Home Economics has also been added to the curriculum.

Several large donations in addition to a number of smaller contributions have come to the college during the year. In a public statement during commencement week. Pres. Hartzler stated during the last three years approximately $60,000 has come

to the college. Nearly one-half of this amount was the result of his efforts during the past year. The largest individual donation that the college has ever received is included in the last year's totals.

"The students make the college." While this is only a partial truism, the faculty felt the truth of the assertion this year because of the splendid conduct of the student body. The number of student problems that required the special attention of the faculty were reduced to a minimum. While such a condition depends primarily upon the individual characteristics of the students, it is also an indication that the college is developing into a more mature institution. The great majority of our students have always stood for the highest standards and as the years pass by these ideals are more and more becoming traditions which are not easily set aside. These traditions are a valuable heritage and fortunate the institution that can depend upon its student body to maintain its most cherished ideals and standards.

While the year was characterized by an absence of difficult student problems, it also gave encouragement to the tendency developing in recent years to give more serious consideration to the problems and activities of the church. There are more students each year who are definitely looking forward to spending their future in church work in the rural communities as well as missionary work. The increasing number of college students who are taking Bible courses is a very hopeful indication and cannot help but bring about desirable results in the church at large.

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With the beginning of the fall term, John J. Fisher will assume his duties as assistant professor of Philosophy and Education. For the last three years this position has been temporarily filled first by Prof. Winter, who was with us two years, followed by Dr. Bivin who was with us one year and Prof. C. E. Bender who has charge of the work in Education this summer. All these men who have worked in the department are well trained and have wide teaching experience. This made their work especially valuable to the college. Mr. Fisher has spent the last three years without interruption in special training for this work. He spent one year and a summer at Indiana University as a state fellow. He holds his A. M. degree from Indiana University. The last two years he has studied in the University of Pennsylvania as a Harrison fellow in Philosophy. Last summer he studied education in the University of Chicago and this summer he is taking special work in education at Columbia University. Mr. Fisher has had teaching experience in the rural schools, in the Academy of Goshen College and in the Goshen City high school. In all these positions he made a good record as a teacher. His ability, extensive study and teaching experience will make him a strong addition to our faculty.

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Arrangements are being made to conduct a model rural school to provide adequate observation work for our normal students who are preparing for rural school teaching. The township trustee of our township has turned over to the college the most favorably located and one of the best equipped rural schols in the township for this work. The college will place into this school a teacher who is a graduate of a standard normal school and who has had several years of successful teaching experience in rural schools. When this model rural school is under way Goshen College will have fulfilled all of the requirements for accreditment as a "C class" normal school. Our three year normal graduates will then be recognized both in Indiana and all other states as professionally trained in a school of the first rank.

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The summer school is under way and doing excellent work. We are making an effort to make the work as helpful to our students as possible. Mr. Bender is giving popular courses in psychology and education. Miss McKenzie is doing fine work in the model school. All the other courses are up to their usual standard. The students also are having a delightful time socially while they do an acceptable standard of work in all their courses. The attendance this summer is the same as last summer but we have a larger proportion of young men than we have yet had.

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FROM THE VIEWPOINT OF AN ALUMNUS*

A LETTER has come from the old College calling for the viewpoint of an Alumnus. He begins the task, not without a bit of pleasure for it means not only an expression of his present thoughts and aspirations but also a peep into his yesterdays. A train of thoughts is awakened and the sleeping brain cells of memory begin their work of gathering material.

The Alumnus usually looks upon his future as a bright, promising possibility and his yesterdays are like a golden chain of events. It is the present that is full of stern realities of life. Upon this he must pause a moment for reflection in order that its real character may be discovered.

When he looks out upon the world, he sees it as a great complexity. Years ago it seemed more like an institution that was waiting to become the benefactor or perhaps the servant of any typical well prepared graduate of college. Today he is not disappointed in the world. He does not feel that his high hopes as a graduate were all visionary, but he sees that, in so many ways the world is different from his earlier conception of it.

Today the world brings pleasure never dreamed of in the yesterdays and it has vexatious elements many of which were completely hidden in those days. The Alumnus in his yesterdays did not know how much pleasure is to be gained from hard work in which real hardships must be encountered. He did not know that soul food is sometimes found in tasks that others could or would not do—tasks that were given to him because he would do them in spite of their undesirability. He did not know that the doing of some such tasks is of absolute necessity for the highest character building. In his yesterdays he said, "I will never do work like that. I will prepare myself well so that I may hold a better job where there is less drudgery." But as the yesterdays slipped away his observations of the world's doings convinced him that in the best jobs there are often drudgeries and that the efficient man is he who is willing to preform those exasperating tasks.

The most unpleasant discovery that comes to the Alumnus after graduation is that the people of the world, so many of them, are selfish, vain, untrue. To be sure he finds good and great lives all about him, but the other type are far too plentiful. In the commercial and political world there is so much selfish grasping, so much competitive antagonism. In the social world there is so much vanity and folly, so much utter leannes of soul. In the growing boys and girls there is so much wild unrest, so litle thought of the best things in life.

In alarm the Alumnus exclaims, "What is the world coming to? Must I, too, learn to contest for my rights by selfish grasping? Can I so forget my college ideals that I will become vain and lean of soul? Will my children become so thoughtless of the best things in life as do the young children around me? Is it worth while that I hold firm to my ideals?"

The years roll on and the early todays of the Alumnus become yesterdays. The todays are still in the making. In his todays he sees a few hopeful features of the world picture. While the masses of humanity are selfishly seeking vanishing pleasure and soul shriveling gain over their fellows, there are yet thousands upon thousands who are true to higher ideals. In every walk, there are high-born souls, God-made souls who are fighting for the moral and social betterment of the race. To mingle with this class and to help in the campaigns for world improvement are the greatest joys of the Alumnus.

He has a conception of success that is different from that of the popular mind. Why should the amassing of property be

*The spirit of the typical Alumnus is so beautifully portrayed in this article, taken from the 1916 Maple Leaf, that it seemed desirable to give every alumnus the opportunity of reading it.

an ideal for success when it is only a small part of the world's need? To be able to live for the purification of the home, for the moral uplift of the masses of men, for the civic improvement of his community, for the exaltation of the best in human character—this should be the test of success in any man's career.

The memories of college days are to the Alumnus a source of never-ending joy. He can feel today the old pulse of enthusiasm that came when great ideals were in the process of formation. His fondest hopes for the future are that one by one those ideals may find some form of realization, that he may never turn back from his ideal of success and that, when his lamp of life is burning low, he may still be able to say, "I have not failed to keep my ideals of life. I have not bowed my knees to Baal."

In the todays of the Alumnus there is another thought that often claims his attention. It is one in regard to the future of his college—the great mystery tomorrow. Sometimes there come to him suggestions, from some person whose college yesterdays are far removed in the past, that the College is changing, that her old ideals are being ignored, that she has "Lost her first love." But why should an Alumnus become alarmed by a suggestion that is so unworthy of his own ideals? Has he not learned to face the facts of his environment with the conviction that the salt of character can purify the evils of society? Can he not with the same confidence have faith in the leaders of the old College that they will be true to the sacred ideals of the past?

It would be a mark of pessimism in any Alumnus to complain of the fact that the old College has changed. Should not the College change? Is it not rather a mark of progress for an individual or an institution to change? No doubt the old ideals still have a place in the heart of a changing institution but they are clothed in new garments, are mingled with new ideals that are in accord with the changing world.

The typical Alumnus of today believes in the old College. He rejoices to hear of changes that announce her steady growth. He believes in Goshen College as a father believes in his growing son—that a greater future awaits her, that the old ideals cannot die because the life of the institution is wrapped up in brothers and sons of the Alumnus. He expects the College to grow but not without his support and prayers. He hopes to see the day when an endowment fund worthy of the institution will have been raised by the help of his fellow Alumni and the graduates of tomorrow. It is not too much to say that the real Alumnus of Goshen College will not be satisfied until he sees that ideal reached. —J. W. Shank.

FACULTY PERSONALS.

Dean Gerig and Professors Fisher and Stutzman attended the meetings of the Indiana Teachers' Association at Indianapolis, Oct. 26-28. The program was the strongest in every way that the association has ever arranged.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. E. J. Zook, a daughter.

ALUMNI PERSONALS.

'02-'05—Dr. W. B. Christophel, Dr. S. T. Miller, P. E. Whitmer and J. S. Yoder together with D. S. Gerig, Edward Neidig, J. M. Yoder and Joel Troyer have organized a milk condensing company with headquarters at West Liberty, Ohio.

'02-'06—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Gingerich, Ann Arbor, Mich., a son.

'04—H. Frank Reist, editor of the "Christian Monitor" was elected president of the Mennonite Board of Education at its last annual meeting.

'04—C. Edward Bender who was a member of the Summer School faculty at Goshen is continuing his work as Superintendent of Schools at Oakland, Md.

'06—Samuel E. Zook, Professor of German in the high school at Rockford, Ill., spent part of the summer in study at the University of Chicago.

'07—C. B. Blosser is continuing his graduate studies in the department of Agriculture at the University of Wisconsin.

'09-'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yoder, Philadelphia, Pa., a son.

'10—On Sept. 9. Mr. Benjamin S. Ebersole and Miss Ethel Addie Murphy were married at the home of Miss Murphy's parents, Elkhart, Ind. They are at home

now at 651 Lycaste St., Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Ebersole is in the employ of the United States Tire Company.

'10—Miss Ida Ligo is instructor in English at Goshen College.

'10-'09—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank will go to South America in the spring to engage in missionary work under the direction of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. Mr. Shank is head of the department of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kans.

'11—Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hershey have been appointed by the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities to begin missionary work in South America in the spring. Mr. Hershey is pastor of the Zion congregation near Bluffton, Ohio.

'11—Miss Rossie Mildred Hostetler and Mr. A. Adelbert Edwards were married at Jacksonville, Fla., on Aug. 31. They are at home now at 320 S. Pearl St., Rocky Mount, North Carolina, where Mr. Edwards is engaged in the insurance business.

'11-'02—Born to Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Detweiler, Goshen. Ind., a daughter.

'11—Samuel E. Weaver has entered upon his fifth year as Superintendent of Schools at Shipshewana, Ind.

'11—Miss Sylvia Bontrager has resumed her work on the faculty of the School of Music at the college after a two years leave of absence. She completed the course in piano at the New England Conservatory of music at Boston, Mass., and graduated from that institution in June.

'12—On Oct. 21 Mr. William C. Ebersole and Miss Anna Sophia Hansen were married at the home of the bride's parents at South Bend, Ind. They are at home now at 651 Lycaste St., Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Ebersole is in the employ of the United States Tire Company.

'12—Miss Anna Yoder is principal of the high school at Jamestown near Elkhart, Ind.

'12—Miss Ruth Hostetler and Mr. Owen Garver were married at Elkhart, Ind., on Sept. 17. They reside at Gary, Ind., where Mr. Garver is employed as an engineer.

'13—C. C. Zeigler has resumed his work as superintendent of schools at New Paris, Ind.

'14-'13—After a year of graduate work at Indiana University, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver received their Master of Arts Degrees. Mr. Weaver is now principal of the School of Business and Mrs. Weaver is teaching in the German department at the college.

'14-'14—Miss Sana Troyer and Mr. Samuel Witmer were married on Aug. 17 at Youngstown, Ohio. They are at home now in Goshen where Mr. Witmer is head of the Biological department at the college.

'14—W. H. Ebersole is principal of the high school at Granger, Ind.

'14—Miss Nola Banta is instructor in the high school at New Paris, Ind.

'14—Miss Ellen Yoder has resumed her teaching in the high school at Belle Center, O.

'15-'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Orie Miller, Akron, Pa., a daughter.

'15—Vernon J. Smucker is instructor in the high school at Bucyrus, Ohio.

'15—Samuel P. Unzicker is principal of the high school at Scott, Ind.

'15—J. R. Allgyer is continuing his study at Ohio State University.

'15-'11—Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith, Roseville, Cal., a son.

'15—A. J. Eby is superintendent of schools at Wolf Lake, Ind.

'15—Leo D. Hershberger is instructor in the high school at Shipshewana, Ind.

'15—Orus R. Yoder is principal of the high school at Middlebury, Ind.

'16—On August 30 Mr. Charles E. Sunthimer and Miss Ethel E. Cripe were married at Middlebury, Ind. They reside at Middlebury where Mr. Sunthimer is instructor in Agriculture.

'16—Miss Fannie Shank is engaged in teaching at Ronks, Pa.

'16—Miss Nellie Yoder is instructor in the high school at Walnut Creek, Ohio.

AT THE COLLEGE.

THE school year opened on September 20, with the largest enrollment for the fall term in the history of the institution. The registration on the first day was 199, an increase of about 50 over last year. The present enrollment is 223. The largest gains were made in the College department, considerably more than one-half of the students being of College grade. With an unusually large

Freshman class and prospects for the largest A. B. graduating class in the history of the College, the outlook for the new year is very promising.

The new department of Home Economies has attracted a large number of students. The classes in several other departments are quite large due to the rapid increase in the enrollment in the college department. It will be necessary for the management to make some provisions in the near future to keep the size of the classes within the proper limit in order to maintain the present standards in the work that is being done.

There have been a few changes in the faculty as follows: Prof. D. S. Gerig has been appointed Acting Dean to succeed Prof. P. E. Whitmer who resigned during the summer. Prof. Whitmer gave the College valuable service during the eight years that he was a member of its faculty. The contributions that he made for its progress and development will be gratefully remembered by his co-workers and friends of the institution. He will spend the year in graduate study in History and Theology at the University of Chicago.

Prof. Gerig had been the recipient of the Austin Scholarship from Harvard University which carries with it a stipend of $300. He was granted a year's leave of absence by the College but upon the resignation of Mr. Whitmer he consented to forego his years graduate study at Harvard. The work of the English department is in charge of Miss Mary Hooley, '16, who spent the last two summers in study at the University of Chicago and who did splendid work as instructor in English at the College last year, and Miss Ida Ligo, '10, a graduate of our Academy, who completed her College work at Westminster College (Pa) and who comes highly recommended as an English teacher. It was not a small undertaking however for them to assume their duties on such short notice and they consented to do so with some degree of reluctance. Their abilities and training, however, give every assurance of a successful year.

In the Department of Philosophy Prof. J. J. Fisher, '13, succeeds Dr. George D. Bivin who is doing graduate work and teaching in the department of Education of the University of Chicago. Prof. Fisher has had three years graduate study at the Universities of Indiana and Pennsylvania. In addition he spent the last two summers at the Universities of Chicago and Columbia.

Prof. J. E. Weaver has returned after a years study at Indiana University to take charge of the School of Business. Mrs. Weaver has also been engaged as an instructor in the German department.

Miss Sylvia Bontrager who spent two years at the New England Conservatory of Music has again taken up her work as instructor in Piano in the School of Music. Prof. Dunkelberger who filled the vacancy last year is instructor in Piano at the Oregon Agricultural College.

The enthusiasm with which the students have entered into the activities of the year is most encouraging. A strong, wholesome religious atmosphere is pervading the institution. The literary societies with a large increase in their memberships are doing splendid work. The keen interest in the interclass debates was manifested in the large number who participated in the preliminary contests in some of the classes. Preparations are again being made for the annual intercollegiate debates in the spring. The question for the Freshmen-Sophomore debate which will be held on November 29, is "Resolved That All American cities should adopt the Dayton, O., city manager plan of municipal government. The affirmative side of the question will be upheld by the freshman team composed of Wilbur Miller, Charles Eash, Raymond Richner with E. A. Meyer as alternate. The Sophomore team consisting of Walter Oswald, Clayton Lehman and Arthur Slagel with J. B. Cressman as alternate, will debate the negative. The Junior-Senior debate will be held on December 20. The question is "Resolved that the parliamentary form of Government is better adapted to the needs of a progressive and democratic nation than the presidential form. The Seniors, J. N. Kauffman, F. A. Butler, J. H. Warye with Owen Yoder alternate will debate the affirmative and the Juniors, Ora Liechty, Payson Miller, Raymond Hartzler and C. L. Haney, alternate, will uphold the negative.

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THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND

IN order to keep the Alumni fully informed as to the conditions of the Endowment Fund we publish herewith (1) the complete list of names of the Alumni whose subscriptions have been received by the Secretary, (2) the Auditors' reports for the fiscal year Oct. 12, 1915, to Oct. 12, 1916, for both Secretary and Treasure, (3) the names of all those who have made cash contributions to the fund and (4) a statement by the chairman of the fund. The work in general is progressing very satisfactorily. Since the annual meeting of the Association last June the subscriptions to the fund have more than doubled. At that time the Secretary reported subscriptions to the amount of $7,000.00. The total up to and including January is about $15,000.00 This is approximately one third of the total amount which the Association has undertaken to raise as an endowment fund for the college.

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Miss Lola I. Beery
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Miss Vesta Zook

*See Statement of Chairman, page 2.

Auditor's Report for Secretary

Newton, Kansas, Jan. 19, 1917.

To the Board of Trustees for the Alumni Endowment Fund for Goshen College, Goshen, Ind.

This is to certify that I have examined the records of J. W. Shank, Secretary for the Alumni Endowment Fund for Goshen College. The following is a record of the financial statement:

Received in promissory notes	$8,756.71
Received in cash	323.24
Total receipts	9,079.95

The records also show that these notes and cash were received by J. F. Ebersole, Treasurer for the above mentioned fund. The receipts of the Treasurer coincide with the Secretary's records.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) Samuel Burkhard.

Auditor's Report for Treasurer

Financial statement of the Treasurer to the Board of Trustees for the Alumni Endowment Fund of the Alumni Association of Goshen College for the fiscal year Oct. 12, 1915, to Oct. 12, 1916.

INCOME

Promissory notes of subscribers received from Secretary—face value at various maturities	$8,756.71
Cash received from Treasurer of General Alumni Association	225.41
Cash subscriptions received from Secretary	323.24
Interest received on notes paid	.22
Total	$9,305.58

EXPENDITURES

Printing and stationery, etc	$33.86
Postage	19.12
Traveling expenses of Secretary	40.00
Revenue Stamps	7.60
Miscellaneous	10.20
Total	110.78
Balance	$9,194.80

ASSETS, Oct. 12. 1916.

Current Account—State Deposit Bank, Minneapolis	$ 2.69
Certificate of Deposit—Farmers' Bank of Munich, N. D.	500.00
Certificate of Deposit—Bank of Perth, N. D.	250.00
Unmatured notes of subscribers—face value	8,342.35
Matured notes of subscribers—face value	99.76
Total	9,194.80

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 31, 1916.

I have examined the accounts and records of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees for the Endowment Fund of the Alumni Association of Goshen College for the period Oct. 12, 1915 to Oct. 12, 1916, inclusive.

The foregoing financial statement has been prepared therefrom and represents a true statement of the transactions of the Treasurer for the stated period and of the condition of the Assets as at Oct. 12, 1916.

(Signed) C. L. Ratzel,
Certified Public Accountant.

Cash Contributors

N. G. Bauman	Orie O. Miller
J. E. Brunk	S. T. Miller (2)
F. N. Burkey	W. W. Oesch
Mrs. F. N. Burkey	H. R. Rupp
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William Landis	C. C. Ziegler
Miss Martha Martin	P. R. Zook
Miss Meta Martin	S. E. Zook
A. J. Miller	Mrs. S. E. Zook
Miss Lita Miller	Miss Vesta Zook

Statement by Chairman

It seemed desirable to publish the names of the subscribers for two reasons, (1) as has already been suggested, to give the Alumni in general a knowledge of the progress of the movement and (2) to acknowledge in a permanent form all subscriptions so that every donor may know that the contribution has been received. The publication of the names of cash contributors will also serve as an acknowledgment of the receipt of the cash contribution. The list of names of subscribers is much larger than the cash contributors for two reasons. (1) a large number have subscribed since June 15, the time that nearly all annual payments are due, and they will therefore make their first payments next June or even later. (2) The subscriptions are made in a great variety of forms. Some have paid the entire subscription in cash, others make ten annual payments which made their first payment fall due on June 15, 1916. Some begin making their payments in 1917, others in 1918, etc. The wishes of the subscribers are always carerully considered when the notes are made. Those who have charge of the funds are gratified with the serious attitude of the alumni toward the endowment fund. Up to the present time only two individuals have failed to respond to the statements sent out by the treasurer.

The names in parentheses on the first page do not appear on the endowment notes or in connection with subscriptions in any other form. However, in every case where husband and wife are both alumni

and only one name appears with the gift, credit is given to each one for one-half of the donation. In this way the secretary estimates the amounts donated by classes.

The names of all the subscribers up to and including January of this year are included in the published list even though the fiscal year ends on October 12. This means that the total subscriptions to the fund at present are larger than the financial statements of the secretary and treasurer in the auditors' reports would indicate. It is also necessary to call attention to the fact that the auditors have reported the notes at their face value. The total value of the notes to the fund will be the sum of the face value and the accrued interest. Every alumnus who gives a note will receive credit for the accrued interest from the time the note is paid up to June 1925. This means that in raising our $50,000.00 in ten years the cash donations will be much less than that amount. Now in order to simplify the keeping of records the secretary in transferring the notes to the treasurer, reports only the face values of the notes. The auditors also make out their reports with the face values of the notes. In this way the accrued interest and the prospective compound interest earnings need not be computed at each annual auditing of the treasurer's accounts and much time and expense can be saved. When the final report is made at the time the fund is handed over to the college every alumnus will have his accrued interest included in his contribution to the endowment fund. For the present the Board of Trustees will not publish in detail either the amount of individual subscriptions or the amount of cash received from each contributor.

The alumni are very fortunate in having the care of their funds in the hands of competent individuals. The secretary and treasurer are devoting valuable time to this work and their accounts are in splendid condition. Every cash contributor has received from the treasurer either his note receipted or a receipt. The funds have been deposited in banks as is shown by the auditor's report for the treasurer. The secretary and treasurer's books have been audited independently and they agree in every detail. This serves as a double check upon all these matters. The chairman has looked over the reports of both secretary and treasurer and is satisfied that everything has been carried out in proper order. —J. M. Kurtz.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'00—I. W. Royer of Orrville, O., is one of the instructors in the special Bible term.

'04—Among our Alumni whose financial interests are affected by the war is A. C. Ramseyer of Smithville, O., importer and breeder of Guernsey cattle. Just recently he completed the largest cattle sale ever undertaken in that part of the country. The sale consisted of eighty nine head of cattle which he had imported from Guernsey, England last fall.

'05—J. S. Yoder is a member of the House of Representatives in the Indiana General Assembly. He has performed a distinct service to his state in using his influence to place Indiana in the list of prohibition states.

'05—Dr. S. T. Miller has become generally known as one of the successful physicians of Elkhart, Ind. Because of his extensive practice he was obliged to move into more commodious quarters at 506 S. 2nd. St.

'05—Miss Mary Yoder, formerly a librarian in the Dayton, O., city library, has accepted the position of architect librarian with Schenck and Williams, the leading architects of that city.

'05—Miss Amanda Ebersole is devoting a year to study at Lewis Institute. She will be instructor in Home Economics on the Summer School faculty at Goshen.

'10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yoder of Elkhart, Ind., a daughter.

'11—A. J. Miller is instructor in the Department of Education at Ohio Wesleyan University.

'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Umble of West Liberty, O., a son.

'12—Miss Clara DeCamp is instructor in the high school at Cicero, Ind.

'13, '09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis C. Zeigler of New Paris, Ind., a son.

'13—Silas Hertzler is the first Goshen Alumnus to enter Yale University. He is studying in the Divinity School.

'15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duker, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'15—On Dec. 25, A. J. Eby and Miss Grace Conrad were married at Auburn, Ind. They are located at Wolflake, Ind., where Mr. Eby is Superintendent of Schools.

'15—On Aug. 2, Mr. Nelson Bechtel and Miss Martha Snyder were married at the home of Miss Snyder's parents near Hespeler, Ontario. They are located at Hespeler where they are engaged in farming.

'16—A. F. Holdeman is located at Seattle, Wash., where he has opened a branch house for the R. C. Barnum Co., publishers of the Peoples' Home Library.

'16—Louis Miller entered McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, at the opening of the second semester.

'16—Miss Grace Hostetler is doing office work for Dr. S. T. Miller, Elkhart, Ind.

AT THE COLLEGE

The Alumni who attended the annual reunion a year ago last June will remember the pledge made by President Hartzler immediately after the Association had launched the proposition for a $50,000.00 endowment fund for the college in ten years. After expressing his appreciation for the new movement which had just been inaugurated he stated that the management would undertake to raise twice the amount pledged by the Association in the same length of time. It is very probable that the President will be able to realize his part of the agreement much sooner than he then anticipated. The executive committee of the college at a recent meeting took formal action to launch a campaign in the City of Goshen and Elkhart County as well as other localities with the view of making Goshen College a standard institution. President Hartzler will have in his employ in the undertaking men who have had much experience in work of this kind and who have been remarkably successful in raising large sums of money in similar campaigns at other colleges. A number of committees will be appointed who will cooperate in a systematic effort to canvass the entire county during the next three months. Whatever assistance the Alumni can give to the movement will be greatly appreciated by the college. It is of course understood that as far as any financial contributions from Alumni is concerned these will be considered as subscriptions to the alumni endowment fund.

When the fall term opened with an increase in the enrollment of 50 over last year the management felt that every expectation had been realized. The winter term however, has enrolled additional students for academic work and these together with the students who have entered for the special Bible term have brought the total attendance up to 265. The large classes, the large attendance at chapel (the main floor of the Assembly Hall is nearly filled every day) and the large number of regular boarders at the dining hall are repeated evidences of the rapid and substantial growth of the college.

The Annual interclass debates were up to their usual standard. On Nov. 28, the Freshmen and Sophomore representatives debated the question "Resolved that the American cities should adopt the Dayton, Ohio, city manager plan of municipal government". The affirmative side of the question was upheld by the freshman team composed of Raymond Rychener, Wilbur Miller, Charles Eash and E. A. Meyer, alternate. The Sophomore team debating the negative consisted of W. E. Oswald, C. E. Lehman, Arthur Slagel and J. B. Cressman, alternate. The negative won by a two to one decision of the judges.

The Junior-Senior debate was held on Dec. 19. The question was "Resolved that the parliamentary form of government is better adapted to the needs of a progressive and democratic nation than the presidential form." The Juniors debating the negative were R. L. Hartzler, O. R. Liechty, Payson Miller and C. L. Haney, alternate. The seniors upholding the affirmative were J. H. Warye, F. A. Butler, J. N. Kaufman and Owen Yoder. alternate. The negative won another victory by a two to one vote of the judges. Both debates were splendid exhibitions of talent and gave evidence of careful preparation. The arguments were ably presented and the contests in both cases were unusually close.

Immediately after the interclass debates the teams were selected for the intercollegiate debates with Mt. Morris and Manchester Colleges. The question to be debated is "Resolved that after the present European war, all international differences which cannot be peaceably adjusted must be referred to an arbitral court of justice." Goshen's Affirmative team consisting of W. E. Oswald, Captain; A. D. Hartzler, R. L. Hartzler, and Arthur Slagel, alternate, will go to North Manchester. The negative team which will debate with Mt. Morris at Goshen is composed of O. B. Gerig, Captain; E. E. Miller, Payson Miller and R. R. Rychener, alternate. The debates will be held the latter part of March or early in April.

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OF GOSHEN COLLEGE

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COOPERATION

WE are living in an age characterized by great organizations. Not only in the commercial and industrial world, but also in the moral and religious, world-wide organizations are being formed. Organizations almost without number for a multiplicity of purposes are in extant.

It is only thru organization, energized by individuals, that the great modern achievements are possible. Organizations have been so perfected that the individual in it is a comparatively small factor. Nevertheless, without the individual and his cooperation with other individuals in the organization it would be lifeless and powerless to accomplish its object. We believe that the ultimate success of any enterprise is not dependent so much on the character of the organization, nor upon one single individual, but principally upon the nature of the cooperation between the persons vitally connected therewith. Supply the sympathetic, helpful cooperation and an effective and efficient organization for that particular work will be the logical result. The character and spirit of the cooperation is prophetic of the ultimate degree of success that may be realized.

In all the activities pertaining to the welfare of the Church cooperation is of the most vital importance. It is possibly the most fundamental element in success. The essence of Christianity is fellowship. Fellowship with Christ will lead to fellowship with believers in Him, and especially with those of like faith. Such fellowship is conducive to the spirit of sympathetic cooperation.

Successful cooperation always implies an agreement on the fundamental principles of the enterprise. In the promotion of religious education there must be a common understanding as to its primary function and the object of the denominational school.

It is generally conceded that the primary function of a denominational school is to furnish religious education that is in harmony with the principles and standards of its constituency. The principles and ideals of the Church that brought it into existence must permeate and control its activities in order to retain the right to be called a denominational school. The only right a Church school has for its existence as a denominational school is that it embodies those distinctive features, which characterize the Church, in the training of its students, and which cannot be obtained at any other institution of learning. Hence to fulfill its mission the policy of the school must of necessity be shaped by the ideals and standards of the Church rather than by those of other institutions.

There needs to be, therefore, an understanding and perfect agreement between the Church, the school, and the Alumni as to what these principles and ideals are that distinguish the Church from others and justifies her right to an existence. Only when there is perfect agreement here is the most effective cooperation possible.

An essential, and possibly the most vital, element in successful cooperation is that of confidence. There must be trust and faith. If there is perfect agreement fundamentally, incidental difference are not likely to be many and of such a character as to destroy confidence, but if fundamentally there is disagreement the incidental differences will be greatly multiplied and may destroy confidence. Where men of temperament, experience, and training are engaged in a cooperative effort it is not to be expected that there will be perfect accord when it comes to the question of details and methods of accomplishing the primary objects of the movement. This fact, however, should not make effective cooperation impossible. In good "team work" minor differences are subordinated for the sake of attaining the primary object.

The Mennonite Board of Education representing the Church; the Faculty representing the College; the Alumni representing the product of the College, all need to labor together sympathetically and energetically for the realization of those ideals and principles that brought into existence our Alma Mater.

H. F. Reist, Pres. Men. Board of Ed.

COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alumni Day

In addition to the meeting of the Board of Directors and the Alumni reunion on the afternoon and evening of Alumni Day, June 6, the Glee Club will give a concert at 2:30 P. M. The reunions of the Literary Societies will be held in the forenoon. It is hoped that the Alumni will avail themselves of the opportunity to attend all these meetings as well as the Class reunions which are being arranged for by several classes.

Annual Fee

This opportunity is taken to remind all alumni that the annual fee of twenty-five cents is again due. This fee is used to defray the expenses connected with the publishing of the Alumni News Letter. In accordance with the provisions set forth in the constitution all funds in the Treasury have been turned over to the Alumni Endowment Fund. It is very important therefore that each member of the Alumni Association attend promptly to the payment of the fee so that funds will be available for the continuance of the News Letter.

S. W. Witmer, General Treasurer.

Distribution of Tickets

Tickets are required for Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The admission fee to the Philharmonic Concert on Tuesday evening is twenty-five cents and tickets can be secured from Prof. A. S. Ebersole. The tickets for Thursday and Friday evenings may be obtained, without charge, from Prof. I. R. Detweiler. These entitle the holders to reserve seats in the main auditorium but the seats will not be reserved after 8:00 P. M. when the doors will be thrown open to the public. See last page for program announcements.

OBITUARY

On Saturday, Feb. 24, Harvey L. Stump died at his home at Upland, California. For several years his failing health due to tuberculosis was a matter of grave concern to his large circle of friends. After going west for a change in climate a few years ago there were some hopes for his recovery but the necessary relief never came He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his death.

In his death the Alumni Association loses one of its most esteemed members and the college a most loyal friend. As a student he was earnest, sincere and conscientious in his efforts. His noble christian character was an inspiration to all his associates. He was prominently identified with the student activities, having very ably represented Goshen in one of the state intercollegiate peace oratorical contests. He was a member of the class of 1910, the first class to receive the degree of Bachelor of Arts at Goshen College. The other members of the class are Pres. J. E. Hartzler, Prof J. W. Shank, Supt S. A. Zook and W. W. Oesch.

After leaving college he devoted his few years of active service to educational and religious work. He was principal of Wakarusa, Ind., high school one year and professor of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas, two years. In this brief period he made a host of friends among the young people for whose welfare he was willing to make any sacrifice.

Mr. Stump was a member of the Church of the Brethern. He was ordained to the ministry about eight years ago.

This is the third death in the Goshen College Alumni Association since it was organized. Miss Aleline V. Brunk died Dec. 11, 1906 and J. S. Musselman, July 11, 1913. Both were members of the class of 1901.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'01—A. C. Moyer of Rush Lake, Saskatchewan is devoting considerable time aside from his agricultural pursuits to the general welfare of his community. He has been for some time the Secretary of the local organization of the Saskatchewan Cooperative Grain Grower's Association which does co-operative buying and selling of provisions and farm products.

'05—P. E. Whitmer, who is devoting the year to study in the Theological department of the University of Chicago, will be Professor of Church History in the Seminary at Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, beginning with next year.

'09—J. O. Herr is located at Pleasantville, New Jersey, about five miles from Atlantic City, where he is superintendent of the Atlantic County Water Company of New Jersey.

'10—J. C. Brunk secretary of the County Young Men's Christian Association of Re-

public County, Kansas, is editor of "Manhood of Republic", a splendid four page, quarterly periodical published by the association in the interests of the young men of the community.

'10—M. C. Landis. who disposed of his interests in the Metal Products Company, of Goshen. Ind., to become a stockholder in the West Liberty Milk Condensing Company at the time it was organized, has gone to West Liberty, O. He will have charge of the work of condensing the milk.

'10—Levi Miller is a very successful Chiropractor at Richmond, Ind.

'12, '10—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Conrad are located at Riverside, Pa., where Mr. Conrad is pastor of the Methodist Church.

'12—D. A. Driver, who was located at Fort Wayne, Ind., the past two years where he was in the employ of the General Electric Co., and later taught in the vocational schools of that city, has just recently gone to West Liberty, Ohio, where he is connected with the work of the West Liberty Milk Condensing Co.

'13, '05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Geigley, Gordonville, Pa., a son.

'14—Born to Prof. and Mrs. William B. Weaver, Elkhart, Ind., a daughter.

'15—B. H. Smith has a clerical position with the Southern Pacific Railroad at Loomis, Cal.

'15, 13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Unzicker of White Pigeon, Mich., a son.

'15, '13—On April 7, Miss Esther Smoker and Mr. Noble O. Hoover were married at the home of Miss Smoker's parents near Goshen, Ind.

'15—On February 23, Mr. Lewis P. Brunk and Miss Bertha Redd were married at the home of Miss Redd's parents at Delphos, Ohio. They are at home now at Columbus, O., where Mr. Brunk is a student in the medical department of Ohio State University.

'16—L. E. Blauch who entered the graduate department of the University of Chicago last fall has just recently been elected to a Fellowship in Education in that institution for the coming year. He will do the major work for the doctorate in Education and the minor work in Psychology. The University has only four fellowships in Education, two of which go to resident students and two to non-residents, who will be at the University next year. The other resident fellowship went to one who has but one year to complete his doctorate. Mr. Blauch is to be congratulated on this splendid achievement.

Mr. Blauch is preparing his Master's Thesis on the subject, "The History of Education in Connecticut before 1800". Some of the thesis work he has done recently has been received with the favorable comment by those under whom he is working that it will very probably soon be published in one of the scientific journals.

AT THE COLLEGE

THE preliminary work in the campaign for the $200,000 endowment fund has been practically completed. A large amount of literature has been sent to about 11,000 prospective donors in Elkhart County and other parts of Indiana and adjoining states explaining the purpose of the campaign. Committees have been organized in every city, town and township in Elkhart County. They are making preparations to call on the residents of their local communities when the active part of the campaign opens. Several good initial donations have already been pledged. The first meeting of the campaign forces will be held on the evening of April 30 to give reports of the work done up to date. During the following twelve days one of the most thorough and systematic canvasses ever made in Elkhart County will be completed. The reports from all over the county indicate a good feeling toward the college and a hope that by May 12 the $200,000 endowment fund will have been realized.

The enrollment for the regular school year of 1916-17 shows an increase of more than ten per cent over that of last year. The total enrollment last year was 289. Up to the time of going to press the total registration for this year was 323. This will be still further increased at the middle of the spring term when teachers from the public schools enter for normal work. One-half of the total increase was in the college department. The percent of increase in the other departments are as follows: Business, 35; Bible, 18; Music, 15; Academy, 10. The total registration in the normal department has not yet reached the last years figures as most of the late registrations are in this department. The total enrollment for the calen-

ALUMNI DAY

Business Meetings

The Board of Directors met on Wednesday afternoon of commencement week to transact the business of the association and make nominations for officers and members of the Board of Directors. Dr. S. T. Miller of Elkhart, Ind., President of the organization, presided at the meeting. At the alumni reunion in the evening the association endorsed the transactions of the Board and elected the nominees as officers and members of the Board.

The following persons were elected on the Board of Directors for the next three years: F. S. Ebersole, S. W. Witmer, J. E. Weaver, and E. E. Miller. Mr. Miller represents the senior class.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, J. S. Yoder; 1st Vice President, F. S. Ebersole; 2nd Vice President, Vernon Smucker; Recording Secretary , Anna Yoder; Corresponding Secretary, Vinora Weaver; Treasurer, S. W. Witmer; Historian, J. C. Meyer. The executive committee is composed of J. S. Yoder, F. S. Ebersole, S. W. Witmer, J. E. Weaver and Anna Yoder.

J. M. Kurtz was re-elected editor of the Alumni News Letter.

Twenty-three new members were received into the association at the reunion in the evening. The total membership now is three hundred and ten, nearly one-half of whom have the Bachelor of Arts degree or its equivalent.

Alumni Reunion

The annual reunion of the alumni on Wednesday evening was one of the most enjoyable events of commencement week. After a very pleasant social hour the toastmaster, Dr. S. T. Miller, gave some interesting reminiscenses of college days in presenting the speakers of the evening. The alumni who responded to toasts were: Prof. J. F. Ebersole, Mrs. W. B. Christophel, W. A. Stoltzfus. J. C. Meyer and Dr. C. D. Esch. Their interest in their Alma Mater and their genuine satisfaction in its large achievements filled the speakers and their fellow-alumni with a spirit of optimism and permeated the entire meeting with an atmosphere of loyalty to the institution and the high ideals for which it stands.

FACULTY PERSONALS

During the past year President Hartzler traveled in the interests of the college in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and New York. In addition to this he delivered addresses at North Manchester, Ind., at the high schools of Wakarusa and Shipshewana, Ind., and Walnut Creek, Ohio, and at the annual convention of the Municipal League of Indiana held at Goshen; conducted Bible Normal work at Bloomington and Normal, Ill., and Bible Conference work at Belleville, Pa.; delivered Baccalaureate Sermons at Goshen College and the Topeka, Ind., high school; attended church conferences at Milford, Neb., Garden City, Mo., Elida and Sugar Creek, Ohio; attended the meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities; delivered addresses and preached at the college and on various other occasions in and near Goshen.

Acting Dean Gerig and Professors Kurtz, Blosser, Fisher, Wm. Weaver, Ebersole, J. E. Weaver, Miss Amanda Ebersole, Miss Naomi Brenneman, Mrs. Ina K. Slate, Miss Bertha MacKenzie and Miss Opal McCoy constitute the Summer School faculty.

Professors Lehman, Detweiler and Miss Zook are studying at the University of Chicago.

Professor Witmer has a position with the General Electric Company at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Professor Zook is spending a part of the summer vacation at his former home at Smithville, Ohio.

Miss Hooley is spending her vacation at Belleville, Pa.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'04—E. J. Rutt has resigned the superintendency of the Monroeville, O., schools to engage in business in Cleveland, O.

'05—P. E. Whitmer received the Master of Arts degree at the June convocation of the University of Chicago.

'06—J. F. Ebersole, Assistant Professor of Economics at the University of Minnesota, has been elected cashier of the State Deposit Bank at Minneapolis. This is his sabbatical year and he may resume his work at the University at the close of his year's leave of absence.

'06—Dr. C. D. Esch of Dhamtari, India, has returned to America on furlough. He will spend the year among the churches in the interests of the India mission. A part

of his time will be devoted to furthur preparation in his chosen profession.

'06—S. E. Zook is gaining quite a reputation as a teacher of German at the Rockford, Ill., high school. He recently refused an offer to teach German at Rockford College in addition to his regular work at the high school. Besides this he has been doing big things in music as director of large choruses and a high school glee club. He is also devoting some time to musical composition. One of his recent productions has been published.

'08—Dr. H. G. Good is teaching at the University of Oklahoma this summer.

'09-'10-'11—On August 18 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank and Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hershey will sail from New York for Buenos Ayres to engage in mission work in South America under the direction of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. Upon their arrival there considerable time will be given to the study of the language and the people and to a careful investigation of the conditions in Argentine and Uraguay before a new mission station will be opened. The probabilities are that the mission will be located in Argentine.

'12—On May 27, Miss Alta Mae Eby and Mr. Paul Erb were married at Hesston, Kan. Both Mr. and Mrs. Erb will continue their work on the faculty of the Hesston Academy and Bible School.

'12—On June 30, Dr. Jacob R. Rupp and Miss Edith Naomi Vorhees were married at the home of Miss Voorhees' parents at Davisburg, Mich. They are now at home at Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Rupp is a hospital surgeon.

'12—C. L. Haney is pastor of the Evangelical Association circuit at Bippus, Ind.

'13—The sad death of Mrs. George J. Lapp has made it necessary for Mr. Lapp to discontinue his work in India. He and his two children are now on their return voyage to America.

'14—Miss Nola Banta will teach at New Paris, Ind., next year.

'14—On June 12, Mr. Charles O. Hershey and Miss Emma L. Eby were married at the home of Miss Eby's sister, Mrs. M. S. Steiner, at Columbus Grove, Ohio. Mr. Hershey will enter the Illinois University School of Medicine this fall.

'15—S. P. Unzicker will be instructor in general science in the high school at Neenah, Wis., next year.

'15-'16—On June 5, Miss Lita Romayne Miller and Mr. Elmer E. Lehman were married at Madison, Wis.

'16—Miss Ida Eby received the Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Illinois in June. This degree is conferred by the institution at the completion of two years of medical work.

'16-'16—On June 14 Mr. Albert F. Holderman and Miss Elcy May Russell were married at the home of Miss Russel's mother at Olney, Ill.

'16—J. C. Meyer will enter Harvard University this fall for furthur graduate study. He spent the past year at Indiana University where he received the Master of Arts degree in June.

'16—Miss Nellie A. Yoder will teach in the high school at Sugar Creek, Ohio.

'16—S. E. Yoder will teach in the high school at Topeka, Ind.

'17—F. A. Butler will attend McCormick Theological Seminary.

'17—A. D. Hartzler will teach science and mathematics in the high school at Scroby, Montana. The following year he expects to enter Rush Medical School.

'17—J. N. Kaufman and family will return to India to resume their mission work after an absence of three years. They are planning to sail from San Francisco in September. The exact time is somewhat uncertain.

'17-'16—Miss Lydia Lefever and Mr. Henry Burkhard were married at the home of Mrs. Mary Burkhard, Goshen, Ind., on June 9. They are at home now at Roseland, Neb., where they are engaged in farming.

'17—E. E. Miller has been elected Superintendent of Schools at Shipshewana, Ind.

'17—John Slabaugh will teach at Waterford, near Goshen, Ind., where he is principal of the high school.

'17—B. F. Stoltzfus has been granted a scholarship by the Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford Conn. During the coming year, however, he will be principal of the high school at Shipshewana, Ind.

'17—W. A. Stoltzfus will enter Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., this fall. He holds a scholarship in the School of Religion for next year.

'17—Douglas Wallgren will enter Indiana University for graduate study in mathematics and physical sciences. He has been elected to a fellowship by the University.

'17—John Warye will teach science in the high school at West Liberty, Ohio, next year.

'17—Miss Susanna Nice will teach in the Shipshewana, Ind., high school.

AT THE COLLEGE

The regular school year which has just closed has given the college another opportunity for service and as heretofore the results have been very gratifying. The high standards of scholarship that are being maintained by the student body in recent years come as a distinct reward to the members of the faculty for their constant emphasis on thorough work and for their years of study and research in their chosen fields. The increasing number of scholarships and fellowships held by our alumni in the past and again granted for next year is one of the best indications that the college has an established reputation in other institutions for the highest type of scholarship.

With a strong religious atmosphere under careful faculty leadership the institution is able to send out an increasing number of devoted young men and women whose desire is to give their services to the work of the church. The desire on the part of the college to be of service not only to the students while in college but through them to the communities wherever their efforts are needed and appreciated is becoming more generally recognized and is resulting in a closer cooperation between the college and its constituency.

These are worthy ideals and in order that they may be properly cherished there needs to be a cordial relationship between faculty and students. In this respect the past year has been very satisfactory. The Acting Dean, Prof. Gerig, has been eminently successful in the discharge of his disciplinary duties and succeeded in eliminating all serious problems of this nature. The college was obliged to close for about two weeks during the spring term on account of the appearance of a number of cases of small-pox among the students. Practically all the cases were very light forms of the disease so that, aside from the interruption of the regular school work, there were no serious consequences.

Prof. C. B. Blosser has returned to the college after a two years leave of absence for study in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin. Because of his ability and intense application to his work, Prof. Blosser received considerable recognition at the University. He received the degree of Master of Arts in June. His splendid record as a teacher together with his broad training in his chosen field admirably qualify him for his duties as Dean of the School of Agriculture.

Several changes have been made in the English department. Miss Ida Ligo has resigned to do graduate work in English during the coming year. Miss Mary Hooley, who previously held this position, but who had been asked to teach the College English work last year will continue her work in the Academy. Prof. Isaac Keller has been secured for the work in College English. Prof. Keller received his A. M. degree at Harvard University in 1912. Since that time he was head of the department of English at Blue Ridge College, Md. until last year when he did research work in English at Columbia University. He also did graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania. He is now a candidate for the Ph. D. degree at Columbia University. Those who know Prof. Keller and are familiar with his work, speak very highly of his abilities as a teacher of English.

Next year the Bible School will have two additional instructors. A. E. Kreider, who will complete his work this summer at the Garret Biblical Institute and Northwestern University, will offer courses in Old Testament and Religious Education. George J. Lapp, who will give his services to the college upon his return to America, will divide his time between teaching at the college and doing extension work.These additions to the faculty will mean much to the department as well as to the work of the institution as a whole because of the ability of the men and the serious purposes which prompts them to take up their duties.

In the School of Music Elvina Steiner Ebersole will give instruction in singing. She is devoting her time this summer to further preparation at the Northwestern School of Music. Her natural ability and training will make her services highly appreciated.

Miss Martha Martin has been secured to give instruction in common branches and serve as assistant in the Department of Education. She is devoting the summer to study at the University of Chicago. As student and teacher Miss Martin has been very successful.

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THE COLLEGE CAMPUS

Since the completion of the new science building and the removal of the men's dormitory to tne north of College Avenue, considerable attention has been given to the beautifying of the college campus. The new quadrangle is more than twice the size of the original campus and gives a very desirable effect now that the ideas of the landscape gardener are being more fully realized. A number of tress—maple. elm, oak and evergreen—have been planted. Some of the shrubbery started years ago has been transplanted, and other changes made to give the grounds a better appearance.

From the entrance on Eighth Street the main driveway encircles the entire quadrangle. A second entrance on College Avenue is located east of the Aurora Arch. A cement walk will later be placed around the entire campus just outside of the main driveway. The old walk and fountain will be removed as soon as the new walk is completed.

Between the Administration and Science buildings, a short drive leads from the main driveway at the front of these buildings to the automobile park in the rear. An evergreen hedge has been placed along the interurban railway at the south end of the grounds. The tennis courts, six in number, to the south and east of Science Hall, have been enlarged and greatly improved with elaborate backstops and other accessories. These improvements have added much to the appearance of this part of the grounds.

In the general plans provisions are also made for three additional buildings. A library will be located between Kulp Hall and College Avenue. On the east side of the quadrangle a gymnasium and men's dormitory will complete the group of buildings. A central heating plant will also be necessary as soon as additional buildings are erected on the campus.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'01-'11—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'02—During his vacation after summer school, Dr. S. F. Gingerich, of the University of Michigan, spent two weeks delivering a series of lectures at teachers' institutes in Jasper and Orange counties, Indiana. In Orange county the teachers voted unanimously to have him return next year for another series of lectures.

'03—On Nov. 1, Mrs. Lucinda Yoder Kropf and Mr. Enos Hartzler were married at Mrs. Kropf's home at Goshen, Indiana. They are at home now at Topeka, Ind., where they are engaged in farming.

'05—Several of the alumni have organized a new milk condensing company with J. S. Yoder as president. The plant will be located at Orrville, Ohio. The other alumni who are in the organization are F. S. Ebersole, secretary; Dr. S. T. Miller, J. E. Hartzler and Purl Zook. The company also includes several other parties.

'05—Miss Amanda Ebersole is instructor in Domestic Science in the high school at Kendallville, Ind.

'09-'10-'11—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank and Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hershey arrived in South America and until they have learned the language and investigated conditions will be located at 2861 Calle Condencion, Buenos Ayres (Slores), Argentine.

'06—Jesse L. Brenneman is located at Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky. Those who desire to correspond with him should address him as follows: 1st Group, 159 Depot Brigade, Non-combatant, Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky.

'07—Miss Delta Kauffman is Instructor in Public Speaking at the Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa.

'08—A. J. Reiger has been elected Dean of Freeman College. He has held the chair of German and Education in this institution for more than a year.

'10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Zook, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, a daughter.

'10-'13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Claude Brunk, Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'10—Miss Ida Ligo, who was instructor in English at Goshen College last year, is devoting this year to study in the graduate department of English at Columbia University.

'10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Ebersole, of Detroit, Mich., a daughter.

'10—On Nov. 29 Miss Mary Catherine Ramer and Edgar L. Fisher were married at the home of Miss Ramer's mother at Versailles, Mo. They are at home now at Plainview, Texas.

'11—Jesse Stutzman, former Dean of the School of Agriculture at Goshen College, is County Agricultural Agent of Saginaw County, Michigan. He is also on the editorial staff of the Saginaw Valley Farmer, and edits the Farm Bureau Department.

'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Rupp, of Archbold, O., a daughter.

'12-'09—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Mullet of Nappanee, Ind., a daughter.

'12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Summer of Goshen, Ind., a daughter.

'12—Charles Boomershine is located at Camp Taylor, Louisville. Ky.

'13—On Nov. 1 Mr. Walter Yoder and Miss Matilda Schertz were married at the home of Miss Schertz's parents at Metamora, Ill. They will locate at Metamora to engage in farming.

'13—Miss Lela Lantz is instructor in Art and Music at Topeka, Ind.

'13—Silas Hertzler has entered Columbia University for graduate study.

'13—R. R. Detweiler is pastor of the Methodist church at Bristol, Ind.

'14-'13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shank, of Dhamtari, India, a son.

'14—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Yoder, of Inman, Kansas, a son.

'14—Miss Ellen Yoder is devoting the year to study at the Pittsburg Library School.

'15—J. Roy Allgyer is teaching agriculture in the Plattsburg, Ohio, high school. He is also devoting some time to extension work in the Agricultural department of Ohio State University.

'15-'16—On Sept 5th Mr. Amos E. Kreider and Miss Stella Shoemaker were married at the nome of Miss Shoemaker's parents at Freeport, Ill. They are at home now at Goshen, Ind., where Mr. Kreider is a member of the College faculty. He completed his work at the Garret Biblical Institute and received the degree of Bachelor of Divinity in August of this year.

'15—Adam R. Rupp is located at Camp Taylor, Louisville Kentucky.

'15—B. H. Smith is teaching in the high school at Ansonia, Ohio.

'15—L. D. Hershberger has entered Garret Biblical Institute to further prepare himself for theological work. He is also

doing pastoral work at Stroh, Ind.

'15—O. R. Yoder has entered Rush Medical College at the University of Chicago.

'16-'15—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lehman are doing graduate work at the University of Wisconsin.

'15—Walter Oswald is teaching in the high school at Benton, Ohio.

'16—On Sept. 22 Mr. Louis L. Miller and Miss Sadie Byler were married at the home of Miss Byler's parents at Belleville, Pennsylvania.

'16—Miss Fannie Shank has a position in the public library of La Junta, Col.

'16—Miss Charity Steiner is teaching English and Mathematics in the high school at Pandora, Ohio.

'16—Asa Hertzler is principal of the high school at Townsend, Washington.

'17—O. B. Gerig is principal of the high school at Lodi, Ohio.

'17—Howard Lehman is principal of the high school at Damascus, Ohio.

'17—Miss Ruth Blosser is teaching at Arlington, Ohio.

ALUMNI REUNIONS.

Chicago Alumni.

The annual reunion of the Chicago branch of the Goshen College Alumni Association for 1917 was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. King, 6024 South Park Avenue, at 4 p. m. Saturday, June 2. This meeting was attended by fourteen, most of whom were members of the association. The early part of the evening was spent in social conversation, after which refreshments were served. The meeting was then called to order by the President, Miss Elcy Russell, and after a short business meeting a program consisting of toasts and music was rendered. Mrs. Lydia Belle Miller gave an interesting review of the history of this organization in Chicago, while Prof. Whitmer spoke on the "Relation of the Professor and Student." These two numbers were very much enjoyed as well as the selections of music rendered by Miss Laura Miller, a recent graduate of the American Conservatory of Music.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Ida Eby.
Vice President, Nancy Ramseyer.
Sec.-Treas., Lydia Belle Miller.

West Liberty Alumni.

On Aug. 25 a large number of Alumni and former students of the vicinity of West Liberty, Ohio, held a very pleasant reunion at O'Conner's Landing at the Reservoir, near Bellefontaine, Ohio. The event was the first of its kind in western Ohio and was due chiefly to the efforts of Mr. John Warye who also presided at the meeting. A permanent organization was effected with Mr. J. R. Allgyer, president, and Miss Ellen Yoder, secretary. After a very delightful picnic dinner the alumni, Dr. C. D. Esch, of India, J. R. Allgyer, Miss Ellen Yoder, Wm. Stoltzfus, and E. E. Miller responded to toasts. In their reminiscent moods they emphasized the high ideals of their Alma Mater, and the valuable service which it has rendered in the past and promises to continue to render in the future. Miss Nellie Yoder favored the gathering with a solo. The program was concluded with the singing of the Goshen College song. One of the features of the afternoon was a launch trip across the lake. It is planned to make these reunions an annual affair.

AT THE COLLEGE

The farm of 320 acres near Emporia, Kansas, which was donated to the College about a year and a half ago, may in the near future become a very valuable asset to the institution. A very rich oil field has developed in the adjoining county to the west. During the past year a number of producing wells have also been drilled in the county in which the farm is located. Seven of these wells are within a mile of the college property and are yielding from fifty to three hundred barrels each per day. The well nearest the college farm (less than a half mile distant) is producing one hundred barrels a day. Eight more wells are being drilled at the present time within a mile of the farm and a number of derricks are being erected for similar purposes. There are good indications that there is oil beneath the college farm. The property has been leased and the prospects are that it will not be long before the company will begin to drill on this farm. With all these prospects however the whole proposition still lies within the realm of probabilities and in making this announcement the college does not aim to give any assurance as to the future developments along

this line.

The school year opened on September 26th with an enrollment slightly below that of last year. The present enrollment is 182. A year ago it was over 200. The attendance in nearly all the Colleges and Universities in America is lower than usual this fall due to the war and this is also partially responsible for our decrease. If, however, it had not been for a ruling by the Attorney General of the State of Indiana, last summer, on an entirely different matter, our enrollment would be nearly the same as that of last year. For a number of years many of the academy students were graduates of the common schools of Indiana and their tuition was paid by the township trustees. In his ruling the Attorney General declared it to be unlawful for the trustees to use the public funds for the education of children in private institutions. This affects a large number of institutions of the state, and in several instances the ruling has been ignored. In one case a court upheld the payment of the tuition. The matter will no doubt be taken to the Supreme Court of the State for a final verdict. In the meantime our Academy will not have its usual enrollment.

In the annual contest between the Freshmen and Sophomore classes on Nov. 26, their representatives debated the question, "Resolved, That in America More Attention Should Be Paid to Vocational Training." The sophomore team composed of R. R. Rychener, A. R. Eschliman, E. A. Meyer, and V. D. Shoup, alternate, upheld the affirmative. The Freshmen, H. E. Nunamaker, A. F. Grassmeyer, Miss Adelia Myers, and C. H. Kratz, alternate, supported the negative contention.

On Nov. 28 the Juniors and Seniors debated the question, "Resolved, That the United States Should Establish Compulsory Arbitration for all Labor Disputes Between Employer and Employee." The Seniors, D. E. Lehman, H. S. Bender, Payson Miller and J. R. Slaybaugh, alternate, debated the affirmative. The Juniors, A. W. Slagel, A. H. Hartzell, J. B. Cressman, and Walter Brunk, alternate, upheld the negative side of the question. In each debate the affirmative team won, the former by a unanimous and the latter by a two to one decision of the judges. The time for preparation for these debates was considerably shorter than usual on account of a series of religious meetings which began Nov. 30, but in spite of this handicap, the teams were well prepared and presented their arguments in a very able manner. The teams for the inter-collegiate debates with Mt. Morris and Manchester Colleges will be selected in the near future.

TREASURER'S REPORT
From July 1. 1916, to July 1, 1917

RECEIPTS

Cash balanc forwarded	$50.75
S. L. Johnson	.25
A. C. Moyer	1.00
Wm. Weaver	.25
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver	.50
Mennonite Board of Education	56.97
J. O. Herr	1.50
E. S. Deter	.25
Mrs. H. B. Snyder	2.75
P. D. Summer	1.00
S. W. Witmer	.25
L. S. Miller	1.00
R. S. Smoker	1.00
H. E. Nunemaker	.25
Allen B. Christophel	6.00
Nelson Bechtel	.25
Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Unzicker	.50
Winnie Kline	.25
Daniel Hostetter	.25
Amelia Wengerd	.25
Mary Good	.25
S. E. Yoder	.25
C. O. Hershey	.75
Mary Thornton	.50
Lena Albrecht	1.50
C. B. Shoemaker	3.00
Stella Shoemaker	.25
Chas. F. Suntheimer	.25
Alumni Reunion Tickets	34.00
Mr. and Mrs. Orie Miller	.50
J. S. Yoder	.25
J. J. Fisher	.25
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel	.50
J. F. Ebersole	1.00
Rudy Senger	.25
I. R. Detweiler	.25
Carl Kaser	.25
Clement C. Kaser	.25
Cora Shantz	8.25
Mr and Mrs. Frederic Burkey	.50
Charity Steiner	.25
Anna Hoover	2.25
Mary Hooley	.25
Wm. Landis	.25
A. R. Eschliman	.25
Henry Burkhard	.25
H. G. Good	55.50
J. I. Byler	.25
A. W. Geigley	.25
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank	1.00
Vesta Zook	.50
Anna Yoder	.25
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shertz	.50
H. B. Reed	.25
Ella Wenger	.25
Ella De Camp	.25
O. R. Yoder	.25
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz	1.00
Total Receipts	$241.97

EXPENDITURES

Cooking Club Pub. Co. (July N-L.)	$18.95
J. M. Kurtz (wrappers for N-L.)	10.00
Cook'g Club Pub. Co. (Oct. N-L.)	8.70
Cook'g Club Pub. Co. (Jan. N-L.)	10.35
Cook'g Club Pub. Co. (April N-L.)	12.20
Cook'g Club Pub. Co. (Stationery)	2.25
Postage	6.00
J. M. Kurtz (Editor N-L.)	5.00
Alumni Reunion	36.00
Alumni Endowment Fund	55.00
Total Expenditures	$164.45
Cash Balance	$77.52

Respectfully submitted,
S. W. Witmer. Gen. Treas.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF EDUCATION HELD FEBRUARY 23-26, 1918

THE Mennonite Board of Education was called in special session to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of J. E. Hartzler, President of Goshen College and J. S. Hartzler, member and treasurer of the Board of Education and to consider other important matters confronting the Board. After due deliberation, George J. Lapp was elected president and J. E. Weaver, business manager of Goshen College and F. S. Ebersole, a member of the Board of Education. The Executive Committee of the Board is instructed to elect a treasurer.

President Lapp is a member of the class of 1913. He devoted all his time since 1906 to missionary work in India with the exception of two years in America on furlough to complete his college education. He was general treasurer of the Mission at Dhamtari up to the time of his furlough in 1911. Upon his return to India in 1913 he founded the Mission station at Gatula. A little later the Bible School which had been located at Dhamatri was moved to Gatula and he became its head and held that position until his return to America in the Autumn of 1917.

Early in January of this year the Executive Committee secured the services of an expert accountant to prepare a complete statement of all the assets and liabilities of the Board and the College. He also prepared a condensed statement which was read at the meeting of the Board.

This latter statement has been further condensed for the official minutes.

In order that the alumni may know all the transactions of the Board this entire issue of the News Letter is given over to the official report of the meeting. What follows is therefore an authorized statement from the Board of Education.

OFFICIAL REPORT

This special meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education was called by the Executive Committee of the Board to consider vital problems related to the educational interests of the Church.

Several weeks prior to the meeting of the Board the Executive Committee was in session and dealt with problems confronting them that vitally affected the work of Goshen College.

On December 29, 1917, Bro. J. S. Hartzler tendered his resignation as Treasurer and member of the Board of Education, the same to take effect Jan. 1, 1918 This resignation was accepted by the Executive Committee early in February.

On Feb. 5, 1918, Bro. J. E. Hartzler, President and Business Manager of Goshen College, tendered his resignation to take effect at once. This resignation was likewise accepted by the Executive Committee.

A temporary reorganization was effected by the Executive Committee, subject to the action of the Board, by appointing Bro. Geo. J. Lapp President of Goshen College, and Bro. J. E. Weaver Business Manager. Bro. F. S. Ebersole was appointed a member of the Board and Treasurer to succeed Bro. J. S. Hartzler. It was for the purpose of looking into the conditions that resulted in this reorganization and to consider plans for the future of our educational work that this special meeting of the Board was called for Feb. 23 and 25, 1918.

An official report of the minutes of this special meeting follows:

Saturday, Feb. 23

Meeting was called to order by the President, H. Frank Reist.

Devotion was conducted by D. G. Lapp and John Blosser.

The roll was called and the following members responded in person or by proxy:

H. Frank Reist; D. G. Lapp; D. D. Miller; Sanford C. Yoder; E. S. Hallman (G. L. Bender); Aaron Loucks; J. M. Kreider; J. S. Shoemaker; D. A. Yoder; D. S. Yoder; S. F. Coffman; John Blosser; A. L. Hess (D. H. Bender); I. R. Detweiler; D. N. Lehman (J. S. Shoemaker); J. B. Smith;

D. S. Gerig; D. H. Bender; T. M. Erb (D. H. Bender); Noah Oyer (D. H. Bender); Stephen Yoder (D. H. Bender); D. J. Johns.

The report of the Executive Committee meeting held the first week in February was read by the Secretary and accepted.

The report of the President of the Board was then presented, and on motion it was accepted and a copy filed with the Secretary. (Duplicate copies have been sent to members of the Board.)

The financial report of the accountant was then read by Bro. J. E. Weaver and accepted.

A condensed report follows:

Mennonite Board of Education
Goshen College
Statement of Assets and Liabilities
December 31, 1917

ASSETS

Plant and Equipment	$145,032.71
Other Real Estate	26,275.09
Notes Receivable	7,189.81
Pledges Receivable	36,740.00
Accounts Receivable	5,719.28
Inventory	2,920.00
Cash	310.00
Total Assets	$224,186.92

LIABILITIES

Capital Account	$ 27,630.79
Equipment Fund	55.58
Endowment Funds	56,199.85
Net Investment	83,886.22
Annuities	29,455.00
Notes Payable	104,591.26
Accounts Payable	6,254.44
Total Liabilities	$224,186.92

It was then moved that a committee of five, including the Chairman, be appointed to consider in detail the questions of appointing the various officers by the Executive Committee and make further suggestions for the permanent reorganization of the work and report same some time during this meeting. Committee: S. C. Yoder, Aaron Loucks, S. F. Coffman, C. B. Blosser, and the Chairman.

An incomplete report of the Committee on Problems of Church and School was then presented by Daniel Kauffman.

Board adjourned to meet at 1:30 P. M.

Afternoon Session

Meeting was opened by prayer by Daniel Kauffman.

A partial report of the Commitee appointed to look into details of work of Executive Committee in appointing of officers, etc., to fill vacancies was given as follows:

It is the sense of this Committee that by an oversight on the part of the Executive Committee of the Board, their appointment of a member of the Executive Committee of the College to succeed Bro. J. S. Hartzler was not in order and that Bro. Hartzler be considered as still in office, his resignation having alluded only to his office of Treasurer and member of the Board of Education.

That the Board approve of the action of the Executive Committee in accepting the resignations of the brethren J. E. Hartzler as President of the College and J. S. Hartzler as Treasurer and Member of the Board, for reasons stated in their requests.

That the appointment by the Executive Committee of Bro. Geo. J. Lapp as President of Goshen College, and Bro. F. S. Ebersole as member and Treasurer of the Board be approved, and that they be accorded the privileges of membership in this meeting of the Board.

This report was accepted and the recommendations adopted.

It was moved that a committee of ten be appointed including President Reist and President Lapp, and four be appointed by each President, who shall meet and discuss such problems and phases of the Church and School work and formulate some plans and methods whereby we may be able to work harmoniously and effectively in maintaining the true standards of the Church. Carried.

Committee:

H. Frank Reist, Aaron Loucks, S. C. Yoder, J. S. Shoemaker, D. H. Bender, Geo. J. Lapp, I. R. Detweiler, W. B. Weaver, E. J. Zook, A. S. Ebersole.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet Monday, Feb. 25, at 9:00 A. M.

Monday, Feb. 25

Meeting was opened by prayer by S. F. Coffman.

A verbal report was given by different members of the Committee of ten of the work done. This Committee had a session and drew up a resolution, and appointed several of the Committee who are members of the Board to meet with the faculty and discuss the problems, and as a result there was a unanimous acceptance by the faculty of the resolution which follows:

Resolution Adopted by Faculty of Goshen College, Feb. 24, 1918.

Resolved, that we as members of the faculty of Goshen College fully subscribe and pledge ourselves to loyally support, along with the fundamental doctrines of salvation, the distinctive doctrines of the Mennonite Church and the decisions and standards suggested by the General Conference, local conferences, and representative bodies and organizations of the Church.

It is our purpose to teach and promote the cause of the Mennonite Church in all her activities.

That we will do what we can to conduct the School in full harmony with the wishes of the Mennonite Board of Education and the teachings of the Church generally.

After the presentation of this resolution and some general discussion on motion it was adopted by the Board.

Since Bro. S. C. Yoder, who was a member of the Organization Committee, appointed Feb. 23rd, had to leave and thereby a vacancy was caused, on motion the original Committee was enlarged to consist of seven members instead of five. The following now constitutes the Committee: J. S. Shoemaker, Aaron Loucks, C. B. Blosser, S. F. Coffman, H. F. Reist, G. L. Bender and D. S. Gerig.

On motion the Board adjourned to meet at 2:00 P. M.

Afternoon Session

The session was opened by prayer by J. M. Kreider.

The report of the Committee of Organization was then read.

Report

The Committee recommends the organization of the institutions along three lines —the Executive, Financial and Educational, and recommends that a Business Manager be elected for Goshen College. His duties shall be defined by the Board.

That Bro. F. S. Ebersole be nominated for the office of Treasurer of the Board of Education:

That there be a Committee on Finance to deal with the financial situation of the Board and College, and that the President and Treasurer of the Board with a third person selected by themselves, shall constitute a committee to select a Finance Committee of nine members, including the President and the Treasurer of the Board, to look into, adjust and direct the financial interests of the Board and schools.

On motion the recommendations of the Committee were adopted by the Board.

A completed report of the Committee on Problems of Church and School was given by Bro. Kauffman.

Report

1. That a Committee be appointed whose duty it shall be to draft a new Constitution and By-laws for our Board and Schools to be submitted for consideration and adoption at the next meeting of the Board; that this Constitution be on a conservative basis, in harmony with the rules and discipline of the Mennonite Church; and that it provide for a uniform government of all our schools, with special by-laws adapted to the local needs of each institution.

2. That this Committee also prepare an adequate School Policy in harmony with the proposed new Constitution and by-laws.

3. That the Eastern Mennonite School Board be asked to appoint a member on the Committee to draft the proposed new Constitution and School Policy with a view of merging with our organization.

4. That the next regular meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education be held some time in the coming May or June.

5. That in the meantime our schools be governed according to our present rules and regulations and in harmony with previous recommendations by this Committee.

It was moved that a Committee of seven be appointed by the President and Secretary of the Board, both these officers to be included, together with a member appointed by the Eastern Mennonite School Board to draft a Constitution and School Policy. Should the Eastern Board not appoint the seventh member he shall be appointed by the President and Secretary of the Mennonite Board of Education. Carried.

Committee—D. H. Bender, S. F. Coffman, Daniel Kauffman, H. F. Reist, D. D. Miller, I. R. Detweiler, Member to be appointed Eastern Board.

On motion recommendations 4 and 5 were adopted.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at 7:00 P. M.

Evening Session

Meeting opened by prayer by W. B. Weaver.

The Committee on Organization reported and recommended that Bro. George J. Lapp be elected President of Goshen College, and Bro. J. E. Weaver be elected Business Manager.

Upon motion both were elected by the Board.

It was moved and carried that the Executive Committee of the Board define the duties of the Business Manager.

This session was closed with a prayer and adjournment made until 8:00 A. M. the following morning.

Tuesday, Feb. 26

Meeting was opened by prayer by Bro. J. M. Kreider.

Since Bro. Ebersole had not yet accepted the Treasurership of the Board, it was moved and carried that the motion passed in reference to the selection of a Finance Committee be rescinded.

It was moved and carried that the President and Secretary of the Board shall choose a third man and that they appoint a Finance Committee of ten including the President of the Board.

It was moved that the Executive Commitee of the Board be authorized to appoint a Treasurer for the Board, after consultation and due consideration of the matter with the Finance Committee. Carried.

The Committee appointed to select a Finance Committee made the following report which was approved by the Board: H. Frank Reist, F. S. Ebersole, Aaron Loucks, M. C. Cressman, D. S. Gerig, S. C. Yoder, G. J. Lapp, A. N. Wolf, G. L. Bender, Noah W. King.

Meeting adjourned with a closing prayer by D. H. Bender.

At this special meeting definite steps were taken by the Board with the view of placing Goshen College on a basis that will merit the confidence and support of the Church. A new Constitution and School Policy which shall be in harmony with the principles of the Church, is to be drafted for presentation to the Board at its next regular meeting several months hence.

In the reorganization and the plans being formulated for the future, steps are being taken to guard more effectively every interest of the Board of Education and the Church along educational lines. The frankness in the discussions, the clearer understanding of our educational problems by the Board members and those in the institution, the spirit of sympathetic cooperation evident, and the will to labor together harmoniously to advance Christian education in harmony with the wishes of the Board and the Church, give encouragement for the future. To work out the educational problems successfully will require time and the hearty cooperation of the Board and the Church.

The Finance Committee is taking up the work of liquidating the debt. The hearty cooperation of the brotherhood is solicited in placing the school on such a financial and sound educational basis as will work for the best interests of the Church and the cause of Christ.

H. Frank Reist, Pres.
D. D. Miller, Sec.

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THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Fellow Alumni: You are aware that the College is passing through a financial crisis. However the keen interest shown by the constituency, the earnest endeavor on the part of all concerned both outside and inside the institution to study the educational problem of the rising generation, and sincere effort on the part of all to meet the financial needs of the hour are encouraging signs of a cooperation which will mean great possibilities for the future of the institution. Our hopes for the future lie in this. Sympathetic interest on the part of the church which the institution represents and from the alumni coupled with a respect and sincere effort consistent with the wishes of the constituency in general will ensure success.

The motto of the institution, Culture for Service, interpreted in the light of Christian teaching suggests the adornment of those Christian graces which render us capable of the highest service to humankind for their best temporal and spiritual good. Such an ideal held before the student body of any institution will meet with the hearty approval of any Christian man or woman. Being the ideal of the founders of this, one of the first educational institutions of the Mennonite church in America, it is worth our sincere effort to maintain it in all respects and establish such policies as will best contribute to the steady development and progress of the school.

There is no question but scholarship and high standards of instruction must be maintained in all departments of the College. And, it is possible to maintain them without jeopardizing Christian principle if the personnelle of the Faculty and the officials of the institution are such as are earnest in their endeavor to hold up Christian ideals before their students. It is possible to strengthen and stabilize Christian character in a standard denominational college and also strengthen the students in the faith for which the institution and church it represents stand. However it takes careful painstaking application to every problem relative.

While it is unfortunate that the financial crisis should come at this time, yet it is highly gratifying to note that so many who are vitally concerned are bending every energy to save the credit of the church and keep open the doors of the institution by heartily cooperating in furnishing the funds to liquidate the debt. With every dollar that is given just so much interest and confidence in the future are contributed ensuring the possibility of hearty cooperation. Those who furnish the funds for the institution either to apply to the heavy indebtedness of for establishing an endowment fund will have the right to be respected regarding their desires as to general policy and organization of the institution.

We are indeed grateful to the constituency for the way they are so kindly responding to the appeals for funds. The campaign for raising the stupendous amount for liquidating the debt has hardly begun, and that only locally. Several influential church men in Indiana strongly urge that Indiana and Michigan raise Forty Thousand Dollars. The other states within the constituency zone of the College will do as well if not better. If Indiana does as well as a whole as she has done in part she will raise more than the above mentioned amount. Practically all Mennonite congregations are welcoming solicitation and many are getting ready for the solicitors by calling meetings and appointing committees and laying the matter before their people. Firm conviction has taken hold of all that the situation must be saved. In every case they are given the preference as to whom they desire as solicitors to present the needs to them. Many whom we have met said, "We must do what we can;" The college must not close its doors on the young people of the Mennonite church; "With the Missionary spirit rising and the development of the publishing interests we dare not neglect the Educational interests."

We wish to express our appreciation to

you as alumni that you have put forth every possible effort to establish the $50,000 endowment fund as a permanent asset to the College. The institution is worthy your best efforts. The Musselman endowment is secure and will be turned over to the institution as per contract drawn up. With the payment of the whole indebtedness the endowment funds which have been given to the institution will be released and invested so as to bring in a permanent income for the maintenance of the College. We shall also so establish that all accounts and reports of conditions faithfully give actual financial standing of the institution and leave everything open for thorough investigation.

The Annual meeting of the Educational Board will be held earlier than usual this year. The date is fixed at May 15, 16. A complete report will be given of the proceedings including the progress made in the liquidation of the debt. A financial report will also be given at some time during Commencement week.

Thanking you for your kind interest in the past I earnestly solicit your cooperation for the future highest welfare of Goshen College.

GEORGE J. LAPP, Pres.

OBITUARY

It is with a feeling of sadness that the News Letter chronicles the death of Miss Sylvia Bontrager whom the Alumni will remember as student and teacher of music in Goshen College. As a student she entered the School of Music in 1906 and graduated in 1911. Thereupon she was elected to the Faculty as teacher of Piano. This place she held for three years when she was given leave of absence to study at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston. After two years of study she graduated and returned to the College in the fall of 1916 to resume her teaching. It was in June of 1917 that her health gave way and she was forced to relinquish her work on account of illness. After struggling vainly for nine months to regain her health, the silent reaper claimed her for the choir invisible on March 16, 1918. She was born at Sturgis, Mich., on April 12, 1886 at which place her remains were interred. Thus a noble Christian life was cut short just when it had apparently been prepared to live, but the call came from the Father above who in his omniscience doeth all things well. The News Letter extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

JOHN S. MUSSELMAN MEMORIAL

The family and near friends of John S. Musselman, '01, who died July 11, 1913, have established an endowment fund of about $25,000.00 at the College as a memorial to their departed relative and friend. This is to be known as the John S. Musselman Memorial Endowment. The movement started more than a year ago and culminated with the above subscription during the closing days of 1917. Some of the subscriptions have already been paid. The larger part of the fund will be paid in annual installments during the next five and in a few instances ten years. This is one of the largest donations the College has yet received and the institution is sincerely grateful to the donors for this munificent gift.

AT THE COLLEGE

The total enrollment for the school year which closes on June 7 is 372. This is the lowest enrollment for the College during the last five years. In 1912-13 the total attendance was 378 The five years which followed had an average attendance of 398. This year, therefore, falls 26 below the five year average and 30 below last year's total. Similar conditions prevail this year on account of the war in practically all American Colleges and Universities where a large number of men had previously been in attendance. The prospects are that next year the number of men in these institutions will be still less. This is due to the fact that the great majority of the men doing College and University work are above 21 years of age. Senior and Junior men are nearly all of draft age. At Goshen, out of 51 men in the College department considerably over one-half fall in this class. A careful survey of the students now enrolled in the College and other departments gives the following results. Only a few, however, are included outside of the College department.

In Camp	10
Subject to call	15
To register June 5	8
Total	33

To this total may have to be added the 5 Canadians of draft age, which would bring the total up to 38. Students with deferred classification are not included. In its efforts to keep the enrollment next year as high as possible the College will appreciate the aid and earnest cooperation of the Alumni who can be of great service by seeking personal conferences with prospective students and by reporting the names of such students to the college offices.

In comparing the number of men enrolled in the college department this year with former years and with the number of women in this department some very important observations have been made. The following is a tabulated report for the past ten years. The numerals at the head of each column are for the close of the school years.

	'09	'10	'11	'12	'13	'14	'15	'16	'17	'18
Men	20	26	46	48	57	52	63	62	59	51
Women	17	17	18	19	21	30	37	38	55	57

The most rapid increase in the men was early in the decade. After reaching the maximum three years ago the attendance remained nearly the same until this year. The women made their greatest gains during the last half of the decade and reached their maximum this year. While the maximum for the men exceeds that for the women by six the enrollment of the women this year exceeds that of the men by the same number. It is significant that each year saw a larger attendance of women than the year preceding and the question naturally follows why this should not have been true for the men. The war of course is partly responsible for this year's decrease and may even have some bearing on the preceding years. Other factors have no doubt had their influence also.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'02—One of the best numbers on the lecture course at the college this year was a lecture on March 8 by Dr. S. F. Gingerich on the "Religion of Browning."

'02—Miss Lydia Schertz has just recently returned from India on furlough.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Miller of Chicago, a daughter.

'06, '07—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole of Minneapolis, a son.

'06—At the request of the American Institute of Banking which is a section of the American Bankers' Association, J. F. Ebersole, Cashier of the State Deposit Bank of Minneapolis has prepared a book on "Banking for Beginners" which is used in all the large banking circles in the country to give their new employees the proper introduction to the banking business. The contents of the volume is from material accumulated and used by the author in two years' work in a school conducted by the Minneapolis Clearing House Association and gives in a condensed form a vast amount of detailed information for beginners.

'07, '05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, a daughter.

'10—J. E. Hartzler has been elected Head of the Bible School at Bethel College. At present he is doing graduate work in the Divinity School at the University of Chicago.

'11—I. R. Detweiler has been relieved of his regular duties at he college and is devoting all his time until the Board meeting to canvassing among the congregations of Indiana for funds for the College. He has been given a very cordial reception and everywhere finds a liberal response to aid the College financially.

'12 F. A. Conrad has entered the Divinity school of the University of Chicago for graduate study.

'15—On Nov. Mr. Vernon J. Smucker and Miss Mary Hostetler were married at the home of Miss Hostetler's parents at Sugar Creek, Ohio. They are at home now at Smithville, Ohio, where Mr. Smucker is teaching.

'16—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Suntheimer, Middlebury, Ind, a daughter.

'16, '17—On Dec. 24, Mr. C. J. Gerber and Miss Florence Wenger were married at Elkhart, Ind. They are at home now at Madison, Wis., where Mr. Gerber is engaged in business.

'16—As Director of Research, L. E. Blauch is devoting his time to educational measurements in the pubilc schools of Muskegon, Mich. He has been ordained and is pastor of the Fifth Street Mennonite church at Goshen.

COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alumni Day

In addition to the meeting of the Board of Directors and the Alumni reunion on the afternoon and evening of Alumni Day, June 7, the Women's Glee Club will give a concert at 2:30 P. M. The reunions of the Literary Societies will be held in the forenoon. It is hoped that the Alumni will avail themselves of the opportunity to attend all these meetings as well as the Class reunions which are being arranged for by several classes.

Annual Fee

The annual fee of twenty-five cents is again due. Alumni are kindly requested to send in their dues if not visiting Goshen during commencement season. We shall try to give special opportunity for the payment of this fee on the evening of the Alumni Reunion June 5. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

S. W. WITMER, General Treasurer,
Goshen, Ind.

Distribution of Tickets

Tickets are required for Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings. Reservations for the Philharmonic concert on Tuesday evening can be made as announced below. The tickets for Thursday and Friday evenings may be obtained from Prof. J. J. Fisher. These entitle the holders to reserve seats in the main auditorium but the seats will not be reserved after 8:00 P. M. when the doors will be thrown open to the public.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK

June 2-7

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 2

7:30 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by The President.

Monday, June 3

Final Examinations
8:00 P. P. Recital by School of Music.

Tuesday, June 4

Final Examinations
8:00 P. M. Philharmonic Concert.

Wednesday, June 5

10:00 A. M. Literary Society Reunions
2:30 P. M. Women's Glee Club Concert.
6:30 P. M. Alumni Reunion.

Thursday, June 6

10:00 A. M. Athletics
2:30 P. M. Academy Class Program.
7:00 P. M. College Class Program.

Friday, June 7

10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Exercises.
10:30 A. M. Final Students' Devotional Meeting.
1:00 P. M. College Reunion.
8:00 P. M. Commencement Exercises. Address by Professor Edgar E. Stauffer, Allbright College, and conferring of degrees by The President.

SENIOR CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6.

Campus, 7:00 P. M.

Presentation of Gift .. Harold S. Bender
Response by President Lapp
Emblem Oration ..... Alma R. Warye
Junior Response

Assembly Hall 8:00 P. M.

Class Panorama ..... Vinora Weaver
Class Oration ..... "Unifying a Life"
Jesse N. Smucker
Address ..... Payson Miller
Soprano Solo "With Verdure Clad" (from "The Creation") ..... Haydn
Maude Byler
Oration ..... "The Man who Knows"
Raymond L. Hartzler
Breaking the Wreath .. Bernice Lehman

ACADEMY CLASS PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6, 2:30 P. M.

Piano Solo—Prelude and Toccato, Laichner
Eunice Guth
Salutatory ..... Ferne Bontrager
President's Address—"Look Up, Lift Up, But Never Give Up." .. Lewis Weber
Reading ..... King Robert of Sicily
Jay Hostetler
Class History and Prophecy .....
Gertrude Bontrager
Quartette—Echo ..... McFarlane
Lewis Weber Ralph Nafziger
Gola Yoder Margaret Anderson
Oration ....."Silent Forces"
Mary Snyder
Class Will ..... Alvin Miller
Class Poem ..... "The Unknown Way"
Alice Snyder
Piano Solo—"Showers of Stars"—Wachs
Arthur Beck
Valedictory ..... Chester Buschert
Quartette—"Farewell" ..... Selected

RECITAL BY THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Monday, June 3, 8:00 P. M.

Piano—Sonata, Op. 122, ... Schubert
Helen Cartmell
Songs—Faith in Spring ..... Schubert
A Maiden's Wish ..... Chopin
Ashes of Roses ..... Wood
Kathryn Yoder
Songs—A Million Little Diamonds .....
Schminke
Kissing Time ..... Gutman
Ferne Umble
Piono—At Evening ..... Munroe
Rozella Conrad
Song—With Joy Th' Impatient Husbandman (from "The Seasons").....Haydn
Clay Miller
Song—Spring Song ..... Mendelssohn
Esther Reed, Elizabeth Horsch,
Anna Allgyer
Songs—My Heart Ever Faithful.... Bach
May Day Morn ..... Slater
That's the World in June.... Spross
Maude Byler
Piano—Erotican ..... Sjogren
Esther Reed
Songs—Teach Me to Pray ..... Jewitt
O That Summer Smiled for Aye ..... Davies
Helen Cartmell
Song—The Trumpet Shall Sound (from "The Messiah") .... Handel
Arthur Slagel
Song—Woo Thou, Sweet Music .. Elgar
Quartet
Piano—En Route ..... Godard
Eunice Guth

PHILHARMONIC CONCERT

Tuesday, June 4, 8:00 P. M.

A miscellaneous program will be given by the Philharmonic Chorus consisting of selected numbers from standard choral compositions. A special feature will be a group of songs for "community" singing. Soloists for the evening will be Mrs. C. E. Stout, Contralto, and Mr. R. M. Woolpert, Baritone, both of Goshen. A very small seat reservation fee will be charged for this number. These reservations can be made in advance by addressing Prof. A. S. Ebersole.

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LIQUIDATING THE COLLEGE DEBT

DURING the winter of 1917-1918 a Special Finance Committee was appointed by the Mennonite Board of Education. The chief duty of this committee was to solve the financial problems of Goshen College that had become sufficiently acute to demand action. A debt of $160,000 threatened to destroy the educational work that had been slowly developed for over twenty years. It had already impaired its credit. The Board and other friends of the College, including the Faculty, were unanimous in their opinion that this special step was imperative.

At a meeting of the above named committee all the members agreed that the debt should be paid without any loss to the creditors. Before any steps had been taken by the committee several very liberal gifts were presented and others of less amount followed. Some of the most optimistic believed that, if the whole situation were presented to the congregations of the Mennonite Church, the money could be raised to pay the debt.

Those who had studied the problems the most were convinced that the debt was an obligation that had to be met and a failure to do so involved that principle of unflinching integrity so long upheld and practiced by Mennonites. A plan was adopted whereby a systematic canvass was to be made and this cause presented. At present this is being conducted with very satisfactory results. The congregations of Indiana and Illinois have contributed over $50,000.00 and have pledged over $25,000.00 more. The Committee believes that other states will do as well as these two states named.

Those who have given of their means are anxious that all funds should be systematically handled and the Finance Committee is sparing no pains to administer its business in an inteligent manner.

It is to be wished that all Alumni will use their best efforts to help their Alma Mater in this crisis and that they will again prove their loyalty by being champions for Goshen College. F. S. Ebersole.

THE ALUMNI AND THE COLLEGE

THE Alumni have given hearty support to the movement to raise the sum of $50,000.00 as an endowment for Goshen College. A large number of subscriptions and cash contributions have already been received. There are several reasons why the project should be completed in the near future:

First—The earlier the cash contribution the larger the donation. The donor is given credit for compound interest on his contribution. Furthermore, the sooner annual payments are begun the smaller each payment will need to be, to make a donation of one share.

Second—This is a period of great sacrifices. Never in the history of the world have men and women given more liberally and unstintingly of their means, or endured greater privations for causes that are dear to their hearts. The spirit and magnitude of their sacrifices is a good index of their faith in the causes in which they profess to believe.

Third—The Mennonite Church will liquidate the College indebtedness. Instead of giving out of their abundance, many of these donors are giving cheerfully of their means of livelihood so that a worthy cause shall not be found wanting the proper fianacial support. This spirit of sacrifice is necessary to save the institution.

Fourth—The Alumni must help to endow the College. It is not enough to get the College out of debt. It must be kept out of debt. The Alumni must give it a permanent income. They have received the greatest benefits from their Alma Mater. Their sacrifices for its welfare should be correspondingly greater. Many have already given subscriptions and cash contributions to the proposed endowment fund. Others are giving the matter serious consideration. This is the time for action. The College has the right to expect the support of all loyal Alumni so that it may render even greater service to future generations than it has in the past.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

DURING the week of June 2-7 Goshen College held its twenty-second annual Commencement. The presence of many Alumni, former students and friends of the college, added much to the pleasure and inspiration of the occasion.

On Sunday evening, June 2, President Lapp preached the Baccalaureate sermon to the members of the graduating class. He pointed out the deficiencies of Greek culture, Roman prowess, and Oriental philosophies, and contrasted them with the larger and more perfect conception of the Christian life. This larger and more perfect conception is that of a God who, while manifesting himself through nature and art, makes His supreme revelation in His Word which inspires individuals to live the life of service.

The fine spirit that prevailed during the week was particularly manifest at the Alumni, College and literary society reunions. These meetings were well attended with the exception of the men's literary societies, many of whose members are now in camp.

The Senior Class gave a strong program. The class consisted of seventeen members. Only three of the young men were present at the exercises, six having left for camp during the Spring term. The program by the Academy Class deserves favorable mention.

The contributions throughout the week by the musical organizations of the college were highly appreciated. The School of Music was ably represented on its program by students from the department. The Philharmonic chorus gave a delightful rendition of a miscellaneous program consisting of selected numbers from standard choral compositions. The Girl's Glee Club had a very cordial reception in its first appearance on a Commencement program.

The Commencement address was delivered by Prof. Edgar E. Stauffer of Allbright College. He expressed himself as out of sympathy with the modern progressive movements in education and laid great emphasis upon education for character which should and does receive primary consideration among the leaders of educational thought

At the close of the address President Lapp conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts and granted diplomas and certificates to the members of the graduating class who have completed their work.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Harold S. Bender
Maud Byler
Raymond L. Hartzler
Elma Hesh
Elizabeth Horsch
Anna Bernice Lehman
D. Elban Lehman
Ora R. Liechty
Payson Miller
Sadie Byler Miller
Amos M. Showalter
Jancy R. Slabaugh
Jesse Norman Smucker
Alma R. Warye
Vinora Pearl Weaver
Homer A. Yoder
Ruth Anna Yoder

ACADEMY

Maragaret Anderson
Ferne Bontrager
Gertrude Bontrager
Arthur Beck
Chester Buschert
Jay Hostetler
Alvin Miller
Ralph Nafziger
Alice Snyder
Mary Snyder
Mahlon Stauffer
Lewis Weber
Gola Yoder

PUBLIC SCHOOL MUSIC

Russell A. Lantz

PUBLIC SCHOOL MUSIC AND ART

Helen Lucile Cartmell
Esther Ione Reed

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE COURSE IN SINGING

Maude Ellen Byler

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE COURSE IN PIANO

Mary Eunice Guth

BUSINESS

Two Years' Course

Cleo Marie Roth

One Year Shorthand Course

Elizabeth Bemenderfer
Loretta Cunningham
Alma Hostetler
Lucy Smiley

ALUMNI DAY

The Board of Directors met on Wednesday afternoon of Commencement week to transact the business of the association and make nominations for officers and members of the Board of Directors. At the Alumni reunion in the evening the association endorsed the transactions of the Board and elected the nominees as officers and members of the Board.

The following persons were elected on the Board of Directors for the next three years: J. S. Yoder, Anna Yoder, J. M. Kurtz and Raymond Hartzler. Mr. Hartzler represents the Senior class. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, F. S. Ebersole; First Vice-President, J. S. Yoder; Second Vice-President, J. E. Weaver; Recording Secretary, Anna Yoder; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Weaver; Treasurer, Samuel Witmer. The Executive Committee is composed of F. S. Ebersole, J. E. Weaver, S. W. Witmer, J. S. Yoder and Anna Yoder.

J. M. Kurtz was re-elected editor of the Alumni News-Letter. At his request two Alumni were added to the editorial staff to assist in the publication of the News-Letter. F. S. Ebersole and J. E. Weaver were appointed to act in this capacity. During the coming year only two numbers of the News-Letter will be issued. The October and April numbers will be omitted.

The annual reunion in the evening was a pleasant occasion. J. S. Yoder acted as toast-master and President Lapp, Miss Nellie Yoder, J. S. Umble and Raymond Hartzler responded to toasts.

Thirty new members were added to the association. The total membership now is three hundred and forty.

FACULTY PERSONALS

During the past six months President Lapp has been filling evangelistic appointments and laboring in the interests of the College among some of the churches of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska.

Professors Gerig, Kurtz, Fisher, Witmer, Ebersole, Miss Vesta Zook, J. E. Weaver, Keller, Holtkamp, Mrs. Ina K. Slate, Miss Bertha MacKenzie and Mr. Dinkaloo constitute the Summer School faculty.

Profesor Lehman and Miss Martin are studying at the University of Chicago.

Prof. Detweiler is devoting his entire time to the raising of funds for the liquidation of the college debt.

Profesor Blosser is calling upon the farmers of Northern Indiana to point out the benefits of the use of silos.

Miss Mary Hooley is spending the summer at Silverton, Oregon.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

The Alumni of Chicago held their reunion on June 22. After refreshments Miss Ida Eby introduced Lydia Belle Miller, Orus Yoder, Prof. D. A. Lehman, who responded to toasts. The officers for next year are Lydia Belle Miller, President; L. L. Miller, Vice-Pres.; Sadie Byler Miller, Secretary-Treasurer.

'04-'04—Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist of Scottdale, Pa., a daughter.

'05—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yoder, Goshen, Ind., a son.

'06—Dr. C. D. Esch and family will return to India to resume their missionary work after spending the past year in this country. They sail from San Francisco in October.

'06,'07—The death of John Franklin Jr., the four month old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ebersole, Minneapolis, Minn., is sad news to the Alumni. The physicians in attendance were unable to diagnose the disease to which the child succumbed after a brief illness of three days.

'08—A. J. Regier has been elected acting president of Freeman College, Freeman, S. D.

'10—Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Yoder Goshen, Ind., twin daughters.

'10—J. C. Brunk has located at Albion, Ind., where he is secretary of the Noble County Y. M. C. A.

'10, '12—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smoker, Ishpeming, Mich., a daughter.

'12—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Erb, who have been appointed missionaries to India by the Mennonite Board of Missions, have been unable to secure the necessary passports and their sailing has been postponed indefinitely.

'14—Miss Nola Banta has done very efficient work in the high school of New Paris, Ind., the past three years. As a result

she has been promoted to the position of Superintendent of Schools.

'14—Miss Ellen Yoder who has completed her work at the Carnegie Library, Pittsburg, Pa., will devote the coming year to library work among the foreign children of East Chicago, Indiana.

'14—S. L. Johnson completed his medical training at Johns Hopkins University and received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from that institution in June.

'15, '16—On June 26, Mr. Lester Hostetler and Miss Charity Evangeline Steiner were married at the home of Miss Steiner's mother at Columbus Grove, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Hostetler are at home now at Sugar Creek, Ohio.

'15—J. R. Allgyer of West Liberty, O., has received his appointment for reconstruction work in France under the Friends unit and all arrangements have been made for his sailing in a few days.

'15—C. H. Duker of the Goshen high school, has been elected to a science position in the high schol at Aurora, Ill.

'15, '16—Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lehman, Madison, Wis., a daughter.

'16, '17—On June 20, Miss Ruth Blosser and Mr. Ernest E. Miller were married at the home of Miss Blosser's parents near Rawson, Ohio. They have been appointed by the Mennonite Board of Missions to go as missionaries to India and will sail from San Francisco in the month of October.

'17—Douglas J. Wallgren received his degree of Master of Arts from Indiana University in June. He is now employed as a chemist in the Air Nitrates Corporation, a large government concern located at Muscle Shoals, Ala.

'18—H. S. Bender wil be a member of Hesston Academy, Hesston, Kan., next year.

'18—Miss Elizabeth Horsch will be a member of the faculty of the Eastern Mennonite School at Harrisonburg, Va., the coming year.

'18—Miss Bernice Lehman will teach in the high school at Rome City, Ind., next year.

'18, '18—Miss Alma Warye and Miss Maud Byler will both teach in the Wakarusa high school the coming year.

'18—J. N. Smucker will teach at Smithville, Ohio, next year.

AT THE COLLEGE

The enrollment in the Summer School is 125 which is about the same as last year. The Fall Term will open September 25.

The Mennonite Board of Education at its annual meeting held May 15-17, adopted a new constitution. According to the new plan the two institutions under its control are each given a local Board of Directors which is held responsible for the management of its own institution. The Local Board for Goshen College consists of G. J. Lapp, J. E. Weaver, D. S. Gerig, I. R. Detweiler, G. L. Bender, F. S. Ebersole and Ephraim Lantz. The first three named are members by virtue of their offices as President, Business Manager and Dean, respectively. In the new constitution the duties which were formerly included in the office of President have been divided between the present office of President and the newly created office of Business Manager. Financially, the President is still responsible for securing the necessary funds for the maintenance and proper deve'opment of his institution but the Business Manager has charge of all business matters of the institution. The Dean, in cooperation with the faculty, shall direct the educational work of the institution. The former constitution placed the entire educational responsibility in the office of Dean.

At the above meeting of the Board of Education, a request from Hesston Academy was granted giving permission to confer the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the completion of a course of study consisting of four years of college work. The name of the institution will be changed as a result of this action.

A. E. Kreider has resigned his position on the faculty to take up pastoral work in the Mennonite church at Sterling, Ill. Mr. Kreider gave the college valuable services during the past year both in his work in the Bible department and in the institution in general.

An important action by the Local Board at a meeting held recently was the appointment of Prof. J. J. Fisher as Registrar of the College. Prof. Fisher is well qualified for his new duties and has for some time been considered the logical man for that office.

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THE FINANCIAL CANVASS FOR THE EDUCATIONAL BOARD

I. R. DETWEILER

(From The Goshen College Record.)

THE editorial staff of the College Record has requested that the writer should place before their readers a discussion of the Financial Canvass conducted during the summer of 1918 for the purpose of raising the indebtedness of the Educational Board. It is difficult to know just what phase of the subject might be of most interest to the readers, but there are a few things as pointed out by the staff that should be of interest.

Since the writer left his class room before the regular school year was completed and went into the field, a few words should be said as to how this came about.

When it was found, last January, that the Educational Board was carrying an actual indebtedness of about $120,000.00 and aside from this, that something like $40,000.00 of annuities and endowments had been applied to the institution, the Executive Committee of the Board at once took steps to save the institution. After several meetings of the Exucutive Committee, and finally a meeting of the members of the Educational Board, and a Finance Committee had been appointed, they felt they were on the way toward satisfying conditions. The first situation had been met and the creditors were temporarily satisfied. But after several months had passed and nothing further seemed to be coming in sight, the creditors and faculty became uneasy, and those who were responsible for satisfying the creditors felt that something must be done or the last condition would not be any better than the first. It was found necessary, in the meantime, in order to keep the school open and out of the hands of the receiver, that all the buildings be mortgaged. It became apparent that the large number on the finance committee naturally did not result in any one person feeling

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AN APPRECIATION

THE large debt which confronted the Mennonite Board of Education at its special meeting held a year ago has almost disappeared as far as satisfying its creditors is concernened. No effort has yet been made to replace the former endowments and annuities but enough money has been received and promised to pay all the notes and accounts assumed by the special finance committee. To the Alumni who have a perpetual interest in the welfare of their Alma Mater and in the education of the young people of the church, this remarkable achievement is most significant and has awakened a deep sense of gratitude to those who have made this possible. It is very appropriate, therefore, that an expression of appreciation on behalf of the Alumni should appear in the colunmns of the News Letter.

In every large undertaking of this nature there are usually a few individuals whose ready and liberal repsonse insures the success of the movement. The remarkable thing in this canvass has been the unusually large number of such individuals who after having had the actual situation properly presented to them, gave cheerfully and unstintingly not only of their abundance but in many cases out of their actual means of livelihood. Such a spirit of sacrifice and devotion is significant and highly gratifying to those who have been fully aware of the serious conditions which were confronting the Board.

But there was a cause at stake. And furthermore, the integrity of the Mennonite people was involved. And while the Board took immediate action to meet its obligations, the developments that immediately followed were not so reassuring. There were those who counciled caution, giving as the reason that the church was hardly ready to enter at once upon an undertaking of such magnitude. There were others who felt the need of immediate action in order to avoid serious consequences. The Finance Committee held

several meetings but seemed unable to formulate plans that would bring the desired results. It was at this critical moment that several members of the faculty at Goshen prevailed upon Prof. I. R. Detweiler to volunteer his services for the work of solicitation. The wisdom of his appointment was soon apparent. As a result of some preliminary work which had been done by several individuals, he received a warm welcome wherever he went. Throughout Indiana, Illinois and Ohio. the response was far beyond what even the most sanguine had anticipated. He had the hearty cooperation and very able assistance of G. L. Bender of Elkhart who together with Prof. Detweiler were the representatives of the Finance Committee.

The Alumni are grateful, therefore, both to those who have given such liberal financial suport and to the men who undertook the difficult task of making the canvass. The immediate and most pressing needs of their Alma Mater have been met. For the present at least our educational work can go on without any serious embarrassment. It will be well, however, to consider this as only a splendid beginning of a great undertaking, the larger part of which still remains undone.

It is, however, a good beginning. The fact is that this is the first time in the history of our educational work that the church has given its financial support in a large way. This is due in part to the realization that the church is under moral obligations to liquidate the entire debt. Of equal importance, however, is the fact that this crisis has required a careful presentation of the educational problems of the church to each individual who was asked to contribute. This information was a revelation to many. Some had not even understood the relation of the educational Board to the church. After it was explained that this relation was identical with the relation of the mission and publication Boards to the church, the response was usually all that could have been desired. Our people need to be more fully informed along these lines. As our educational work develops we can expect more liberal support only as it is more fully understood and appreciated. Herein lies our hope for the future. Knowledge develops interest and a favorable attitude while a lack of knowledge develops indifference and quite frequently an unfavorable attitude. We have long recognized this fact in our mission work. The Board of Education will no doubt give this matter serious consideration.

Here again the Alumni appreciate the significance of this new method which has given such excellent results. It should be a source of encouragement, also, to those who are more directly responsible for our educational work. A great deal has been said in recent years with reference to the atitude of the church on educational matters. And there have been times when it seemed somewhat of a question as to whether the educational forces of the church were really appreciated and whether or not it was actually desired to have their services continued. Consequently this canvass has been more than a mere financial proposition. It has been the means of ascertaining the individual feelings that exist throughout the entire membership of the church in the central states. In this respect the outlook is encouraging. The present indications are that with the proper amount of information brought before our people, together with a sympathetic attitude on the part of those in positions of responsibility toward the growing sentiment for the proper education of our young people, the cause of education will prosper. It is no longer a question as to what our people will do financially to maintain our educational institutions. They have spoken in no uncertain terms. The Board of Education will have good financial support if it maintains an efficient organization so that the work can be properly developed and its needs brought before the church in a systematic manner.

These are some of the contributions of the past year to the cause of education. The developments of large movements are not permanently arrested by temporary misfortunes. There are crises in the history of institutions just as in the lives of individuals which make for larger usefulness and service. They reveal latent possibilities and bonds of sympathy which would otherwise remain unrecognized and obscure. The purposes and motives of individuals are brought into bold relief. The spirit of Christian fellowship and cooperation so vital in any great cause takes on a new significance and reveals the di-

vine hand which controls the destiny of individuals and institutions. For all these things the Alumni are profoundly grateful and pray that God may share His richest blessings with those who have served so nobly in a worthy cause.

THE FINANCIAL CANVASS FOR THE EDUCATIONAL BOARD

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responsible for the work.

As the situation was becoming increasingly serious and after being urged by a few teachers, the writer volunteered to go out and solicit. After the work had been going on for several weeks the Finance Committee appointed G. L. Bender and the writer to continue the canvass.

In any successful canvass the motives for giving are of the most important elements. Unless the canvass represents a cause that seems both just and of interest to the persons who are supposed to give, the work is sure to fail. In this, as in every canvass, not all people give from the same motive or purpose.

During the four months there were a few things constantly kept before the people. Some one or more of these things always appealed to them. In the first place we tried to be fair in stating and maintaining what seemed to us to be the correct relation of the institution to its constituency. That is, if the institution does not serve the church there is no reason for keeping it going, for there are other institutions in the country just as good and some of them better. The school must be a servant of the church rather than the church a servant of the school. The principles for which the denomination stands must receive their proper attention and emphasis. And in the case of our own Goshen College it must also offer a practical education. We are a rural people, simple in our living, practical in our thought. We must stand for an education that includes vocational training. A vocational training that recognizes both general culture and at the same time fits the student to go back to the farm and the farm community. It would be an injustice to maintain a kind of education that develops the leisure class, simply culture. It should be "Culture for Service". We must always give a large place to the Agricultural School, the Domestic Science Department and especially the Bible School. When we fail to do this, we unfit the young people to go back to the homes from which they came, and betray the trust the parents have put in the institution. To carry out these ideals and ideas the men who are responsible for church leadership must have their share in determining the policy Those remaining at the institution cannot always know what is the real need of the church at large.

In the second place, we also held up the need of high educational standards. Parents would not care to send their children to a school that does not furnish the best equipment for life. They expect them to be able to teach, and in a general way, measure up with others who have been away to school. In order to do this the teachers must hold standard degrees. Furthermore, the faculty must be composed of men and women of teaching experience in order to maintain the proper standards in educational work. It always requires several years to become efficient even after the educational training is completed. However, when these standards interfere with the highest welfare of the church they cannot be tolerated. This is so be cause the first purpose of the school is to serve the church.

In the third place, this debt is a church debt, and the institution is a church institution. It was not difficult for the people to understand this fact when it was explained that the various Conferences had appointed members on the Educational Board who were to represent them. These Board members, by virtue of their office were responsible first and through them the individuals of the church. The school was recognized everywhere as a Mennonite institution, and the Mennonite people responsible for the debt. The people felt they could not afford to allow the institution to close and go into the hands of a receiver, which would actually have happened if the situation would not have been met promptly. Since this work has been done among the people they have a better understanding of their relation to the Board and naturally have more direct interest in the work.

The purpose of the canvass was to raise at least $120,000.00 to cover the actual indebtedness and if possible to raise $40,-

000.00 more to properly place the annuities and endowments that were used by the institution. Every congregation was to have an opportunity to contribute and something like an every-member canvass was to be made. It was especially important that the creditors should be satisfied first of all. But the obligation that comes with the handling of monies in trust make it imperative that the Board see to it that all promises that were accepted by the Board be carried out. That is, that all annuities and endowments be placed where the original contracts specify. For the sake of its own reputation it cannot afford to do otherwise.

Indiana was selected first because the institution most concerned is in this state. Each congregation was to be visited and the conditions were to be placed before the congregation and then individuals were to be visited. In order to raise such a large amount of money, congregations were naturally expected to give largely. The congregations that started this work and gave so liberally before others had contributed, had much to do with determining the amount that would finally be raised. They set the standard. The first congregation solicited was Maple Grove near Topeka, Indiana. From here the congregation at Goshen, and then Nappanee North. Bishop Burkholder of Nappanee, set the amount that Indiana should raise at $46.000.00. Coming as it did from an aged Bishop who was so well known in the middle West it meant much to the work of soliciting. From Indiana the work was taken up in Illinois and then Ohio. Very much the same methods were used in all the states.

The purpose originally was to have some Bishop or minister who was acquainted with the work to accompany the solicitors and to make explanation to the congregation. In most of the places in Indiana this idea was carried out quite well but when we came to the other states this was not done. This made the work difficult.

The work was difficult and required a great deal of strenuous effort but in every congregation there were always a sufficient number of individuals that would take hold of the work enthusiastically and support it liberally. Many, many times the solicitor's spirits were revived by the response on the part of certain individuals. These individuals by their interest have become a permanent asset to the Board of Education. It was an obligation that some one in the Mennonite church had to meet or allow the reflection to rest upon the coming generation. With very few exceptions no one was found that would say they did not believe in an educational training.

The very great consideration that was shown on the part of the local church leaders almost everywhere should mean much to the future educational work of the Mennonite people and Goshen College cannot afford to betray the added trust placed in her young people whom they expect to send to the College.

It was originally planned that the members of the Finance Committee should give considerable time to this work. But this could hardly have been expected. The writer wishes to express his heartiest appreciation for the support which G. L. Bender with several others, gave outside their own communities. F S. Ebersole has given much time outside his regular work in keeping the accounts and placing the money. We are only sorry that the Finance Committee could not give more time when the soliciting was on.

The total that has been paid in to date is about $100,000, and the total promises not yet paid in of which much is not yet due, is $20,000 more.

When one compares these figures with the original indebtedness and adds to this the appoximate deficit of the intsitution that will amount to about $6,000 this year, it is evident that the work is not completed. So far as the finances of the intsitution is concerned the work is just begun. Aside from this deficit the Board must also provide some means by which to meet the $2,000.00 interest due annually on the annuities and endowments used up by the institution. In order to insure the permanency of the institution there must be a permanent provision made for the annual deficit as well as plans made for enlarging the institution.

G. L. Bender of Elkhart, Indiana, is receiving money for the debt and is also gathering in what has been promised.

We hope arrangements can soon be made to provide for the permanent future of the institution.

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INTRODUCTORY

A special meeting of the Alumni Board of Directors was held last December in the offices of the President, Dr. S. T. Miller at Elkhart, Indiana. At this meeting action was taken to resume the publication of the Alumni News Letter, the first number to appear in February. There has been considerable delay, but this first number is now before the alumni and it is hoped that this and succeeding numbers will serve a good purpose in keeping up acquaintances with fellow alumni and with our Alma Mater.

The officers of the Alumni Association, as elected at the annual meeting held June 10. 1925 are as follows:

President — Dr. S. T. Miller
First Vice-President — H. S. Bender
Second Vice-President — F. S. Ebersole.
Recording Secretary — Mabel Metzler
Corresponding Sec. — Mrs. S. W. Witmer
Treasurer — S. W. Witmer

I. W. Royer and Vernon Smucker were appointed to represent the Alumni Association on the Mennonite Board of Education.

The Class of 1925 elected J. Paul Sauder as their representative on the Alumni Board of Directors.

Besides taking action to resume the publication of the Alumni News Letter, the Alumni Board of Directors in its special meeting last December, took two other important steps. A motion was passed instructing the Recording Secretary to send out to the alumni questionnaires for the purpose of securing information for an Alumni Directory. This work is now under way and alumni are urged to assist in making this Directory as complete as possible.

The third important step taken in this meeting was to authorize the solicitation of contributions to the Alumni Endowment Fund. The goal has been set at $1,000 to be raised by June 1, 1926. A committee consisting of O. O. Miller, H. S. Bender and S. W. Witmer is authorized to conduct this solicitation. This committee was originally appointed in the spring of 1924 and has now been reappointed for this work. The solicitation has already begun and as far as it has proceeded among alumni at and near Goshen, the response has been encouraging. Over $300 has been subscribed in this initial canvas.

FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

There are no doubt alumni of Goshen College who do not know what has been going on at the college the last two years.

I have had the privilege of seeing the students this winter and wish to say that they compare favorably with us old timers of twenty-five years ago, that the problem of Goshen College is not numbers or quality of students or a prepared faculty, but the great problem for future development is financial. The alumni of every college or university owe a certain allegiance to their Alma Mater. If they cannot make large donations the small ones are always acceptable, showing a spirit of good will and good wishes. The future of Goshen College, it seems to me, is more assured than ever before since the Church has been taught that Goshen College is her institution and that the Church must and will sponsor Goshen College.

During the last twenty-five years friendships have been formed at Goshen College which certainly have been enduring and most satisfactory and which cannot be compared to any material things. Many of us would never have had the privilege of a college or university had it not been for Elkhart Institute or Goshen College and in going over the list of graduates I think the success of each as we classify success in life compares very favorably with any other college or large university.

It is the hope of the Board of Directors and officers of the Alumni Association that we can keep up the spirit of Goshen College in our association, that we can play a part in her financial program be it large or small, and that at least every Goshen alumnus will wish her well. —Dr. S. T. Miller

FROM THE PRESIDENT OF GOSHEN COLLEGE

The past year has marked a decided increase in the enrollment in all departments of Goshen College. This is due in part to an increase of interest in educational matters and in part to the work done by the institution in the past. As far as faculty, students and equipment are concerned the problems of the institution are on a fair way to a solution. The faculty already exceeds in number, training and experience the requirements of standardizing agencies. Two thousand dollars worth of equipment has been added to the science laboratories and fifteen hundred dollars worth of books were purchased for the library in the last two years, which places these departments in good condition. The chief problem now awaiting solution is sufficient endowment to meet the requirements of standardizing agencies. Outside of the operating deficit for this year the institution has no debt. Part of this deficit has already been met and the balance will be provided for by the time the school year closes. Congregations in Indiana, and some churches in Ohio are planning to do their own solicitation for this purpose. Since the beginning of the year $3,000 has been set aside for endowment. In order to increase the endowment sufficiently to meet the operating deficit from year to year the following plan is now being presented to the friends of the college. Contributions of $500 or $1,000 or more payable in 10 yearly installments with interest on deferred payments payable annually. In this way the college will have the benefit of the income on the entire amount from the beginning. Will you lend your support to your Alma Mater?

— S. C. Yoder

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'00, '00 — I. W. Royer and A. J. Steiner, both active in the ministry in eastern Ohio, were the representatives of their class on the 25th anniversary of their graduation at the College Commencement last June.

'01 and '05 — J. S. Umble is Professor of English at Goshen College. He took up this work at the beginning of the summer 1925.

'01 — Professor J. M. Kurtz who for many years has been active in the affairs of the Alumni Association has a good position in the Bowen High School, Chicago.

'02 — Dr. S. F. Gingrich who is now Associate Professor of English at the University of Michigan published in the latter part of 1924 a new volume of essays on English Poetry entitled "Essays on the Romantic Poets." The volume has been very favorably reviewed.

'02, '05 — Dr. W. B. Christophel and Dr. S. T. Miller were members of the Interstate Medical Association Clinical Tour composed of over 500 physicians who last summer toured England, Ireland, Scotland and France. They added a three weeks tour through Switzerland, Italy, Germany and Holland.

'04 — F. S. Ebersole is a prominent business man in Goshen in his connections with the Goshen Milk Condensing Company. He is also President of the Goshen Hospital Board.

'04 — C. Edward Bender is now Supt. of the Doylestown and Chippewa Twp. Schools near Akron, Ohio.

'08 — Dr. H. B. Weiler continues as a successful dentist at Elkhart, Indiana.

'10 — J. C. Brunk is engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in South Bend, Indiana.

'10 — Ben S. Ebersole is connected with the firm Ziesel Bros. in Elkhart, Indiana.

'11 — I. R. Detweiler is the very active pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church in Goshen and plays a prominent part in the religious life of Goshen.

'11 — T. K. Hershey has been Superintendent of the Mennonite Mission in the Argentine, with headquarters at Pehuajo, ever since its foundation in 1918. He has been in the U. S. the past year on furlough and has been ordained bishop.

'13 — R. R. Detweiler is pastor of the First Methodist Church of Kendallville, Indiana.

'13 — Silas Hertzler is on leave of absence from the Goshen College faculty and is taking doctoral work in Education at Yale University.

'13 — Fred N. Burkey has been the very successful head of the Employment Bureau at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago for several years.

'15 — Orie O. Miller has been very successful in the line of manufacturing misses' and ladies' shoes. The plants of the Miller-Hess Shoe Company are located near Lancaster, Penna., at Akron and Denver, Penna. Mr. Miller has also been financial agent of the Mennonite Board of Education for several years as well as a member of

the General Conference Peace Committee, chairman of the Young Peoples' Problems Committee of General Conference, Associate Secretary of the Central Committee for Relief, etc. He is now Vice-President of the Eastern Mennonite Mission Board, and editor of the missionary paper published by it and known as "The Missionary Messenger". Mr. Miller is chairman of the Finance Committee recently established by the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association.

'15 — Vernon Smucker is an instructor in the Wooster High School, Wooster, Ohio.

'15 — Lester Hostetler who is pastor of two churches at Sugar Creek and Walnut Creek in Holmes County, Ohio has now assumed the editorship of the Christian Exponent.

'15 — Lola Beery Hartzler is in training at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

'15 — A. J. Eby is an instructor in the High Schools at Harrisburg,, Penna.

'16 — S. E. Yoder is now an osteopathic physician at Lancaster, Penna.

'16 — Dr. J. C. Meyer who has been an instructor at Western Reserve University has been promoted to an assistant professorship at that place.

'17 — O. J. Yoder is in the Real Estate business at Elkhart, Indiana.

'17 — C. J. Gerber is Superintendent of Schools at Wakarusa, Indiana.

'18 — Dr. Amos M. Showalter under appointment of the National Research Council is spending six months in Belgium for the purpose of collecting and preparing plants for Botanical investigations. He had recently been carrying on his investigations at Leland Stanford University in California.

'18 — Jesse N. Smucker is one of the ministers at the Oak Grove church near Smithville, Ohio. He also teaches in the public schools at that place.

'19 — Arthur W. Slagle is connected with the Reuben H. Donelly Corporation of Chicago and New York, which for thirty years has been the leader in the Classified Advertising Business in Telephone and other directories.

'20 — E. A. Meyer is Vice-President of the C. H. Musselman Canning Company with headquarters at Biglerville, Penna.

'20 — Mr. H. Clay Miller and Miss Minnie Hartzler a former Goshen student of Belleville, Pa., were united in marriage last September. Mr. Miller is principal of the High School at Walnut Creek, Ohio.

'21 — J. Boyd Cressman is engaged in graduate study in English at the University of Michigan.

'23 — Arthur L. Smith is instructor in science in the Eureka High School, Eureka, Illinois.

OBITUARY

Professor J. D. Brunk died at his home near Elkhart, Indiana, February 5, 1926, aged 53 years, 10 months, and 23 days. Professor Brunk spent his life as a teacher of music. After having been trained in some of the well established Music Conservatories of the New England States and of Chicago, he spent three years teaching music in West Central Academy, Mt. Clinton, Va., five years in Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Va., and in 1906 he came to Goshen College as Director of the School of Music, a place which he filled until 1914. The following few years were spent in field work in the Mennonite Church during which time he visited many congregations, giving instruction in hymn singing, and helping congregations to better appreciate the best hymns of the Church.

The later years were spent in conducting studios for music instruction in both Goshen and Elkhart, Indiana. In the early months of 1925 he was again elected Head of the Music Department of Goshen College, but on account of ill health he was unable to continue his work beyond the summer term.

Professor Brunk was one of the early leaders of the Church to recognize the need of Hymnals and Song Books which would be an expression of the fundamental beliefs of the Church. His work as editor and composer includes The Church and Sunday School Hymnal, published in 1902; the supplement added to this a few years later; Educational Vocal Studies in 1912; and Life Songs, a gospel song book. Besides these he has written many songs which remain unpublished. He also leaves two manuscripts, one the manuscript of the new Church Hymnal prepared under his editorship, and also "Salvation Story" a book of gospel songs largely composed by himself to words composed by John W. Wayland. Both of these manuscripts were practically completed at the time of his death.

The passing of Professor Brunk is a great loss to Goshen College and to the work of the Church in the field of music.

AT THE COLLEGE

The lecture course this year consisted of five numbers arranged for through the Redpath Bureau. All the talent was of a high grade and patronage unusually good. The numbers were as follows:

J. Smith Damron on "The Potter and the Clay". Lecture, demonstration with potter's wheel, display of art pottery and chinaware.

October 26, 1925

Edward Amherst Ott. A popular lecture on heredity entitled "Sour Grapes."

November 16, 1925

Wherahiko Rawei. "Uncle Sam's Samoan Islanders". A South Seas entertainment with portrayal of the arts, crafts, folklore, and music of the Polynesians. November 30, 1925.

Sidney Landon. Character studies and impersonations of great literary men.

December 8, 1925

Everett Kemp. Rendition of a humorous literary work. March 9, 1926.

A new physical education program has been adopted at the college. It is designed to adequately care for the physical welfare of the students and to provide for an adequate and wholesome system of athletics. Basic to the new system is the physical examination which is required of every student participating in athletics. It is expected that by another year this will be required of all students and will be furnished without cost to the students. This year it is given at a nominal fee of $1.00 to the students who wish to take it. About 75% of the regular student body took advantage of the opportunity and were examined. The examinations were conducted by Dr. S. T. Miller, President of the Alumni Association and Dr. A. C. Yoder of Goshen. The results were very satisfactory, showing that the average physical condition was unusually good.

The students are also required to report weekly on special blanks the amount and form of exercise taken during the week. For the present 3 hours per week distributed over at least five periods of exercise is required. The results of the reports will be studied to provide a basis for future requirements.

No intercollegiate sports are engaged in but a strong intramural athletic program is being developed. In the fall of this year, a new sport was added, called "speedball", a sport similar to soccer. All girls are required to attend a special physical education class twice each week. A similar arrangement is being worked out for the young men.

The college library is being built up as rapidly as possible, though the increased cost of books makes the new purchases relatively more expensive than heretofore. This year the total spent for the library, for new books, magazines and supplies will total nearly $1,000, exclusive of salaries. Since the reopening of the school in the fall of 1924, there have been accessioned 614 volumes while over 300 volumes are on the shelves still to be accessioned, of which approximately 200 are new additions to the Mennonite Historical Library. The accession number March 1, 1926 was 7768. This means that, counting unaccessioned books on hand, the college library has passed "over the top" of the 8,000 volumes required by the State Board of Indiana for standard college rating.

A number of extensive and valuable sets of books have recently been acquired. Among them are the famous, and beautifully printed and bound set of "Chronicles of America", published by the Yale University Press. The library has the Roosevelt edition, fifty volumes in twenty-five. Another valuable history set is the seven volume set "History of England" edited by Oman, also acquired this year. Recent purchases have been the large ten volume set of The Anti-Nicene Fathers, and the ten volume set known as The World Book. The Mennonite Historical Society recently added to the Historical Collection over 80 volumes of 71 titles, mostly rare and valuable books purchased from the Library of the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottdale, Pa.

—The Librarian

The college annual will be full of information concerning the college and its institutional life the past year. It will be ready for distribution by June.. But place your order now. The price is $2.25. Address The Maple Leaf, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana.

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ALUMNI REUNION

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association was held at the college on April 27. Those present were Dr. S. T. Miller, Mabel Metzler, H. S. Bender, F. S. Ebersole, J. M. Kurtz and S. W. Witmer. Other members of the Board not present had appointed proxies. Action was taken to hold the Alumni Reunion in the form of a banquet and committees were appointed to make arrangements. A number of alumni are being engaged to toast and to render musical numbers on this occasion. Invitations to this banquet are being sent to each member of the Alumni Association. However, the mailing lists are not yet complete and the mailed invitations may fail to reach some. Therefore, all alumni having knowledge of the Reunion should consider themselves invited. The Alumni Reunion as well as the annual business meeting of the Alumni Association will be held at 6 P. M. Tuesday, June 8. The Alumni Board of Directors will have its regular meeting on the afternoon of the same day.

Another matter before the Board of Directors in the April meeting was that of formulating instructions as to how the earnings from the new Alumni Endowment Fund shall be used. Under the present arrangement the annual interest coming in from the investment of this fund is turned over to Goshen College to be applied as the Alumni Association shall designate. The Board of Directors has not so far given any instructions in this matter but it desires hereby to invite alumni to send in their suggestions.

Professor J. M. Kurtz placed before the directors a report from the Board of Trustees of the Alumni Endowment Fund. This report showed the completion of the liquidation of the old funds,—those established in 1915 and in 1901. The cash distributions during liquidation totalled $7,558-.52. Of this amount $4,331.27 is shown as returned to subscribers who requested it; $2,660.54 remitted to Goshen College and five other beneficiaries as designated by subscribers; the remainder was also remitted to Goshen College. Subscription notes returned to subscribers totalled $7,604.61 and subscription notes cancelled, $400.88. The total distribution in cash and notes amounted to $15,564.01. A motion was passed expressing appreciation for the fairness and thoroughness with which the Trustees have discharged their obligations.

CONTRIBUTION FROM THE FINANCIAL AGENT

Some years ago the Mennonite Board of Education adopted an educational program, which included the establishment at as early a date as possible, a centrally located fully standardized College. This program in all its essential features is still the program of the Board, the first action having been confirmed at several of its annual meetings since.

The program was adopted with a full knowledge of the various technical requirements, both financial and otherwise, that need to be met, to qualify for the designation "Standard" and with a faith that the constituency of the Board will support such a policy. It is hoped that Goshen College will qualify to be this Central Mennonite College and Bible Institute. Outside the matter of finances, much progress has already been made by the administration at Goshen towards this end. The matter of finance seems now the biggest immediate obstacle. No detailed plans have yet been made for raising the necessary $500,000.00 Endowment Fund.

The Board's Finance Committee has felt that before such plans could be successfully put into operation, that plans for automatically meeting the more immediate problem of the annual deficit should first be put in operation and their effectiveness demonstrated. The Churches of the Central States are now gradually assuming this through annual appropriations from the individual congregations. These appropriations are determined on the basis of size of membership.

Indications now are therefore that the School's "Money Raising" agencies can soon be released for work on the larger task of raising the Endowment. The several Committees and individuals most closely related to the financial end of the program have already done much thinking and general planning towards this time. Until then, definite plans and goals are set only from year to year and for a year in advance.

This does not mean however that nothing is now being done in building up the permanent endowment of Goshen College. Indications are that the President can, at this coming Commencement Season report such addition during the past year of between five and ten thousand dollars.

The opportunity is being given between now and June 1 to all Alumni to contribute to that total. Contributions of Alumni are made a part of the Alumni Endowment fund opened with the Goshen College trustees a year ago. The rules governing the use and investment of this fund were announced then and will be fully explained on inquiry from any Alumnus. Through that channel all Alumni can feel assured that every dollar contributed will definitely count towards the ultimate goal desired by all.

The Alumni Association Finance Committee hopes that Alumni generally will feel an obligation to do their bit to their Alma Mater through these channels. It is also hoped that through the years the voice of the Alumni Association and the gifts from its members will be increasingly felt in the affairs of the Institution.

Orie O. Miller
Financial Agt. of Mennonite
Board of Education.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'02—D. B. Zook is on the High School teaching staff at Akron, Ohio.

'02—Mrs. D. S. Gerig, homemaker. Professor D. S. Gerig is assistant principal of the Goshen High School.

'04—Eli J. Rutt is Educational Director at the Baltimore College of Commerce (Y. M. C. A.)

'05—Lydia Belle Stutzman Miller, homemaker resides at Gary, Indiana.

'05—Mary E. Yoder is Assistant Librarian at the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio.

'06—John I. Byler is Music Supervisor near Canton, Ohio. He is also pastor of the East Nimishillen Church of the Brethren near there.

'07—Dr. Homer B. Reed is Professor of Psychology at the University of Pittsburgh. His new book, Psychology of the Common Branches is now in press.

'10—Menno C. Landis is proprietor of the Oliver Store, Goshen, Indiana.

'10—Arthur L. Gilliom is the very active Attorney-General of the State of Indiana.

'12—Charles B. Shoemaker is Book Department Manager at the Mennonite Publishing House.

'14—Esther Lehman Yoder is homemaker at Harper, Kansas.

'15—Martha Martin is instructor in English in the Scottdale (Penna.) High School.

'15—S. P. Unzicker is principal of the Junior High School at Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

'15—Dr. Orus R. Yoder is a physician at the Kalamazoo State Hospital, Kalamazoo, Mich.

'15—J. Roy Allgyer is Director Field Service Department of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation at Columbus, Ohio.

'15—Leo D. Hershberger is head of the Biology Department at the State Normal School, River Falls, Wisconsin.

'15—Joseph E. Brunk is Superintendent of the Inwood (W. Va.) plant of the Musselman Canning Co.

'16—L L. Miller is located at Wadsworth, Ohio where he is, now for some years, pastor of the Wadsworth Mennonite Church.

'16—Alice G. Treuschel is Director of Religious Education in the public schools of Goshen, Indiana.

'17—Ada Roberta Murphy is Assistant Superintendent and Instructor of Nurses at the Elkhart General Hospital, Elkhart, Indiana.

'17—Howard J. Lehman is a high school teacher at Toledo, Ohio.

'18—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse N. Smucker, a son, David.

'20—Noah Burkhard is an instructor in the Science Dept. of the High School at Seward, Nebraska.

'20—Vernon D. Shoup is Sales Manager of the Pioneer Manufacturing Co., Middlebury, Ind.

'21—A. Fay Grassmeyer has just completed five years as Instructor in Science at the Wawaka (Indiana) High School.

'21—Martin Baer is District Manager at

Madison, Wisconsin for the R. C. Barnum Co., Publishers.

'22—Harold C. Good is Instructor in Mathematics at the Hillsboro (Ohio) High School.

'22—Wilbur Miller is Supt. of Schools at North Lewisburg, Ohio.

'22—Margaret Anderson is Secretary to the President of the Marquette Piano Company in Chicago.

'22—Clarence A. Fulmer is Instructor in American History in the High School system of Wilmington, Delaware.

'22—Allen Y. King is an instructor at the Struthers (Ohio) High School.

'22—Walter N. Rutt has a position in the South East Junior High School, South Bend, Ind.

'23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. Jay Hostetler, a son, John Jay, March 4, 1926. They reside at Peoria, Illinois.

'23—Beulah Smith is Assistant Librarian at Goshen College.

'23—Ira H. Eigsti is Assistant Pastor of the Willow Springs Mennonite Church as well as manager of a farm at Buda, Illinois.

'23—Mervin Hostetler is principal of the Salem Township Consolidated Schools with address at Pleasant Lake, Indiana. He is spending the summer in California at Leland Stanford University.

'25—Gladys Loucks is matron of Kulp Hall at Goshen College.

'25—Joseph Graber is in foreign mission work with the American Mennonite Mission in India.

'25—Nelson Litwiller is a missionary with the Mennonite Mission in South America.

'25—J. Paul Sauder taught the past year in the New Holland (Penna.) High School.

'25—Dorothy Kemrer is an instructor in the Eastern Mennonite School at Harrisonburg, Va.

'25—Esther Smucker has been teaching the past year near Tiskilwa, Illinois.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK

Friday. June 4 to Wednesday, June 9

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, June 4

10:00 A. M. Passing of the Emblems—Senior Class

8:00 P. M. Academy Senior Program.

SATURDAY, June 5

8:00 P. M. Musical Program — College Chorus

SUNDAY, June 6

11:00 A. M. Missionary Sermon
J. A. Ressler

2:00 P. M. Missionary Program
Speakers J. A. Ressler, Mary Good, Lois Lapp

8:00 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon
President S. C. Yoder

MONDAY, June 7

8:00 P. M. Senior Class Program

TUESDAY, June 8

6:00 P. M. Alumni Reunion

WEDNESDAY, June 9

10:00 A. M. Chapel Exercises and Devotional

1:00 P. M. College Luncheon

8:00 P. M. Commencement Address
Dr. F. S. Weston, Toronto Bible College

Admission to all programs will be free. Seats will be reserved, however. on the main floor of the Assembly Hall on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Admission to reserved seats will be by ticket only. Tickets are free and may be secured from Professor J. S. Umble at the College. Admission to the gallery and wings will be unreserved.

All Alumni, former students, and friends are invited to the College Luncheon at one o'clock on Wednesday. Tickets for the meal may be secured at the Business Office.

For general information, inquiry should be made of Professor H. S. Bender. A committee on arrangements, consisting of H. S. Bender (chairman), J. S. Umble, S. W. Witmer, Mrs. S. C. Yoder, and Miss Mabel Metzler, has been appointed to care for guests. Friends desiring lodging should communicate with the committee. Tickets for meals may be secured at the Business Office at 30 cents each.

AT THE COLLEGE

In the last issue of the Alumni News Letter mention was made of the appropriations for laboratory equipment. The additions made to the laboratories by means of these appropriations include for the Department of Physical Sciences the following: sextant, motor rotator, mechanical equivalent of heat apparatus, mica condenser, variable standard of self and mutual inductance, audio oscillator, force table, students potentiometer, Wallace Grating for determination of wave length

of light, stop watch, resonant Leyden jars, calorimeters, sonometer, receivers, Geissler and spectrum tubes, Bending beam apparatus, Kundt's apparatus for measuring speed of sound in metals. Considerable material was also added for the Analytical courses in Chemistry.

The additions to the Biological laboratories include a pocket compound microscope, six student compound microscopes, a research microscope with oil immersion lens, quadrupie nosepiece, Abbe condenser, mechanical stage, 25X ocular; a demonstration ocular, glass stage micrometer, electric microscope lamps, diocular attachment for oil immersion microscope, model of internal anatomy of the clam, models illustrating mitotic cell division. A mounted specimen of one of the first two starlings found in Indiana has been added to the bird collection. The two birds were taken at the Goshen College Farm, Dec. 17, 1924 and were reported at the meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science last December.

In the three intra-mural debates held during the year, the Freshmen defeated the Sophomores on the World Court question; the Seniors defeated the Juniors on national industrial insurance; and the Freshman women defeated the Junior women on the question of a department of education in the President's cabinet. The negative won in each case.

During the past few months, students in the classes in English have written complete and detailed histories of all the literary societies. These histories are appearing in the Goshen College Record with a complete roster and considerable biographical material.

Goshen College notes gleaned from the daily newspapers of Goshen:

Mar. 23—President Yoder returned yesterday from a week's tour of eastern Ohio, in the financial interests of the college.

Mar. 25—The northwest room in the basement of the administration building has been cleaned, painted, and thoroughly refurnished into an adequate social room for the men.

Professor Hershberger addressed the Mennonite Historical Society on "The History of the Mennonites in Iowa."

April 8—President Yoder left for Kokomo, Indiana to spend a few days in the interests of the college.

The Local Board of the College took action to remodel, repaint and partially refurnish East Hall, the boys' dormitory, this summer.

April 10—Dean Oyer and Professor Hohn are in Terre Haute to attend a state conference on Supervised Teaching.

April 12—Thirty students have signed for membership in the new Bird Study Club.

April 14—The largest crowd of the year attending a college program was present Sunday evening for the presentation of the cantata, "The Easter Evangel," by Lorenz, presented by the college chorus under the direction of Ellis Zook. The Assembly Hall, including balcony and side-rooms, was filled to its capacity.

President Yoder is spending this week in Illinois and Iowa in the interests of the College.

The current number of the American Historical Review contains a review of Dr. E. H. Correll's recent book, "Das Schweitzerische Mennonitentum," reviewed by Professor H. S. Bender of the college. A similar review by Dr. Maurer of the Lewis Institute of Chicago appeared in the current number of the American Journal of Sociology. Dr. Correll is Professor of Economics at the college.

April 17—A lyceum course of five numbers has been arranged for the college for next year.

April 21—Professor Umble judged a discussion contest in Millersburg Tuesday evening.

Miss Klopfenstein judged a similar contest in Goshen.

April 22—Seven men have entered the discussion contest to be held at the college tomorrow evening. Judges for the contest are Principal O. L. Walters, of the Goshen High School, Professor Fred R. Conkling, head of the English Department of Manchester College, and Reverend Overdeer, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Goshen. Cash prizes donated by Sam Lewis of Goshen, will be awarded the winners.

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ALUMNI NOTES

This is the first issue of the Alumni News Letter since last May. It will therefore be permissable to go back and take up the activities and events relating to the alumni and to the college at the point where they were left last spring. Since that time the events of commencement week, including meetings of alumni, have come to pass. The Board of Directors of the Alumni Association had its annual business meeting on Alumni Day followed by the Alumni Reunion held in the college dining hall in the evening. Without giving all the details from the secretary's minutes, it will no doubt be of interest to review briefly the action taken by our organization and the plans laid for the present year. As usual the Board of Directors made recommendations which were acted upon by the Association at the Alumni Reunion.

In accordance with the fact that this responsibility is placed on the Association a motion was passed to use the income from the Alumni Endowment Fund this year for the purpose of building up the Goshen College Library. Another motion was passed to set a goal of one thousand dollars as the sum to be added to the Alumni Endowment Fund the coming year. This plan for adding to this fund is similar to the plan followed last year. For some time it has seemed that a more extensive program than this should be worked out. With this in mind a motion was passed that the Board of Directors take under consideration the raising of a larger fund for some specific purpose and that the Finance Committee be authorized to study this question, to make investigations and to present plans to the Board of Directors during the coming year.

There are twelve members on the Board of Directors, and each year four of these are elected for a period of three years. One of these four members is elected by the graduating class. This year the following persons were elected: E. A. Meyer, F. S. Ebersole, Florence Bender, Sadie Hartzler (from the outgoing senior class). J. S. Umble was elected to succeed J. F. Ebersole who tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors. The officers of the Association were elected as follows: President, Dr. S. T. Miller; Vice Presidents, H. S. Bender and F. S. Ebersole; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. S. W. Witmer; Recording Secretary, Florence Bender; Treasurer, S. W. Witmer. I. W. Royer and A. E. Kreider were elected to represent the Alumni Association on the Mennonite Board of Education.

The eighty persons present at the Alumni Reunion had the privilege of enjoying a renewal of friendships made in years past, of gaining new inspiration from the songs and speeches heard from those of "auld acquaintance". Future prospects were pictured before us. There were also reports of additions to the Alumni Endowment Fund. The last annual report of the Business Manager of Goshen College shows that the amount of $1337.00 has been added to the present Alumni Endowment Fund the past year. This total amount includes the final remittances from the former funds and payments on the special subscriptions made by Alumni and the class of '26.

The Reunion of Goshen College Alumni at the City Park of Goshen, Indiana, on July 29, 1926 was an event greatly enjoyed by those present. The Reunion began with a pot-luck dinner at one o'clock. Then an hour or more of informal visits in groups or classes just as opportunity and desire presented itself. There was no program. No one was asked to make a speech. A self appointed committee arranged the time and place. About one hundred alumni and friends responded. They came from Ohio, Illinois, Michigan and then all of us Hoos-

iers were there too. If there was a little rekindling of friendships or renewing of purposes by a meeting of Alumni covering a period of thirty years the meeting was not in vain. At least the Alumni and friends assembled voted to have the same committee arrange for another reunion at the same place and time, the last Sunday in August, 1927. —E.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, the Board of Trustees of the Alumni Endowment Fund, established in 1915, reported the completion of the liquidation of this fund as well as of the old endowment fund established in 1901. The following is a brief report of the operations of the fund prepared by the Treasurer. (The above statement and the following report were handed to the editorial committee last spring, but came a little too late to be included in the May issue of the Alumni News Letter. — W.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT FUND, J. F. EBERSOLE, COVERING OPERATIONS DURING THE YEARS 1915-1926 INCLUSIVE

Receipts and Expenditures

Subscription notes received from Secretary of the Board, of which $4,028.96 were paid	$12,034.45
Cash received from the Secretary of the Board	695.25
Cash and notes received from Alumni Association Treasurers, less $4.05 written off as uncollectible	739.71
Donation made by A. M. Hess	.68
Interest paid by subscribers on their own delinquent notes (35c additional included in Secretary's records, as shown above)	64.35
Interest earned and accrued on investments to June 16, 1924, less interest paid on sums borrowed to facilitate investments	1,950.32
Profit on bonds sold, or written up to market value on date set for liquidation	177.72
Total receipts up to June 16, 1924	$15,662.48
Expenses of operation and collection during nine years ending June 16, 1924	219.21
Balance, not including $4.05, above shown as written off, which was included in the $15,447.32 of the auditors' report as of June 16, 1924	15,443.27
Net earnings during liquidation	120.74
TOTAL AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION	$15,564.01

Distributions during Liquidation

Subscription Notes returned to subscribers	$ 7,604.61
Subscription Notes cancelled	400.88
Cash returned to subscribers who requested it	4,331.27
Cash remitted to beneficiaries* as designated by subscribers (net)	2,660.54
Cash remitted to Goshen College for unclaimed balances	445.98
Cash remitted to Goshen College consisting of net earnings during the period of liquidation (less a difference of 1c due to fractional part of cent required to be used in 1924 distribution)	120.73
TOTAL DISTRIBUTED	$15,564.01

*The beneficiaries are Goshen College, Bluffton College, The Christian Exponent, Witmarsum Theological Seminary, The Indiana-Michigan Mission Board, and The Eighth Street Mennonite Church of Goshen, Indiana.

(Signed) J. F. Ebersole, Treasurer.

ALUMI PERSONALS

'01—Olivia (Good) Honderich has been teaching in the public schools at Filer, Idaho. She received the degree of A. B. from Gooding College, Idaho, in 1923.

'03—Samuel Honderich is principal of the Pacific Coast Bible School.

'05—Dr. S. T. Miller recently returned to his practice at Elkhart, Indiana from a six weeks' hunting trip in Montana.

'05—Dean P. E. Whitmer of Witmarsum Theological Seminary delivered the commencement address and a series of Bible lectures at Freeman, S. D. Throughout the summer Dean Whitmer was engaged in field work in the interests of the Seminary.

'08—Dr. H. G. Good is now Professor of Education at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. He had held a similar position at Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.

'10—Mary (Ramer) Fisher is occupied as homemaker at Abernathy, Texas.

'10—President J. E. Hartzler of Witmarsum Theological Seminary spent the past summer in Europe with the Sherwood Eddy party. Dr. C. H. Smith, formerly Professor of History at Goshen College, and now at Bluffton College was also a member of the party.

'11—Meta E. Martin is engaged in Home Economics Extension Work for Purdue University and the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

'11—Samuel Burkhard is Professor of Education at State Teachers' College, Tempe, Arizona.

'12—Anna Yoder is giving Week Day Religious Instruction in the Goshen City Schools and in the Jackson Twp. schools.

'13 and '18—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fisher, a son, John, Jr. on June 28. They reside at Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Fisher is Professor of Education at the State Normal School.

'14—W. B. Weaver on June 14 received the degree of Master of Arts from Northwestern University. He continues with the pastorate at Danvers, Illinois and has resumed the editorship of The Christian Evangel.

'15—L. D. Hershberger was head of the Biology Dept. the past summer session at the Mayville State Teachers' College, Mayville, N. D.

'15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk of Inwood, W. Va., a daughter, Mabel Virginia, July 23, 1926.

'15—Martha Martin is principal of the Bigham Grade School in Mishawaka, Ind.

'16—Nellie E. Yoder resides at Los Angeles, California.

'16—Alice G. Treuschel is Director of Religious Education in the Goshen City Schools.

'17—John H. Warye is superintendent of the High School in Mingo, Ohio.

'17—O. B. Gerig has taken leave of absence from Simmons College and accepted an appointment as a secretary of the Friends Social Service Commission. During the summer he attended the Peace Conference in Europe and was present at the League of Nations session when Germany was admitted to the League.

'18—Bernice (Lehman) Becknell accompanies her husband to Calcutta, India, where Mr. Becknell will have charge of a hostel for Indiana University students.

'18—Ruth A. Yoder is instructor in Religious Education in the public schools at Bluffton, Ohio.

'18—Maude Byler teaches in the schools of Los Angeles, Calif.

'18—Dr. Amos M. Showalter has recently returned from Europe after spending some months in Botanical Research, chiefly in at Ithaca, N. Y., at Cornell University. Belgium and Germany. He is now located

'20—A. R. Eschliman is Dean of Men and instructor in History and Education at Freeman College, Freeman, S. D.

'20—Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Miller of Canton, Ohio, a son, Robert Clay, September 28.

'20 and '21—Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyer residing at Biglerville, Pa., a daughter, Joanna June.

'21—Daniel Hostetler graduated from the Western Reserve Medical School last June.

'21—Fern Umble is teaching in the Education Department of the White Sewing Machine Company, Albany, N. Y.

'21—Miss Sarah Shantz and Mr. Charles N. Shaum were united in marriage June 26, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Shaum reside near Elkhart, Indiana. Mr. Shaum is in the employ of the Studebaker Automobile Works, South Bend, Indiana.

'21—W. E. Oswald who is Supt. of Schools at Hartford, Ohio, attended the summer

quarter of The University of Cricago.

'22—Arthur L. Sprunger is instructor in Art in the Goshen High School.

'22—Miss Georgiana Weddell and Mr. Louis Reasoner were united in marriage Sept. 24, 1926. They reside in Goshen, Indiana.

'22—Glen Kropf is Superintendent of Schools at Shipshewana, Indiana.

'22—Raymond Schertz is principal of the High School at Metamora, Illinois.

'22—Florence Bender is instructor in Sewing in the Elkhart Junior High School.

'22—Wilbur Miller is now principal of the High School at St. Clairsvile, Ohio.

'22—Howard C. Yoder is a horticulturist at Barberton, Ohio.

'23—Oscar S. Lehman received the degree of Master of Arts from the University of Chicago last June. Mr. and Mrs. Lehman now reside at Cleveland Heights, Ohio, where Mr. Lehman is instructor in History in the High School.

'23—Mabel Metzler is Head of the Home Economics Department in the High School at Struthers, Ohio.

'22—Eli Stoltzfus is in educational work among the natives in Syria near Beirut.

'22—Miss Edna Eigsti and Mr. Nicholas Stoltzfus were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents near Manson, Iowa, June 16, 1926. Mr. Stoltzfus is one of the ministers of the Mennonite congregation in Manson.

'23—Mr. Wilmer Eigsti and Miss Ruth Bontrager were united in marriage at the bride's home in Goshen, Indiana, June 14, 1926. They reside in South Bend, Indiana where Mr. Eigsti has a position with the Association Investment Company.

'20 and '23—Miss Edna Thut and Mr. Allen Y. King were united in marriage at West Liberty, Ohio, August 15. Mr. and Mrs. King reside at Struthers, Ohio where Mr. King teaches in the Junior High School.

'25—Esther Smucker has taken up a course at the Women's Medical College at Philadelphia, Penna. She is also on the editorial staff of The Christian Exponent.

'26—Olive Wyse is on the faculty of Goshen College as director of Physical Education for the women.

'26—Edwin Weaver is instructor in English in the Mennonite Collegiate Institute at Gretna, Manitoba.

'26—Albert Hershberger is an instructor in Science and Mathematics in the High School at Armel, Colorado.

'26—Sadie Hartzler is an instructor at the Eastern Mennonite School, Harrisonburg, Va.

'26—Melvin Gingerich is principal of the Clinton Twp. Community School, east of Goshen, Indiana.

'26—Irvin E. Burkhart is again with Goshen College taking advanced studies and spending some time in the field in the interests of the College.

COLLEGE NOTES

Apr. 23—A college discussion contest was held in which seven men were entered. Paul Horsch speaking on the subject "Capitalism in American Government" was awarded first prize of fifteen dollars. The second prize of ten dollars was won by Jonathan Yoder on the subject of "Relativity".

President Yoder has returned from several days of visiting among congregations in Iowa and has again left for Archbold, Ohio.

Apr. 30—On the evening of this day four contestants participated in the Peace Oratorical Contest. Charles Fricke won first place with the title, "The Rationality of Peace". Howard Schertz won second place with the title "Necessary Preliminaries for International Peace". The prizes consisted of fifteen and ten dollars donated by Attorney B. F. Deahl of Goshen. The judges for this contest were Reverend S. L. Yoder of St. Mark's M .E. Church of Goshen, Professor Warren Hiestand of the Elkhart High School, and Professor A. E. Kreider of Witmarsum Theological Seminary.

May 6—President Yoder is absent from the College attending meetings in Chicago and Kitchener, Ontario.

May 26—President Yoder is in Pennsylvania for some days in the interests of the College.

The Maple Leaf Staff promises us another interesting college annual for this year. By all indications it is to be "bigger and better" but not necessarily higher in price. The price per copy is to be $2.50. If paid for by Feb. 15, 1927, the price is the same as last year—$2.25. Send your order to The Maple Leaf, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana.

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ALUMNI PERSONALS

'07—C. B. Blosser is agricultural agent of Elkhart County with headquarters at Goshen, Indiana.

'11—Ruth Ebersole Rasmussen is a librarian at the Buffalo Public Library, Buffalo, N. Y.

'11—Alvin J. Miller has returned from Europe. He is scheduled to meet with the Mennonite Central Committee which meets early in May in Scottdale, Penna., when he will convey to the committee on official report.

'11—I. R. Detweiler, pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, Goshen, Indiana, is serving as President of the Goshen Ministerial Association for the year 1927.

'12—Frederick A. Conrad is Assistant Professor of Sociology at the University of Arizona at Tucson, Arizona.

'12—Ruth Umble teaches in the Model School near Goshen, Indiana.

'13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hertzler, a son, Paul David, Sept. 5, 1926.

'13—Albert Brechbill is Principal of the Messiah Bible College at Grantham, Pa.

'14—J. E. Weaver is engaged in poultry husbandry near Goshen, Indiana.

'15—Lola Beery Hartzler is Instructor and Supervisor at the Mt. Sinai Hospital at Cleveland, Ohio.

'15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram H. Smith (Edna Metzler) a son, Philip, March 11, 1927.

'15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller, (Elta Wolf). a son. John, Dec. 22, 1926.

'15—Leo D. Hershberger is principal of the Little Wolf High School at Manawa, Wis.

'15—Chauncey H. Duker is Superintendent of Schools at McHenry, Ill.

'16—Amos S. Ebersole is Head of the Dept. of Voice at Heidelberg University, Tiffin, O.

'16—Lloyd E. Blauch is Professor of Education at the North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro, N. C.

'16—Elmer E. Lehman is Real Estate Broker at Columbus, Ohio.

'16—Mary E. Hooley is Professor of English at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

'16—Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Topinges (Cordelia Grabill) a son, George Junior, Mar. 21, 1927. They reside at Akron, Ohio.

'17—A cablegram from India conveys the information that a son was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Miller (Ruth Blosser).

'17—Ada Murphy is assistant superintendent and instructor of nurses at the Elkhart General Hospital, Elkhart, Indiana.

'17—Owen Yoder is principal in the Nappanee High School, Nappanee, Indiana.

'17—Howard Lehman is engaged in agriculture near Columbiana, Ohio.

'18—Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bender (Elizabeth Horsch), a daughter, Mary Eleanor, March 3, 1927.

'18—Elma Hesh is instructor in History in the High School at Wilmington, Delaware.

'18—Homer A. Yoder is an electrician at Tucson, Arizona.

'19—Mary M. Good, missionary to India, is in America attending the George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tenn.

'19—Norman G. Bauman is in agricultural work near Columbiana, Ohio.

'20—Harry F. Weber is instructor in History in the Senior High School at Meriden, Conn.

'20—H. Clay Miller is instructor in the Central High School at Canton, Ohio.

'21—Martin Baer and Robert Stemen have recently been touring through the southern and south-western United States.

'21—Bertha R. Leaman is Associate Professor of History at Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana.

'21—Lloyd G. Hershberger is High School Principal at Clinton, Ohio.

'21—Harvey E. Nunemaker is pastor of a Mennonite Church at Commins, Michigan.

'21—Schuyler Pletcher teaches in one of the rooms at the Model School near Goshen, Indiana.

'22—Vera Grace Thornton has a position of proof reader in the newspaper office of the Elkhart Truth at Elkhart, Indiana.

'22—Ray S. Lantz is principal of the High School at Topeka, Indiana.

'22—Walter A. Bender is salesman for the Lassie Laddie Shoe Company at Akron, Pa.

'22—Howard C. Yoder is engaged in horti-

cultural work at Smithville, Ohio.

'22—Berdine Thornton is librarian and instructor in English in the Goshen High School.

'23—Rhea Yoder is instructor in Home Economics at the Banquo High School, La Fountain, Indiana.

'23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Eigsti (Esther Hartzler) a son, Delwin John, Jan. 15.

'23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar S. Lehman (Ruth Brubaker) a daughter, Jan. 12, 1927.

'23—John Thut is instructor in Voice and Public School Music at Bethel College, Newton, Kan.

'23—Esther Hertzler is located as a worker at the Children's Home in Kansas City.

'25—J. Paul Sauder and Miss Alice Shenk were united in marriage, Dec. 28, 1926. Mr. Sauder is instructor in the High School at New Holland, Penna.

COLLEGE NOTES

June 8, 1926—The Annual Alumni Banquet is held in the College Dining Hall in charge of Miss Mabel Metzler, head of the department of Home Economics. Dr. S. T. Miller is toastmaster. Melvin Gingerich speaks in response to the acceptance of the incoming seniors. The other speakers are Mary Good, who has recently returned from India, Martha Martin, A. E. Kreider, H. S. Bender, F. S. Ebersole, Dean Noah Oyer. Russel Lantz sings solos. Walter Yoder leads in the community singing. There are eighty in attendance.

June 9—College luncheon is held on the campus. Besides participation on the program by students and faculty there are addresses by Samuel King of the Hesston College faculty, I. W. Royer, Dr. S. E. Yoder.

The commencement address is given by Dr. F. S. Weston of the Toronto Bible College, member editorial staff of the Toronto Daily Globe, etc . The subject of the address is "Choosing a Vocation."

The May-June number of the Goshen College Record appears and with it the special fifty-two page Review Supplement by the faculty. The Supplement appears three times a year. Many of the articles are contributed by regular members of the faculty. They deal with educational subjects. Mennonite church history, book reviews, etc. The editorial staff consists of H. S. Bender, J. S. Umble, G. F. Hershberger. all of the Goshen College faculty.

June 10—The Mennonite Board of Education meets at the College. Further steps are taken to make and maintain fully accredited standard colleges—Goshen College to give a standard four-year course and Hesston College to be a Junior College. Plans are worked out for meeting the deficits of the coming year and for adding to the Endowment Fund. Officers of the Board are elected as follows: Henry R. Schertz, Metamora, Ill., president; David A. Yoder, Elkhart, Ind., vice-president; Simon M. Kanagy, Chicago, Ill., secretary; Aaron Loucks, Scottdale, Penna., treasurer; Curtis C. Cressman, Plattsville, Ont., member of executive committee; Orie O. Miller, Akron, Penna., financial agent.

June 14—Summer School opens at the College. Thirty-one students enroll for college and academy work. No special Normal courses for the training of teachers are offered. Even the elementary teacher training course given during the regular year is to be discontinued and only High School teachers will be trained, except in so far as regular college courses can give the needed work for elementary teachers.

July 13—Mr. William F. Vogel, Inspector of Teacher Training and Dr. L. J. Rettger of the Indiana State Normal School at Terre Haute, Indiana visit the College and inspect the science departments.

Sept. 22—The opening day of the first semester. Professor D. A. Lehman has returned from his summer vacation which consisted of study at the University of Colorado and a trip to California. Dr. Correll, on account of illness, is not able to return from Germany for the first semester's work. He left for Europe last spring immediately following the examinations to spend the summer in further study. There are several new instructors on the faculty. Professor Edward Yoder of Kalona, Iowa has charge of the Greek and Latin courses. He comes to us with the M. A. degree from the University of Iowa and has completed the residence requirements for the Ph. D. degree at the University of Penna. Miss Bertha M. Burkholder of Harrisonburg, Va., with graduate training at Penn State College comes to be instructor in French and Spanish. Miss Edith M. Witmer of Elizabethtown, Pa., with an M. S. from Columbia University takes charge of the department of Home Economics. Miss Olive Wyse of Wayland, Iowa, with B. A. from Goshen College is director of Physical Education for the Women.

The department of music is now under the directorship of Professor B. Frank Hartzler

who is a former Goshen College student and whose prepapration has been continued at the University of Southern California College of Music. The Philharmonic Chorus, the A Cappella Chorus, besides a men's and also a ladies' chorus are under his supervision.

Alta M. Malloch, for the past two years Professor of French at Goshen College is now Dean of the Texas Presbyterian College for Women, Milford, Tex.

Sept. 27—President S. C. Yoder delivered the semester address. His subject was "Why I am in College".

Oct. 4—Miss Ida Winters, representing the Indiana Council for International Peace, addressed the student body immediately after the chapel exercises. Her subject was "The Student Part in World Peace".

Oct. 9—Eleven students have by this time enrolled for piano under the instructorship of Professor Frederick G. Church of Ft. Wayne, Indiana. Prof. Church directs the choir at the St. James Episcopal Church in Goshen.

Oct. 13—An informal reception for all faculty members is held at the home of President Yoder.

Oct. 17—Many of the students attend he lecture by Frederick J. Libby given in the city. The lecturer has just returned from Geneva, Switzerland and speaks on international relations.

Oct. 19—President Yoder has returned from a week-end visit to Kalona, Iowa.

Oct. 22—Dean Noah Oyer attends a meeting of Student Advisors in Indianapolis.

Oct. 25—The October number of the Goshen College Record is distributed. It contains an article on the Jacob L. Lind Collection of Indian relics which has just been placed on exhibition on the second floor of Science Hall. This collection represents work over a period of fifty-five years. It consists of a large number and variety of instruments made out of stone by the American Indians. Visitors at the College should not miss seeing this fine collection.

Oct. 27—The new heating plant is put into operation. It promises to be a very efficient one. The old boilers which had given service for many years have been replaced by the new ones and with other changes made the College now has a new heating plant, at a cost of over $6000.

Nov. 3—Dr. Hilton Ira Jones from the Redath Bureau gives the first lecture of the course arranged for the year.

Nov. 6—President Yoder is in Michigan in the interests of the College. .

Nov. 10—The women hold their annual Sisters All meeting in the Reading Room. Mrs. Katie Troyer gives the delegate's report of the Winona Conference. Mrs. S. W. Witmer gives an address on "The Love of Christ".

Nov. 24—The Executive and Finance Committees of the Mennonite Board of Education and the Local Board meet at the College.

Nov. 30—Dr. J. H. Williamson, former law enforcement commissioner of Chicago lectures at the Colege on "The Making and Breaking of a Nation".

Dec. 1—Miss Louise Rounds, national secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, is visiting the College and addressing groups of students of the Y. M. C. A. and of the Y. W. C .A.

Dec. 3—The first intra-mural debate is held. The Juniors defeat the Seniors by upholding the negative of the question, "Resolved, that the Volstead Act in its present form has been justified by results produced." The debate was judged by Professor Fred B. Conkling, head of the department of English at Manchester College. Before announcing the decision Professor Conkling gave a half-hour review and criticism of the debate.

Dec. 4—President Yoder is absent from the College engaged in his duties in Iowa and Indiana congregations.

Dec. 7—Dr. Elmer E. S. Johnson, Professor of Church History at Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn., addresses the Mennonite Historical Society on "The Coming of the Mennonites to America."

Dec. 9—Word is received that Oxford University in England awarded to Milo Leo March the degree of M. A. on August 7. Mr. March is a former student of Goshen College.

Dec. 10—This evening the Varsity Basket Ball team plays a team of former students organized by Glen Kropf, principal of Shipshewana High School. Three of the ex-student players are unable to be present. The Varsity team wins 17-14. The proceeds from admission charges will be used to pay for the improvements to be made on the gymnasium.

The work of adding improvements to the gymnasium is under way. The gymnasium itself was erected in 1921 when $4000 were raised for that purpose. The present improvements include a more adequate heating system;

lining of the building to aid in conserving heat; installation of shower baths and dressing rooms. Much of this work is carried out by the Athletic Association. The additions have been much needed as there is great demand for the use of the gymnasium. It serves the local community as well as the college Besides being used by the students, it is used by basket ball teams directed by the City Recreation Committee, and is also used by a group of men from the Eighth Street Mennonite Church.

Dec. 18—The Sophomore debating team defeated the Freshman team by upholding the negative of the question "Resolved, That the Federal government should own and operate the railroads." The judges were Professor D. S. Gerig of the Goshen High School, Rev. S. L. Yoder, pastor of St. Mark's Methodist church of Goshen, and Dean N. H Oyer of the College.

Dec. 19—On this Sunday afternoon is held the first monthly Vesper Service. It is held in the College assembly hall and the program consists of music under the direction of Professor B. F. Hartzler.

Dec. 21—A program of sacred Christmas music was rendered in the assembly hall on this evening by a combined chorus consisting of the A Cappella Chorus, the Men's Chorus, and the Ladies' Chorus. The program was prepared and presented under the direction of Professor B. F. Hartzler. The work was considered very successful. Many were in attendance from the city of Goshen and from the surrounding country making an audience of about 600.

Dec. 22—The last day the College is in session before the holiday vacation. A Chapel rally is held in the assembly hall immediately following the regular chapel exercises. There were speeches by students and by President Yoder as well as singing of the College song. Reasons why there should be enthusiasm about Goshen College were reiterated with a view of encouraging others who wish to secure a college education to choose Goshen College.

A bulletin issued by Professor Guy F. Hershberger, newly elected Secretary of the College, was distributed. Excerpts from this bulletin follow. "Goshen College is primarily a Liberal Arts College with the regular curriculum offering majors in thirteen departments." "Advanced Bible work equivalent to the junior year of the graduate seminary is offered to students of advanced standing."

"The faculty of the College of Liberal Art consists of the President and fourteen instructors each giving full time (with a few minor exceptions) to the work of a single department. These are all men and women who have been trained in the best universities of America and Europe. All have completed one or more years of graduate work while seven have completed three or more years of such work. Additional teachers have charge of the work of the Academy."

"Goshen College is free from all indebtedness, outside of current bills. In lieu of a large capital endowment the Church makes an annual contribution equivalent to the interest on $200,000 at the rate of five per cent. The Mennonite Board of Education is planning a campaign in the near future for raising an endowment of $500,000. There is every reason to expect success for this program."

"Goshen College is not a member of the North Central Association. She does not have the required endowment. But Goshen College is accredited by the Indiana State Board of Education for the training of High School teachers. The Goshen High School is cooperating splendidly with the College in making this teacher training program a success. Students who wish to enroll in supervised teaching—a course required for the first grade license (a five year license renewable for life)—may teach and observe classes under the supervision of a critic teacher in the High School."

"Furthermore, state boards of education outside of Indiana give Goshen College high recognition. Within the past months Goshen students have received certificates from nine state departments of education ranging from Pennsylvania to Colorado. Elementary and high school certificates have been received from these states."

"Besides this splendid recognition of Goshen College on the part of the state departments of education other colleges and universities are doing the same. A number of such institutions have recently accepted Goshen credits for both undergraduate and graduate work."

Jan. 4, 1927—Regular students return after the holiday vacation and the Special Bible Term begins. This special term is to continue for six weeks. The enrollment in this special term totals 29.

Professor Glen Miller, head of the depart-

ment of Physical Sciences, and Miss Pearl Klopfenstein of the English department, return to the college after having been united in marriage during the holiday vacation at the home of the bride's parents at Garden City, Missouri.

Jan. 5—President S. C. Yoder attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities in Elkhart.

Jan. 6—A large number of students, who are members of the Goshen Civic Music Association, attend the concert of Glenn Drake, tenor, and Jose Eschaniz, pianist at the auditorium of the new Goshen High School.

President Yoder announces at chapel that a friend in eastern Pennsylvania is making a gift of $800 for the Endowment Fund of the College.

Jan. 11—President S. C. Yoder leaves for New York City to attend a week's session of the Foreign Missions conference.

On this evening Dr. Fay-Cooper Cole, anthropologist from the University of Chicago, gives an illustrated lecture on "The Great American Desert".

Jan. 22—President Yoder is spending the day at Elkhart in the interests of the College.

Feb. 4—The first issue of "The Mennonite Quarterly Review" is distributed. It is a seventy-two page religious journal published by the faculty of Goshen College, and supersedes the Review Supplement of the Goshen College Record. The editorial staff is composed of H. S. Bender, J. S. Umble, G. F. Hershberger, Edward Yoder. The subscription price is one dollar per year.

Feb. 5—Orie O. Miller addresses the Mennonite Historical Society on "The New Mass Movement: 10,000 Russian Mennonites on the Way to Canada".

Feb. 6—Several students who are members of the Student Volunteer Band, attend the annual State Volunteer's Convention, at Indianapolis.

Feb. 9—This is the last day of the first semester. The total enrollment for this semester is 193.

Professor E. H. Correll, instructor in Economics at the College, returned to the College today. He had left for Europe last spring to spent the summer in research in Switzerland and Germany. On account of illness he was unable to return to America for the first semester. Since returning to America and before taking up the work at the College, he has been visiting New York City, Washington, D. C., and Columbus, Ohio, in a study of the business cycles of America. The official government bureau of statistics of Germany has requested him to make a study of this field in America.

Professor D. A. Lehman returns to his work at the College after full recovery from a few weeks of illness.

Feb. 11—County Superintendent Charles F. Miller of Elkhart County and now elected State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Indiana addresses the faculty and students immediately following the chapel service. The subject is "Education and Crime Prevention".

Feb. 12—A basket ball game between the ex-student team and the varsity team results in a score of 27-16 in favor of the ex-students. Each team now has one victory.

Feb. 15—The Special Minister's Week begins. Lectures and round table discussions are scheduled. . Over forty ministers from various congregations in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and a few from other states attend this session.

Feb. 16—The annual drive of the Y. P. C. A. for funds is held in the chapel. An amount of over $1200 is subscribed. Some of this is to go for the expenses of the Y. P. C. A.; some for missionary support; but this year by far the largest part is to be added to the College endowment fund.

Feb. 18—The Christian Life Conference begins on this evening and is to last for a few days. The program is rich with addresses by prominent leaders of the Mennonite Church and with music arranged for the occasion. The Assembly Hall is filled to capacity and great interest is manifested.

Feb. 24—Dr. E. T. Hagerman of the Redpath Bureau lectures to a large audience in the assembly hall on the subject "The Man with One Window".

Mar. 2—President Yoder is spending a few days in Iowa.

Mar. 3—Professor R. B. Hohn, head of the department of Education at the College addresses the Kiwanis Club at their noon luncheon on the subject, "Why Educate".

Mar. 4—The sophomore women's debating team wins over the freshman women's team by upholding the affirmative of the question, "Resolved, that the Negro should be encouraged to receive an industrial rather than a liberal education." The judges were Reverend

Paul Brosy of Goshen; Reverend S. L. Yoder of Goshen, and Professor D. S. Gerig, of the Goshen High School.

March 11—The Mennonite Historical Society has an illustrated lecture on "Historic Franconia" given by Quintus Leatherman, a college senior who is a native of the Franconia district of eastern Pennsylvania.

Mar. 12—Dean Oyer visits the State Department of Public Instruction at Indianapolis and returns with the report that the accreditment of Goshen College continues as before.

Mar. 18—Guy C. Caldwell of the American Nature Association gives the concluding lecture of the course for this year. The audience is the largest of the season and is entertained by a lecture on birds accompanied by imitations of bird songs by natural whistling.

Mar. 19—On this evening the Sophomore Basket Ball Team wins the championship of the intramural teams by defeating the Senior team 21-17.

Mar. 21—President Yoder is spending the week in Illinois in the interests of the College.

Mar. 23—A group of college students attend a special program at the Progressive Brethren Church of Goshen, at which a ladies' quartet from the College renders a special number.

Mar. 29—Rev. McIntyre lectures on the subject, "The Story of Life".

Mar. 30—Dean Oyer returns to the College after visiting Hesston College, Hesston, Kansas, in the work of coordinating the courses of study of the two schools.

April 2—The Sam Lewis Discussion Contest is held. Jonathan Yoder wins first place with the subject, "Man and the Universe". Samuel Yoder gets second place on "Burke on Precedent and Innovation".

April 6—The Goshen College Men's Chorus furnishes the music on this evening at the Methodist Conference in the First Methodist Church of Goshen.

April 9—The Goshen College Men's Chorus gives a program at the Wakarusa High School.

April 10—Dr. George H. Myers, a Methodist minister of Muncie, preaches at the College Mennonite Church. He is attending the Methodist Conference in Goshen.

April 21—The Goshen College Men's Chorus under the direction of Professor B. F. Hartzler returns from its nine-day Easter tour. The trip was made by bus. The itinerary included broadcasting from station WLS of Chicago, programs at the Mennonite Home Mission, Chicago; Freeport, Illinois; Sterling, Illinois; Tiskilwa, Illinois; Flanagan, Illinois; Fisher, Illinois; Eureka, Illinois; Metamora, Illinois; and Kokomo, Indiana.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK FOR 1927

June 10—Academy Senior Class Program.

June 11—Musical Program, by the College Choruses, in the evening.

June 12—Missionary Sermon, by Paul Erb, Dean of Hesston College, at 10:45 A. M.; Missionary Program, with R. R. Smucker, of Mahodi, India; and L. S. Weber of Toronto, Ontario, as speakers, at two o'clock in the afternoon; and the baccalaureate sermon, by Dean Noah Oyer of the College at eight o'clock in the evening.

June 13—Senior Class Exercises at seven o'clock, on the campus, and in the assembly hall.

June 14—Musical Program, by the Men's Chorus, at two o'clock in the afternoon; and Alumni Reunion, at six o'clock in the evening.

June 15—Final Chapel Service and Devotional Meeting at ten o'clock in the morning; college luncheon at one o'clock; and the commencement address, at eight o'clock, by Robert P. Wilder, General Secretary, Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions.

Tuesday, June 14, has been reserved for reunions of literary societies. All societies planning reunions in connection with commencement activities should arrange to have them on this date.

All alumni, former students, and friends are invited to the College Luncheon at one o'clock on Wednesday. Tickets for the meal may be obtained at the Business Office.

Admission to all programs will be free. Seats will be reserved, however, on the main floor of the Assembly Hall on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Admission to reserved seats will be by ticket only. Tickets are free and may be secured from Professor John Umble at the College

For general information inquiry should be made of C. L. Graber. A committee on arrangements, consisting of C. L. Graber (chairman), John Umble, S. W. Witmer, Mrs. S. C. Yoder and Mrs. Glen Miller has been appointed to care for guests. Friends desiring lodging should communicate with the committee. Tickets for meals may be secured at the Business Office at 25 cents each.

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ALUMNI PERSONALS

'99—Frances Zook Oyer, wife of Daniel S. Oyer, of Ashley, Michigan, died on November 3, 1927. The funeral service was held November 6, 1927.

'00—S. F. Gingerich, professor of English at the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, gave a lecture to "Poets and Fiction writers" before the Authors' Association of Michigan, January 27, 1928. Dr. Gingerich is the author of three books, *Wordsworth, a Study in Memory and Mysticism; Wordsworth, Tennyson and Browning;* and *Studies in Romanticism.*

'00—A. J. Steiner, of North Lima, Ohio, preached the sermon at the morning service of the Christian Life Conference at Goshen College, Sunday, February 19, 1928.

'00—Horace Gingerich, oldest son of Professor Gingerich, and Mrs. S. F. Gingerich, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, died of typhoid fever during the latter part of October, 1927.

'01—C. Edward Bender, formerly instructor in the high school in Akron, Ohio, is superintendent of schools at Cadiz, Ohio.

'02—George J. Lapp, missionary at Dhamtari, C. P., India, was recently ordained bishop to serve in the Mennonite mission in India. The ordination service was conducted by P. A. Friesen, and C. D. Esch, '05.

'03—Mrs. William S. Gehman, of Rush Lake, Saskatchewan, called at the college one day during February, 1928.

'04—Eli J. Rutt is educational director of the Central Young Men's Christian Association, of Baltimore, Maryland.

'05—Clara Trautwein, a B. A. graduate of Indiana University, is teaching biology in the Goshen High School. Miss Trautwein also acts as supervising teacher for the Goshen College student teachers who do their supervised teaching in botany.

'05—Mary E. Yoder is librarian at Wooster University, Wooster, Ohio.

'05—C. D. Esch was on the "New Year's Honours List" of the British government in India. At that time was conferred on him the Kaiser-i-Hind silver medal, for distinguished service among the lepers of India.

'05—Paul E. Whitmer, '05, professor of Church History and Missions in Witmarsum Theological Seminary, Bluffton, Ohio, spent the summer of 1927 touring Egypt and Palestine. During the present school year Mr. Whitmer has given numerous lectures on various phases of life in Palestine.

'07—H. B. Reed is professor of education in the University of Pittsburg, at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. During 1927 Dr. Reed's new book on the *Psychology of the Elementary School Subjects* was published by Ginn and Company, of Boston, Massachusetts. An extended review of this book, by F. C. Landsittel, of Ohio State University, is found in the January, 1928, issue of *Educational Administration and Supervision,* published in Baltimore.

'08—A. J. Regier, president of Freeman College, Freeman, South Dakota, until June, 1927, is head of the department of education in Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

'08—H. G. Good, who received the Ph. D. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1915, is professor of the history of education in Ohio State University. Among Dr. Good's publications is a book entitled *Benjamin Rush and His Services to American Education.* Dr. Good's address is 342 Twentieth Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

'10—Miss Ida Ligo, formerly of Volant, Pennsylvania, has done extensive work in study and teaching since graduating from Goshen Academy. She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pennsylvania, and a Master of Arts degree from Columbia University. During the present school year Miss Ligo teaches in the high school in Pasadine, New Jersey, while she continues her research in English at Columbia University.

'15—A. E. Kreider, B. A. '15, is professor of New Testament, and registrar of Witmarsum Theological Seminary, Bluffton, Ohio.

'10—Arthur L. Gilliom, attorney general of the state of Indiana, was a candidate for U. S. senator on the Republican ticket.

'11—J. R. Rupp, B. A. '11, and later a graduate of Rush Medical School of Chicago, is superintendent of the East Side Sanitarium, 3840 West Fort St., Detroit, Michigan. Dr. Rupp and his family are living at 234 East Philadelphia Avenue, Detroit.

'12—Charles E. Reed received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas, in the spring of 1927. Mr. Reed is now pastor of a circuit of Methodist churches near Jamestown, Kansas.

'13—Walter E Yoder, of Metamora, Illinois, gave three lectures on topics related to hymns and tunes, in connection with congregational singing, during the special Ministers' Week at Goshen College, February 14-16, 1928.

'13—Silas Hertzler, B. A. '13, a Sterling Scholar at Yale University during 1925-1926, received the Ph. D. degree from Yale in June, 1927. His research was done in the field of secondary education. Dr. Hertzler is now head of the department of education at Goshen.

'14—W. B. Weaver, B. A. '14, pastor of the Mennonite church at North Danvers, Illinois, is at the same time carrying numerous other responsibilities. Regularly he is the editor of *The Christian Evangel,* a monthly religious journal, published at Bloomington, Illinois, as the official organ of the Central Conference of Mennonites. Also during 1927 Mr. Weaver published the *History of the Central Conference Mennonite Church,* the first draft of which was Mr. Weaver's M. A. essay at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. Mr. Weaver was ordained as elder on September 11, 1927 by Rev. F. Troyer.

'15—Clemens Hallman died at Guernsey, Saskatchewan, August 23, 1927, of inflammatory rheumatism, leaving a wife and three children. At the time of his death he was district representative of the provincial department of agriculture.

'15—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slagel, B. A. '19, and B. A. '15, of Chicago, announce the birth of Donald Arthur, on Thursday, January 12, 1928. Mr. Slagel is in the service of Donnelly and Son, Printers, of Chicago.

'15—Samuel P. Unzicker, B. A. '15, continues his work as principal of the Roosevelt Junior High School in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. Since graduating from Goshen, Mr. Unzicker has done graduate work in the University of Wisconsin, from which institution he received the M. A. degree in 1924. Mr. Unzicker has an article in the January, 1928, issue of *The School Review,* entitled, "The Junior High School and the Mentally Handicapped Adolescent".

'15—Martha Martin, B. A. '15, last year instructor in English in the public schools of Mishawaka, Indiana, sailed for Europe during the summer of 1927, where she has spent the year in travel and in study.

'16—Solomon E. Yoder, B. A. '16, was married on September 24, 1927, to Miss Helen M. Bechtel, of Philadelphia. Dr. and Mrs. Yoder are at home in Lancaster, Pa., where Dr. Yoder continues his practice as an osteopathic physician.

'16—Alice Treuschel, B. A. '16, is director of religious education in the elementary schools of Goshen, Indiana. This work in religious education is done during the regular school day, and in the school buildings, but is financed by the churches of the city.

'16—L. L. Miller, B. A. '16, formerly pastor of the Mennonite church near Wadsworth, Ohio, is living in Brewster, Maine, where he is pastor of one of the Congregational churches located there.

'17—O. B. Gerig, B. A. '17, formerly a graduate student in Harvard University, is field secretary of the New England Branch of the American Friends Service Commission, with hearquarters at 120 Boylston Street, Boston, Massachusetts. He has been a member of the Friends for several years.

'17—Ernest E. Miller, B. A. '17, with Mrs. Miller, B. A. '17, and family, missionaries located at Dhamtari, C. P., India, are in America on furlough. Mr. Miller has consented to speak at the Goshen College Alumni banquet on the evening of Tuesday June 5. Irene Lehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, also of Dhamtari, C. P., India, accompanied Millers from India to America. The group made the trip by way of Calcutta, Straits Settlements, China, Japan, Honolulu, and the Pacific.

'18—Raymond L. Hartzler, B. A. '18, recently resigned his pastorate at Topeka, Indiana, and moved to Carlock, Illinois, where he becomes pastor of the Mennonite congregation at that place.

'18—Mrs. Bernice Lehman Becknell, B. A. '18, is located in Calcutta, India. Her husband, H. E. Becknell, is one of the secretaries of the Young Men's Christian Association in Calcutta.

'18—Russell Lantz, for the past several years

director of music in the city schools of Ashland, Kansas, is instructor in Public School Music, in the Conservatory of Music of Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio.

'18—Vinora Weaver, B. A. '18, was married June 9, 1927, to Earl L. Salzman. Rev. and Mrs. Salzman are living near Topeka, Indiana, Mennonite churches. They are the parents of a daughter, born May 18, 1928.

'19—Mary Good, B. A. '19, left New York on the S. S. "City of Lahore", Saturday, October 22, 1927, bound for Dhamtari, C. P., India. At that time Miss Good returned to India after her first furlough. During a part of her stay in America Miss Good studied in the George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee.

'20—A. Ray Eschliman, B. A. '20, is instructor of history and education in Freeman Junior College, Freeman, South Dakota. Since graduating from Goshen College, Mr. Eschliman has done graduate work during several different summers at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, and at the University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota.

'20—Emma Brubaker, B. A. '20, lives in Berkeley, California, where she teaches mathematics and chemistry in the high school. She will receive the M. A. this year from the University of California.

'20—Harry F. Weber, B. A. '20, was granted the Ph. D. degree by the Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Connecticut, in the spring of 1926. His thesis was a dissertation on "The Mennonites of Illinois". Mr. Weber is teaching in Albright College, Myerstown, Pa., where he was recently elected head of the department of social sciences.

'21—Since graduating from Goshen, Miss Bertha Leaman, B. A. '21, has done graduate work at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, from which institution she received the M. A. degree, with major in history. For a series of years Miss Leaman has been an instructor in history in Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana. During the summer of 1927 Miss Leaman sailed for Europe, along with Miss Martha Martin. They are spending the year together in combined study-travel in England and in Europe.

'21—Daniel D. Hostetler, B. A. '21, since graduating from Goshen, has been a medical student in Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Hostetler reecived the M. D. degree from Western Reserve in 1926. His interneship is now completed, and Dr. and Mrs. Hostetler are settled in Sugar Creek, Ohio, where he is beginning his medical practice.

'21—J. Boyd Cressman, B. A. '21, received the M. A. degree in English from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, in the spring of 1926. During the present school year Mr. Cressman is a teaching fellow in English in the University of Pittsburg.

'22—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yoder, B. A. '22, of Smithville, Ohio, announce the birth of a son, John Howard, on December 29, 1927.

'22—Berdine Thornton, B. A. '22, for several years librarian of Goshen High School, was married at the First Evangelical church in Elkhart, Indiana, on December 27, 1927, to Jonathan Stutzman, of Middlebury, Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. Stutzman reside at 409 East Madison Street, Goshen.

'22—C. A. Fulmer, B. A. '22, is for the third successive year an instructor in American History in the Wilmington, Delaware, high school. Mr. Fulmer received the M. A. degree from the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., in 1926. His graduate work was done in American History. Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer have a son, Richard J., now about one year of age.

'23—S. Jay Hostetler, B. A. '23, was recently ordained to the ministry, to serve the Mennonite congregation near Cullom, Illinois. Mr. Hostetler also teaches in the Cullom High School. He has been appointed a missionary to India, to sail in the fall of 1928.

'23—Arthur Smith, '23, is principal of the high school in Eureka, Illinois.

'23—Dorsa Yoder, B. A. '23, of Shipshewana, Indiana, has been teaching sciences in Bunker Hill high school, for the past four years. He accepted a position in the junior high schools of Fort Wayne, Indiana, for the present school year, where he is teaching physiology.

'25—Esther Smucker, B. A. '25, is a medical student at the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia, Pa.

'26—Irvin Burkhart, B. A. '26, and Gladys Loucks, B. A. '25, were married in Scottdale, Pennsylvania, August 16, 1927. They are living in Louisville, Kentucky, where Mr. Burkhart is attending the Baptist Theological Seminary located there.

'27—Elizabeth Gish, B. A. '27, has returned to her work as an instructor in English at the Eastern Mennonite School, Harrisonburg, Virginia.

ter. However a considerable number of alumni wished to continue to support the endowment fund of the college and wished to do so as alumni. For this reason, after conference with the officials of the Alumni Association, the administration of the College, and the Board of Education created a fund to be called "Goshen College Alumni Endowment Fund", agreeing by official action to hold the endowment gifts by alumni in a special fund. The Alumni Association was granted the privilege of determining for what purpose within the College the annual interest was to be used. To the present time about $2,000 has been contributed to the fund by Alumni, either out of the old fund liquidation, or by current gifts. The interest of this fund has been devoted to the building up of the library by action of the Alumni Association.

This new Alumni Endowment Fund created as a trust fund by the Board of Education on behalf of the Alumni of Goshen College has been officially called "Founders' Fund" by the Alumni Association as described above, and it is the intent of the Association to raise this fund to $50,000 by securing gifts from Alumni and former students. It is clear, however, that the new fund is on a different basis than the old fund. In accord with the almost universal practice of colleges and universities in regard to Alumni Endowment funds, the funds are in the hands of the Board of Trustees for the College, to be held by them and invested and supervised by them. The Alumni Association has no possession of the Fund. It acts merely as a receiving and collecting agency, retaining, however, the right to direct the use of the interest. This last provision leaves the way open for the Alumni Association to assign its Fund to the endowment of a Department, a Chair, the library, laboratories, or any such purpose to which it may desire to assign it. Action in this directon wll doubtless be taken at some future meeting of the Association. Suggestions will be welcomed.

The Board of Directors are aware of the fact that there is at the present not entire unanimity of opinion among the Alumni of the College. They note with satisfaction, however, that as the years go by, and as the College continues to grow in student body, in educational and financial strength, and as it continues to loyally support the ideals and purpose for which it was founded, with loyalty to the best traditions and ideals of the school and of the Church, there is increasing and growing interest, loyalty, and support. They believe that by far the greater part of the Alumni will welcome the opportunity to express in a material way in the form of endowment gifts, what Goshen College has done for them in the past, and by their share in the Founders' Fund, to pay a worthy tribute of honor and esteem to the Founders and Builders of Goshen College in administration and faculty in years past, knowing that they thereby strengthen the College in its continued service to the group for whose sake it was founded, namely the young men and women of the Mennonite Church and all such others who desire to fellowship in the spirit and work of the College.

Surely out of the 600 and more alumni of Goshen College there should be a response equal to the giving of $15,000 in three years, and $50,000 in ten years, in these days when thorough, sound Christian Colleges with high ideals are rendering an invaluable service, among whom we count our own Alma Mater.

Further plans fo rthe Founders' Fund campaign will be announced later.

The Alumni will be interested in knowing that the last two graduating classes from the College have pledged on an average $100 each to be paid to the Founders' Fund in five years, a total of $2,725.

ALUMNI REUNION AND BANQUET, 1927

The 1927 Alumni Reunion, held Tuesday evening, June 14, was very successful. An unusually large attendance, 125, filled the College Dining Hall. Dr. W. B. Christophel, of the Class of 1902, served admirably as Toastmaster, and toasts were given by members of the classes which had graduated at intervals of five years. I. R. Detweiler toasted for 1902, C. B. Blosser for 1907, Alta Eby Erb for 1912, C. J. Gerber for 1917, and Glenn Kropf for 1922. The outstanding feature of the evening was the splendid address by Alvin J. Miller, of the Class of 1911, on "Seven Years with the Russian Bear". Mr. Miller had just returned after a long term of service as Director of the American Mennonite Relief in Soviet Russia. Thirty-five new members of the Class of 1927 were received, 25 A. B. graduates, and 10 Academy graduates. This is the second largest class of A. B. graduates ever received as members of the Alumni Association.

ALUMNI REUNION AND BANQUET, 1928

This year's reunion will be held on the evening of Tuesday, June 5, in the College Dining Hall. Attorney Jonathan S. Yoder, Class of 1905, will preside as Toastmaster. There will be toasts from the classes of 1903, 1908, 1913, 1918, 1923, and 1928. The special feature of this year's program will be the address by Ernest E. Miller, Class of 1917, who is just back from seven years service in India. He will speak on "Mother India", discussing modern movements in India and their relation to world affairs. A large attendance is expected again this year and Alumni are urged to reserve plates, which will sell for $1.00 each.

Chicago Alumni Meeting

The Chicago branch of the Goshen College Alumni Association held its annual banquet on the evening of March 10, at the Central Y. M. C. A. building in Chicago.

Mr. David Conrad, president of the Association, presided. Frances Ebersole Berkey acted as toastmistress. Toasts were given by Mrs. J. M. Kurtz and Rev. Amos Eash. John Thut and Samuel Burkhard furnished special music. Thirty persons were present.

A REVIEW OF THE YEAR 1927-1928 AT THE COLLEGE

Goshen's Growing Student Body

A most noteworthy feature of Goshen's progress during the past year has been the material increase in enrollment. The student body numbered 263. Of this number 178 were classified as College students. The remainder are Academy or Special students. The Senior class numbers 20 and the Freshman class 71. This enrollment represents an increase of almost fifty students over the enrollment for the year 1926-1927. Summer school is included in the above, although only 22 new students were enrolled.

Since the reopening of Goshen College in the fall of 1924 the College Department, especially, has shown a very steady growth. At the close of the first year 68 students had enrolled in this department. The following year there were 106. Last year closed with 132 in this department; this year had 178.

Faculty Changes

There were a number of changes in the Faculty which have meant considerable added strength. Silas Hertzler returned to head the Department of Education with a Ph. D. from Yale; Ira Franck, M. A., was added to the English Department, with all residence work completed for the Ph. D. at the University of Virginia; and Mrs. S. W. Witmer and Jonathan Yoder were added to the Academy staff. In addition, U. Grant Weaver, of Johnstown, Pa., was secured as Principal of the Academy. During this year the Academy has been greatly strengthened. It is now separately organized with its own staff of teachers, and with a session room and class rooms on the third floor of the main building. C. L. Graber resigned as Business Manager to direct the endowment campaign, and E. F. Martin of Elkhart was selected as his successor. Mr. Martin's father, J. O. Martin, was one of the charter trustees of the Elkhart Institute Association, and has always been a liberal supporter of the College.

Professor D. A. Lehman, who this year completes 20 years of active service to the College, was seriously ill for a time in Denver, so that he was unable to continue his work for the first semester. However, he recovered and is again in good health. He resumed his work for the second semester.

Professor Edward Yoder, Professor of Greek and Latin, will receive the degree of Ph. D. at the spring convocation of the University of Pennsylvania. During this past year there were two members of the faculty who had the Ph. D., and three who were condidates, having completed the residence requirements.

Additions in Equipment

Considerable sums were spent for laboratory equipment and library enlargement during the year, about $1,000 for each, in addition to student laboratory fees. A large new 80-foot stack was installed in connection with the new steam plant. A new steam palnt was installed in the gymnasium together with a shower and dressing room for the young women. This completes the extensive improvements on the gymnasium which now has steam heating, side bleacher seats, and two dressing rooms equipped with showers and steel lockers.

Activities

The lecture course during the year proved to be very successful. Outstanding on the course were the lectures by Lew Sarett, the poet, and B. F. Baumgardt, the scientist. Others were Edgar Raine, Frederick V. Fisher, and George Morse.

The college choruses have done splendid work

under the capable direction of Professor Hartzler. The Male Chorus appeared locally a number of times, and carried through an itinerary of over two weeks during the Easter period in which they visited about fifteen Mennonite congregations in Ohio and Illinois. The Ladies' Chorus and the A Capella Chorus also did good work. Numerous joint programs were given by the three choruses. Alumni will have opportunity to hear the choruses in two concerts during commencement week, Saturday evening, June 2, and Tuesday afternoon, June 5, immediately preceding the reunion.

The Mennonite Historical Society of the college will publish a series of "Studies in Anabaptist and Mennonite History". The Mennonite Historical Library fostered by the Society has grown largely during the year and will be housed during the coming year on the first floor of the main building, formerly room 14. Dr. Correll of the faculty gave two addresses on Economic and Social Aspects of Mennonite History in Chicago during the year, one to a Seminar at the University of Chicago, and one to the spring meeting of the American Society of Church History. Dr. Hertzler of the faculty contributed an extensive article on "Goshen College" to the current instalment of the "Mennonitisches Lexikon" which is published in Germany.

Student activities have been carried on in the usual active manner. A fine new annual, "The Maple Leaf of 1928", will soon be off the press, and can be bought at the usual price of $2.50. A new organization, the Science Club, has been formed. It has a membership of fifty and meets bi-weekly for scientific addresses. The Men's Dormitory Association has largely taken the place of the Student Council. The Audubon Society has been active in promoting "bird walks", and an "Economics Club" has been formed in the Academy in connection with one of the classes for current events study. The athletic organizations have been reorganized so that there are now two athletic associations, one for men, and one for women, while the tennis association has been absorbed in these. There are no fees for these associations; the expenses of athletics are met from the incidental fee charged all students. Alumni might be interested in knowing that due to the operation of this fee, students now receive the College Record, physical examination, athletic privileges, and lecture course without charge. Dr. S. T. Miller, and Dr. A. C. Yoder have continued to serve as examining physicians for the annual examinations required of all students.

The Home Economics Department has been making splendid progress under Miss Edith Witmer, M. A. The demand in this department has grown until the faculty has decided to give the Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics. This will also carry with it the special license in Indiana for Home Economics teachers. This year, one degree will be granted, but about ten upper class women are candidates for the degree.

While the Christian Life Conference was held for the first time last year, students and faculty of Goshen College already regard it as an annual event. This year's conference was held February 17 to 19, 1928.

A vesper service has been introduced in place of the Sunday evening service, once per month. Special speakers are invited to speak and special music is a feature. The service has met with wide approval.

Altogether there is reason for satisfaction in the record of the past year. The steady increase in student enrollment, the substantial strengthening in faculty, the invigorated student activities, the new endowment program for the college, all point to a bright future for old Alma Mater.

GOSHEN ALUMNI REUNION

Judging from the interest shown at the meeting of the Alumni and friends of Goshen College last August at the City Park of Goshen Indiana, the Committee appointed for that purpose is planning to have a similar meeting this year. The exact time and place is to be announced later and notices mailed to all those who registered at former meetings.

These informal reunions seem to meet with the approval of those present and the plan of having a picnic dinner with the afternoon to renew friendships and to mingle voluntarily without any set program has been entirely satisfactory. As time goes on a more definite aim may develop and this group of friends may want to make a contribution in a more constructive manner to the cause of education—the interest that brought us together.

The Committee who has charge this year consists of D. S. Gerig, Miss Anna Yoder, and Mrs. C. J. Gerber.

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ALUMNI PERSONALS

'00—We note with deepest regret the death f Martha Whitmer, wife of A. J. Steiner, and xtend the sympathy of the alumni circle to ie bereaved family.

'04—G. H. Rutt and his wife, Della Berkey utt, '05, have moved to 103 E. Pere Marquette St., Ludington, Michigan. Mr. Rutt is resident of the New Life Company, an enterrising concern making a specialty of automole and furniture polishes.

'05—Amanda Ebersole has a three-year conact as associate professor of Home Economics the University of Pennsylvania. Her adess is Warberton House, Twentieth and nsom Sts., Philadelphia, Penna.

'10—J. J. Smoker and family reside at 209 . Prospect St., Marquette, Michigan. He is structor in chemistry and physics in the pubc high school of that city and is also the highly ccessful director of the First M. E. choir. is wife was Mary Landis, of Goshen.

'12—Harry Ebersole, an ex-student, and his ife, Gladys Fletcher Ebersole, of Elkhart, side at 429 W. College Avenue, Marquette, ichigan. Mr. Ebersole continues, with mark- success, to fill his position as associate prossor of European History in Northern State eachers' College.

'12—Rev. C. L. Haney is pastor of the Wayne venue Evangelical church of Dayton, Ohio. nce graduating from the Goshen College cademy Mr. Haney has preached and worked s way through college and seminary. He ceived the B. A. degree from Northwestern llege in 1925, and the B. D. from the Evanlical Theological Seminary in 1926.

13—Dwight L. Miller, of Fentress, Virginia, led on February 23, 1929, on S. S. Patricia, bre Line, for a Mediterranean cruise. Folving the trip to the Near East, Mr. Miller ns to spend some months in Europe.

15—Martha Martin who spent last year in ris, is continuing her graduate work this ar at the University of Chicago.

15—Leo D. Hershberger is principal of the tle Wolf High School, Manawa, Wisconsin.

'16—Ezra Deter teaches in the Commercial department of the Englewood high school, Chicago. He is married and has one daughter, Virginia.

'16—Elmer E. Lehman is selling Real Estate for the Upper Arlington Co. of Columbus, Ohio. His address is 2001 Beverly Road.

'16—Charles Sunthimer, 1142 Spruce Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, is principal of Public School No. 20 in Indianapolis. The school has over 600 pupils in the first seven grades.

'16—Lloyd E. Blauch, Ph. D., was married on August 9, 1928, to Miss Mary Brannock. Dr. Blauch is Professor of Education in the North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro, North Carolina. At the present time he also is engaged in a survey of higher education in New Jersey.

'16—J. C. Meyer was a recent visitor at the College, where he gave a most interesting talk to the Mennonite Historical Society on Relief and Reconstruction Work in France ten years ago.

'17—E. E. Miller is attending the Biblical Seminary in New York City, and also doing work toward his M. A. degree in Religious Education at New York University.

'17—Albert F. Holdeman lives on a ranch at Del Rio, Texas.

'18—Mr. and Mrs. Orie Leichty live in Louisville, Ky., at 1946 Deerwood St. Both are teaching. Mrs. Leichty writes in the '21 class letter that she teaches Art in the Strochee School. The work is heavy, but very interesting. Last Christmas, she says, they had the pleasure of entertaining Professor A. S. Ebersole, when his Heidelberg College Glee Club sang in Louisville.

'18—Russell Lantz, now director of music at Bluffton College, led the Bluffton Glee Club in a fine program of music at the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, Goshen, on January 5. He has a well-trained, balanced organization.

'18—Maude Byler teaches in the elementary schools of Los Angeles, California.

'20—Emma Brubaker teaches general science in one of the high schools of Berkeley, California, and she hopes to receive the M. A. degree in May, 1929.

'20—A. R. Eschliman, instructor of Education and History in Freeman Junior College, Freeman, South Dakota, was recently granted the M. A. degree by the University of South Dakota. Mr. Eschliman plans to do further work in Education at the University of Iowa.

'20—Noah Burkhard teaches science in the high school at Seward, Nebraska. Since graduating from Goshen, Mr. Burkhard has studied in the Teachers' College of Nebraska State University.

'21—Bertha Leaman returned early this fall from a year's stay in Paris, where she did special research work in French history. For the ensuing school year, she is an instructor in history at Monticello Girls' Seminary, Godfrey, Illinois.

'21—L. G. Hershberger is employed as Assistant Manager in the Stark Dry Goods Co. of Canton, Ohio. Mr. Hershberger lives at 917 Concord Ave., S. W.

'21—Ferne Umble has launched into a new venture. She has started the Umble School of Designing and Dressmaking. We wish her every success in this new undertaking. Her address is 8705 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

'21—A. Fay Grassmyer writes from Ocean View, Delaware, where he is teaching in the high school. The five years after graduation he taught at Wawaka, Indiana. Since then he has been at Ocean View. In addition he has "spent two summers in Penn State on the A. M. in Botany".

'21—Nora Lantz Bohn writes in part: "We are living in the little village of Tiskilwa, where Mr. Bohn has the pastorate of a church. Before we came here, we spent a year in the east at Princeton Seminary and in the following summer were on the Atlantic coast. Then he finished his B. D. at Garrett . . . We have two little girls, Esther Arlene and Helen Ruth."

'21—Walter E. Oswald teaches in one of the high schools of Youngstown, Ohio. He is especially interested in vocational guidance.

'21—J. Boyd Cressman, M. A., University of Michigan, and last year Instructor in English at the University of Pittsburg is this year assistant Professor of English in Goshen College.

'22—Dwight Lehman was married on October 28, 1929 to Miss Esther Ione Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Lehman are living at 626 South Six Street, Goshen, Indiana. Mr. Lehman is in charge of the office of the Willys-Knight garage.

'22—Alvin Yordy teaches high school at Formosa, Kansas.

'22—Arthur Diller was a recent visitor at the College. He is teaching history in Scott High School, Toledo. He tells us that Oscar Garber, a former student, is helping to draw up a charter for a city manager plan of government in Toledo, and that Thuriel Shenefiel, also a former student, teaches Political Science at the University of Toledo.

'23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Hostetler, a son, Richard Wade, on October 15, 192

'23—Gaius Baumgartner, bass soloist of the Dayton Westminster Choir, recently appeared with the choir in a concert at Elkhart. Alumni will be glad to know that "Bumzing" is making rapid strides in his profession. His wife, Ruth Allgyer, also sings in the Choir, which is to leave soon for a European concert tour.

'23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Long a daughter, Thelma Clarice, on Sept. 20, 192 Mr. Long is a member of the College senior class in Goshen College, and is to receive the B. A. degree in June, 1929.

'25—Mary M. Wenger, after several years of public school teaching experience is this year teaching English in the Eastern Mennonite School, Harrisonburg, Virginia.

'25—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sauder of New Holland, Pennsylvania, twin boys on April 7, 1929.

'25—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hostetler (Louella Eash) of 1712 Morton Ave., Elkhart, Indiana, a daughter, on April 7, 1929.

'25—Nathan E. Reiff was married on Sept. 2, 1928 to Freda Imhoff of Roanoke, Illinois. They are at home in Elkhart, Indiana, where Mr. Reiff is in charge of the insurance department of the First Old State Bank.

'26—John Kauffman, an ex-student, has completed his course for the degree of Doctor of Osteopathy and has recently opened an office on Main Street in Goshen.

'27—Elvin Snyder was married in June 1928 to Mary Fretz, a former student. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder are located in Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentine, where they are missionaries under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

'27—Maurice A. Yoder and Elizabeth Gish, oth of the class of 1927, were married in ugust, 1928. Mr. Yoder is one of the pastors f the Hesston Mennonite congregation and is aching in Hesston College and Bible School.

'28—Of the class of '28, the following are oing graduate work:

Ezra Camp is studying Mathematics in the raduate School of Harvard University. Mr. amp returns to Goshen College next year as art time instructor in the academy and assistnt in Mathematics in the College.

Edwin B. Herner is working in the field of istory and social science at the Iowa State niversity, Iowa City, Iowa.

Merrill Ivens is taking a course in journalm at the Iowa State University.

Willard Smith is doing his graduate work the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, ichigan. His work is in history. Mr. Smith so returns to Goshen College next year as instructor in history.

Samuel Yoder is attending Harvard Uniersity, Cambridge, Massachusetts, where he working in the field of English.

We are compelled, with deepest regrets, to nnounce to our alumni the sad news of the ath of Samuel Plank, for twenty years Supintendent of Grounds at the College, who ed during the Christmas season of a stroke apoplexy, and was buried December 29, 1928. e was a man whose unfailing kindliness of art and purpose made him literally the friend all who ever knew him. The older alumni, pecially, who knew him best, will always ld his memory in affectionate esteem. We urn his passing.

GOSHEN COLLEGE IN 1928-1929

The growth of the student body of Goshen llege, since September 1924, has been rapid leed. The following table, showing total endance, college students, and B. A. gradtes, illustrates graphically what has taken ace.

Year	Total Atnd.	College	B.A.
1924-25	148	80	9
1925-26	266	129	6
1926-27	218	122	23
1927-28	263	178	21
1928-29	292	211	26

Fluctuations have been rather marked in e or two cases, but the constant trend has en decidedly forward. In these five years it will be seen that total attendance has grown from 148 to 292; college enrollment has increased from 80 to 211; the number of B. A. graduates from 9 to 26.

The large enrollment in 1925-26 includes 53 who attended the Special Bible Term that year. The Bible Term attendance for the following year was much smaller, hence the loss in full time students is less than would seem to be the case. What loss there was, was due to the fact that teacher training work, for elementary teachers was dropped during 1926-27.

Faculty Changes

There are several new members of our faculty this year. J. Boyd Cressman, M. A. (University of Michigan), came to us as Assistant Professor of English. Last year Mr. Cressman was instructor in English at the University of Pittsburg. Gustav H. Enss, Th. M. (Southern Baptist Theological Seminary), is Professor of German and Philosophy. Professor Enss is a man of wide training and experience. He has studied in Russia, and in Germany, as well as in America. His teaching experience in America includes work at Hesston College and at Bethel College.

During the present school year Professor Glen Miller, M. S. (University of Iowa), is on leave of absence for further graduate study. He is studying in Iowa City, Iowa, where he has a graduate assistantship in the University of Iowa. His work is being done in Chemistry. Mr. D. V. Tieszen, B. A. (Yankton College), is in charge of the Physical Science department. Mr. Tieszen has had a year of Medical training, as well as more than a year of graduate work in Chemistry at the University of Colorado, and is to receive the M. A. degree there this coming summer.

The administrative force of the college has been somewhat modified during the present school year. Due to the resignation during the summer of 1928 of S. W. Witmer as registrar, Professor G. F. Hershberger, secretary of the college, was acting-registrar during the summer months. Last September, at the time of the opening of the college for the first semester, Professor Silas Hertzler was officially appointed as registrar of the institution.

JOHN S. COFFMAN HALL, A NEW RESIDENCE HALL FOR MEN

The need of a new residence hall for the men of Goshen College has been felt for a long

time. On March 9, 1929, the Mennonite Board of Education met and authorized the erection of this new dormitory, to cost approximately $50,000.00. Construction was begun on March 21st. It is hoped that the building may be ready for use when school opens on September 11, 1929.

The new building will be located on the east side of the campus facing Kulp Hall. It will be 86 feet long and 58 feet wide, with a recessed open court of 28 feet by 30 feet on the front. It is being constructed of brick and tile, three stories above the basement, with rooming capacity for 104 men. On the first floor will also be located a matron's room and a Y. M. C. A. office.

This building will fill a long felt need on the campus of the college and marks a decided step forward in the progress of the institution. The college is to be congratulated upon its ability to add this fine structure to its group of serviceable buildings.

The new dormitory has been named "John S. Coffman Hall", in commemoration of John S. Coffman, one of the pioneer evangelists of the church.

The following statement concerning plans for next year is taken from the Goshen College Bulletin for April 1929:

A New Department of Economics and Commerce

The growth of Goshen College does not consist merely of additional buildings and physical equipment. It is the policy of the administration to increase the efficiency of the faculty and curriculum as rapidly as possible. Next year a new department of economics and commerce will be added to meet the demand of an increasingly large number of young people who desire training of a high grade looking forward to a business career.

The new department will be in charge of Roland Yoder, a native of Bremen, Indiana, and a former Goshen student. Mr. Yoder's first three years of college training were received at Goshen College during the years 1919 to 1922, where his interests centered upon economics, commerce, and finance. He left Goshen in 1922 and entered the services of the Continental and Commercial National Bank in Chicago and later transferred to the Utility Securities Company, being connected first with the Chicago office and later with the office of an affiliated company in South Bend, Indiana. I the meantime Mr. Yoder devoted much tim to independent investigation of finance and in vestment problems, and then in 1925 entere the University of Chicago for further specia ized training. Here he received the Ph. I degree with special honors in Economics i 1926 and was awarded a Research Assistan ship. Since that time he has completed almo three full years of work as a graduate studer and research assistant in the school of Com merce and Administration at the University c Chicago.

Mr. Yoder has also been active in inves ment counselling. He is acting as econom and investment consultant to the Source R search Council of Chicago, and provides th investment section of their monthly *Busines and Investment Forecast.* Prospective studen who desire commercial training of a hig grade are invited to enroll in the economics an commerce department of Goshen College. M Yoder comes to us with splendid recommenda tions.

THE ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN

$100,000 in Hand by June 1, 1929

The Alumni are deeply intesested in the pro gress of the Endowment Campaign since promises so much for the future of Goshe College. As will be remembered from la year's *News-Letter,* the campaign was officia ly initiated in June, 1927, although the organ ization and preliminary work was not com plete until the fall of that year. C. L. Grabe Business Manager of the College, relinquishe his position to become full-time director c this campaign in September, 1927. Orie C Miller, '15, has been Chairman of the Execu tive Committee in charge of the campaig Several other alumni and former students ar on various committees.

The entire program has been put on by th Board of Education for the College and is no costing the College administration a cent. A soon as the campaign is complete the fun raised will be available for the direct endow ment of Goshen College, the funds being hel in trust by the Board of Education. The cam paign has been a joint campaign for $210,00 for Goshen College and Hesston College (Go shen $150,000 and Hesston $60,000), althoug those who give are permitted to specify th school to which they wish their gifts to g

The dividing line between the territory of the two schools has been made the Mississippi River.

At the present time the total gifts are approaching the $100,000 mark. No large gifts have been received, and there has been no intensive drive. The entire work has proceeded quietly and unostentatiously in accord with Mennonite spirit and traditions, but it has proceeded steadily. By the time of Commencement the total program should have exceeded $100,000. At present it approximates $90,000. The campaign is to continue another year. Of the amount in hand by June, approximately three-fourths or $75,000 is for Goshen College. The previous Endowment Fund of the College amounted to about $20,000 invested. To this should be added the capital value of the oil and income, an amount of about $30,000. This will give Goshen College an Endowment of approximately $125,000 by the end of this school year, all of which should be producing in full by the end of the school year 1930. In addition there should be a further $75,000 increase as the result of the coming year's Endowment Campaign which is still in process, so that shortly thereafter there should be a $200,000 invested Endowment fund.

It should also be remembered by the Alumni that Goshen College has no great debt to nullify this Endowment. An Endowment with a debt of equal size amounts to zero, both in actual income-producing value and in credit with standardizing agencies. According to the last annual report the total accumulated deficit and debt of Goshen College amounts to $10,335.

THE ALUMNI ENDOWMENT PROGRAM

As announced in earlier issues of the *Newsletter,* the Alumni Association is participating in this Endowment Campaign. However, it has been felt desirable to postpone active participation until the campaign was well under way so that the Alumni might see that Goshen College is making substantial progress and that the immediate Church Constituency of the College is loyally backing the school. However, the time has now come to initiate active work. According to the action of the 1927 Annual Alumni Meeting the Association purposes to raise a fund of $50,000 in ten years to be known as the *Founders' Fund* in memory of S. Coffman, J. S. Hartzler and others. Of this amount $15,000 was to be raised by 1930. A Committee of ten was appointed to have active charge of this campaign, namely: Dr. S. T. Miller, Chairman; H. S. Bender, Executive Secretary; F. S. Ebersole, John Umble, C. W. Witmer, O. O. Miller, Howard Yoder, S. J. Hostetler, C. J. Gerber, C. P. Martin. It is the plan of the Committee to reach every Alumnus with the campaign appeal, and it is their hope that some gift, however small, may be received from each one, and that some very substantial donations may be forth coming. Alumni may expect to receive first announcements very soon.

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REUNION

June 5, 1928

On the evening of Tuesday, June 5, 1928, a large company of Alumni gathered at the Banquet Room in the Kulp Hall Dining Hall for the 28th Annual Reunion. Approximately 125 were present. A splendid three-course dinner was served with Florence Bender, '22, in charge. After the usual business session in charge of the President, Dr. S. T. Miller, '03, 35 new members of the College and Academy graduating classes were received. Merrill Ivens, '28, responded for the new members.

The two main features of the evening were the Toastmaster and Rev. E. E. Miller's address on "Mother India". The Toastmaster, Attorney Jonathan S. Yoder, '05, presided in his usual hearty fashion. Toasts to the classes of 1903, 1908, 1918 and 1923 followed in order by Dr. S. T. Miller, Dr. H. B. Weiler, H. S. Bender and Mervin Hostetler respectively. Splendid selections of music were furnished by the College Men's Chorus. The main address of the evening was that mentioned above by Ernest E. Miller, Class of 1917, on "Mother India". Rev. Miller had just returned from his first term of service in India and gave a splendid address on present conditions in India with especial reference to Ghandi and the Nationalist Movement. The evening closed with the spirited singing of the College Song.

ANNUAL BANQUET AND BUSINESS MEETING OF THE CHICAGO BRANCH OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

STEVENS HOTEL, CHICAGO, FEBRUARY 22, 1929

The Chicago Branch of the Alumni Association had one of the best banquets in its history on the evening of Friday, February 22,

at the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, when about 40 Alumni and friends in Chicago gathered for this annual affair. John Thut, the retiring President, presided, with Agnes Anderson as Secretary. The following program was rendered: "History of the Chicago Branch", by Mrs. J. M. Kurtz; "Reminiscences of College Days", from back numbers of the *Maple Leaf;* Conversational Duet, by Mrs. F. D. King and Margaret Anderson; "Now and Then", by Professor John Umble of Goshen College.

The meeting was greatly enjoyed by all present and a warm interest expressed in the future of Goshen College.

ANNUAL PICNIC OF ALUMNI AND FRIENDS IN THE GOSHEN DISTRICT

August 26, 1928

About 100 Alumni and Friends gathered for an enjoyable afternoon of good fellowship on the banks of the Elkhart River Dam near Goshen, Indiana, on the last Sunday in August, 1928. This annual get-together of Alumni and Friends living in the vicinity of Goshen has become a regular affair since it was first inaugurated as an experiment three years ago. The meeting this year was entirely informal as has been the case in previous years, since no program or speeches were arranged for. A basket dinner was served and the afternoon was spent in friendly visiting and exchange of reminiscences. Among those attending from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rutt of Lyman, Mississippi, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Byers of Bluffton, Ohio, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel of Mishawaka, and Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller of Elkhart. The committee in charge was D. S. Gerig, Anna Yoder, and Mrs. C. J. Gerber. The following committee was chosen for 1929: J. M. Kurtz, Mrs. C. J. Gerber, Mrs. Shetler. The meeting will be held at the same place again on the last Sunday in August, 1929. The group will assemble for a pot-luck dinner at noon.

TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL REUNION AND BANQUET

June 4, 1929

The Twenty-Ninth Annual Reunion and Banquet of the Alumni Association will be held at 6:00 P. M. on the evening of Tuesday, June 4, 1929. The banquet will be served in the College Dining Hall in Kulp Hall at $1.00 per plate. Announcements and blanks for reservations will be sent out soon by the Secretary. Those who expect to be present should promptly send in their reservations.

An attractive program has been prepared. Bishop George J. Lapp, Class of 1913, just returned from India, will be the leading speaker. In addition A. J. Miller, 1912, will speak on the present situation in Russia in the light of his experience there. There will be the usual toasts. As a special feature, it is hoped that the Rambler Quartet can be secured to sing. Definite announcement will be made soon.

With the progress on the Endowment Campaign, as well as the building of the new Men's Dormitory, John S. Coffman Hall, a large attendance at the reunion may be confidently expected.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK, 1929

Friday, May 31—The Academy Senior class program.

Saturday, June 1.—Music Program by the College Choruses.

Sunday, June 2.—Missionary Day. The principal speakers will be C. D. Esch and Geo. J. Lapp. Baccalaureate service, 8:00 P. M. Sermon by Dean Noah Oyer.

Monday, June 3.—Senior Class Exercises. Campus Program at 7:00 P. M. Program in the College Assembly Hall at 8:00 P. M.

Tuesday, June 4.—The forenoon is reserved for class reunions and for literary society reunions. Musical Program by the Men's and Ladies' Choruses at 2:00 P. M. Alumni Banquet at the College Dining Hall at 6:00 P. M.

Wednesday, June 5.—Final Chapel Service and Devotional Meeting at 10:00 A. M. College Luncheon at 1:00 P. M. Commencement Address by Rev. Clarence E. McCartney, D. D., of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

The College Luncheon on Wednesday at 1:00 P. M. is open to all alumni, former students, present students, and friends of the College who may wish to attend. Tickets may be secured from E. F. Martin, business manager of the College.

All the programs of Commencement Week are open to the public. However, admission to the main auditorium on Monday evening and Wednesday evening will be by ticket only. Tickets may be secured from Professor J. B. Cressman. They are free. No tickets required

for admission to the gallery and to the side rooms.

A committee has been appointed to care for guests. The members of this committee are E. F. Martin, S. W. Witmer, John Umble, Mrs. S. C. Yoder, and Miss Edith M. Witmer. Guests desiring lodging should address some member of the committee. Tickets for meals may be secured from E. F. Martin, the business manager, for 25 cents each.

Announcements

Monday, June 10, 1929—Summer Session begins. There will be a six-week session, and a nine-week session.

Saturday, August 10, 1929—Summer Session ends.

Wednesday, September 11, 1929—Thirty-fourth annual session of Goshen College begins.

The editor wishes to recognize the substantial aid of others in the preparation of material for this issue of the *News Letter*. Prof. . B. Cressman, '21, in large part prepared the lumni personals. Professor H. S. Bender, '18, ontributed the endowment news, and the anouncements concerning the Alumni Banquet. President Sanford C. Yoder contributed the nformation on the new dormitory for men.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, APRIL 29, 1929

The regular annual meeting of the Board f Directors of the Alumni Assocaition was eld at the college on the evening of April 9, 1929. So that all alumni may be able arefully to consider the recommendations of he Directors the following exercepts from the inutes of the meeting are given here:

It was moved and seconded that the Board f Directors propose to the Association the llowing amendment to the constitution:

That any person who has been regularly enolled as a student in the Elkhart Institute, or oshen College, may become a member of the oshen College Alumni Association by election at any regular meeting. Carried.

It is proposed that this amendment replace rticle II, Section 1 of the Constitution of the lumni Association, which reads as follows: The membership of this association shall be mited to persons who have received diplomas om this Institution for at least two years ork."

It was moved and seconded that the Board of Directors recommend that Article V of the By-Laws of the Constitution of the Alumni Association, which reads: "This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular business meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present, said amendment having been presented in writing duly signed by five members of the association at the previous annual business meeting", be suspended, and that the proposed amendment be presented for adoption at the business meeting of the association on June 4, 1929. Carried.

It was moved and seconded that the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association recommend to the association that the Board should be made to include 18 directors, six to be elected each year, each for a three year period, instead of 12 directors, as at present. Of this number 5 to be nominated annually by the Board and one to be nominated annually for a three year period by the College Senior class. Carried.

Moved and seconded that the Board of Directors recommend that the constitution be suspended so that the change in the Board of Directors may be accomplished at the 1929 meeting of the association, if desired. Carried.

Moved and seconded that the annual dues be increased from ($.50) fifty cents to $1.00 per member, this fee to include ($.25) twenty five cents as the annual subscription price for the *News Letter*.

Moved and seconded that the secretary of the alumni association be instructed to publish the alumni register at the earliest possible date. Carried.

The following officers of the association are nominated by the Board of Directors for the coming year:

President, Dr. S. T. Miller
First Vice Pres., H. S. Bender
Second Vice Pres., George J. Lapp
Secretary, Silas Hertzler
Treasurer, C. P. Martin.

As a member of the Mennonite Board of Education for the next two years, I. W. Royer, '00, was nominated.

In addition to the matters presented above, F. S. Ebersole, '04, and H. S. Bender, '18, were elected as a committee to arrange for the program at the alumni banquet. It was recommended to this committee that the Rambler quartette be secured to sing if at all possible. F. S. Ebersole, '04, is to be the toastmaster of the evening.

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29th Annual Reunion and Banquet

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ALUMNI PERSONALS

'10—Ernest R. Showalter, one of the teachers n the New Paris, Indiana, schools, is this sum- ner taking Manual Arts work in Ball Teach- rs College, Muncie, Indiana.

'11—Saumel Burkhard, M. A., Columbia niversity; professor of Education at the State ormal School, Tempe, Arizona, is spending e summer in further graduate work at New ork University. Mr. Burkhard will stay there l of next year, and will teach several courses Educational Sociology, in addition to con- nuing his graduate study.

'14—Winnie Kline, Millersburg, Indiana, has ught the Honeyville school, LaGrange coun- , Indiana, for the past eleven years. She s 54 pupils.

'22—Alvin R. Yordy, B. A., Bethany Col- ge (Kansas), who taught last year at For- osa, Kansas, will be superintendent of schools, 29-1930, at Lehigh, Kansas. On May , 1929, Mr. Yordy was married to Miss Leah rb, of Hesston, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Yordy ent the commencement season in Goshen, and en continued their automobile tour of more the states eastward.

'23—Ernest Bohn, B. A., pastor of the Gen- al Conference Mennonite Church, Tiskilwa, linois, has done graduate work in Princeton eological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey; d at Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, linois. Mr. Bohn holds the B. D. degree from arrett Biblical Institute. On July 25th, Mr. hn spoke to the summer students at their votional meeting.

'23—Dorsa Yoder, B. A., instructor in sci- es in one of the Fort Wayne, Indiana, nior high schools, was married on June 16th, Hermione Brunk, of Goshen. Mrs. Yoder, former student at the college, a daughter of late Professor and Mrs. J. D. Brunk, ght last year at the North Fifth Street ele- ntary school in Goshen. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder are at home in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

'23—For the next school year Mervin Hos- tetler, B. A., will be located at Huntertown, Indiana, where he will be principal of a com- bined high school and grade school of 500 pupils.

'25—Florence A Cripe, during the regular school year, instructor of Mathematics in the James Whitcomb Riley Junior High School of South Bend, Indiana, is completing the work for her M. A. degree at the University of Wisconsin.

'26—Melvin Gingerich, B. A., who just fin- ished the third succesive year of teaching in the high school, Washington, Iowa, is spending the summer in graduate study at the Iowa State University.

'26—Edwin Weaver, B. A., Wakarusa, In- diana, spent the last year in graduate study in English, at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. He will receive the M. A. degree from that institution at the end of the sum- mer session, 1929.

'27—W. T. Stalter, B. A., and Florence Hawks, B. A., '28, were married on June 2, Mr and Mrs. Stalter are at home with Mrs. Stalter's mother, Mrs. Harvey A. Hawks, cor- ner Third and Pike Sts., Goshen. During the past school year Mrs. Stalter taught English and history in the Goshen Junior High School. Mr. Stalter is employed by the Western Rub- ber Company.

'27—Tillman H. Erb, B. A., is this summer a graduate student in the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.

'27—Wallace Miller, M. A., 1928, Iowa State University, Iowa City, Iowa, was married on June 8, 1929, to Ada Smith of Eureka, Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are in Boulder, Colorado, this summer, where Mr. Miller is studying in the University of Colorado. For next year Mr. Miller is to be instructor in Botany and Geog- raphy in the University of Arkansas, Clarks- ville, Arkansas.

'28—Tilman Smith, B. A., '28, is traveling in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan this summer, in the interests of the college. His work is chiefly student solicitation.

'28—Eliza Brenneman, Kalona, Iowa, was married on June 23, 1929, to Mark Ross. They are at home near Elida, Ohio.

'28—Theldon Lamb, B. S., B. A., has completed one year of a three-year contract, as superintendent of schools at Britton, Michigan. During the present summer Mr. Lamb is a graduate student in Educational Administration at the University of Michigan, and is working toward his M. A. degree there.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE

The Young People's Institute, formerly sponsored by the college, is this year held under the auspices of the young people's problems committee of the Mennonite General Conference. The Institute will be held on the campus of the college August 22 to 26, just preceding the General Conference. The courses featured are Bible Study, Religious Education, Missions, Young People's Activities, and Faith, Principles and Ideals of the Church. Ernest E. Miller, missionary on furlough from India, is the director of the Institute.

THE 1929 SUMMER SESSION

The summer session of Goshen College began June 10, 1929 and will continue till August 10. Of the regular teachers for the school year, four are active this summer. These are Professors Silas Hertzler, J. S. Umble, G. F. Hershberger, and Mrs. H. S. Bender.

In addition two well qualified and efficient full time instructors were brought in from other institutions. Mr. O. L. Walter, the worthy principal of the Goshen High School, is teaching large classes in Education. Mr. Walter holds his first degree from Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Indiana, and was recently honored by the University of Chicago with the M. A. degree. Mr. Arthur L. Smith, one of our own alumni, with considerable advanced training in the Biological Sciences from the University of Chicago, is in charge of the work given in the Biological Sciences. As additional evidence of the efficiency of his work Mr. Smith has just had the opportunity to accept a call as instructor in science in the South Bend, Indiana, high schools.

Miss Dula Roth and Miss Mary E. Martin, both graduates of Goshen in June, 1929, are teaching academy classes. Miss Roth teaches English and Miss Martin teaches United States History and Economics.

The attendance is the largest in recent years. The total to date is 61. This is an increase of almost fifty per cent over the attendance last summer. While this still is not large, it does indicate a healthy growth.

FACULTY NOTES

President S. C. Yoder has spent most of the early part of the summer in Goshen supervising the building work going on at the college. He also has been attending conferences and preaching. After the general conference in August President Yoder contemplates a trip to the western coast in the interest of the college.

Dean Noah Oyer is traveling much of the summer through Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania, soliciting students, attending conferences, and preaching.

C. L. Graber, our efficient endowment director, is rounding up the final details concerning the $150,000.00 endowment fund for Goshen College. Solicitation is to be completed by October 1. Mr. Graber reports over $110,000.00 pledged August 1, with the amount steadily going forward.

Professor D. A. Lehman spent the early part of the summer in Goshen. About the middle of July he left for Denver, Colorado, where he plans to spend the remainder of the summer.

Professor S. W. Witmer is doing graduate work in Biological Sciences in the University of Wisconsin. Mrs. Witmer is spending the summer in Goshen with their daughter Mildred. Mrs. Witmer will teach the Biological Sciences offered in the Academy again next year.

Professor J. S. Umble is busy directing the work of the college farm, and at the same time is teaching English in our summer school. He reports that he has the largest class in American Literature that he has taught since he is teaching in Goshen.

Professor H. S. Bender is conducting a party of thirteen on a tour through central Europe. Following this Mr. Bender is accompanying Dr. S. T. Miller, '05, on a further trip through Scandinavia and on to Russia. Professor Bender has also made final plans to spend the second semester, 1929-30, in Heidelberg Uni-

ersity, Germany, completing the academic re-uirements for his Th. D. degree in Church istory. The work is to be done under Dr. Valter Koehler who has just gone to Heidel-erg from Switzerland.

Professor and Mrs. G. F. Hershberger are e proud parents of a son, John Phi.ip, born ne 17, 1929. Professor Hershberger, who is aching history in our summer school, also su-ervises student solicitation for next year.

Professor B. Frank Hartzler is studying music Columbia University in New York City.

Miss Edith M. Witmer is at home with her ther at Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania.

Professor Gustav H. Enss spent part of the mmer in graduate work at the Southwestern aptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, exas. Professor Enss received the Th. M. gree there this summer. Mrs. Enss will ach the courses offered in French at the col-ge next year.

Professor J. B. Cressman spent the early rt of the summer at his home in Kitchener, ntario, recovering from the effects of an oper-ion for appendicitis. Mr. Cressman is now ing further work in public speaking at the niversity of Chicago.

Professor D. V. Tieszen was married on June 1929, to Miss Merle Wilson, of Lincoln, Ne-aska. Mr. and Mrs. Tieszen are in Boulder, olorado, where Mr. Tieszen is attending the niversity of Colorado.

Professor Roland Yoder, who will head our w department of Economics and Commerce, this summer attending the University of icago. He is continuing his graduate work that institution.

Willard H. Smith received the M. A. degree m the University of Michigan at their June vocation. He comes to Goshen for the first e this year, as instructor in History and itical Science.

Mrs. H. S. Bender is this summer teaching ond year German to a group of college stu-nts. At the same time she has an evening rse in third year English in the academy, h a group of Goshen nurses.

Miss Bertha Burkholder, dean of women and ructor in French, is spending the summer h her parents in Harrisonburg, Virginia. ss Burkholder will not return to Goshen t year.

Miss Olive Wyse is spending the summer at home in Wayland, Iowa, recuperating from emergency operation for appendicitis.

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ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, 5:15 P. M., June 4, 1929

Instead of the recommendation proposed at the meeting of April 29, 1929, when it was suggested that we allow any student of Goshen College to become a member of the alumni association the following was the recommendation finally decided upon:

That the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association recommend the serious consideration of the enlargement of the membership of the Alumni Association, to include those students who have attended The Elkhart Institute, or Goshen College, one year or more; the chairman of the Board of Directors to appoint a committee of three to investigate the procedure in representative alumni associations, and publish the report in the *Alumni News Letter* at the earliest possible moment.

The committee appointed was J. S. Umble, '05, F. S. Ebersole, '04, and Silas Hertzler, '13.

TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL REUNION AND BANQUET 6 o'clock P. M., June 4, 1929.

Business Meeting

The recommendation reported in the May 1, 1929, *News Letter* concerning changing the number of Directors from 12 to 18 was adopted. The following are the Directors as they now stand, after the election at this meeting.

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JOHN S. COFFMAN HALL

UNDOUBTEDLY the major improvement on our campus this year has been the construction and completion of John S. Coffman Hall, the new residence for men. Built of red, rugged brick four stories high, including a ground-floor basement, the structure harmonizes well with the other buildings on the campus. This new edifice is located immediately north of the gymnasium; it fronts west, facing Kulp Hall. Thus it completes a quartette of permanent buildings. A total of fifty two bedrooms provides accomodation for one hundred and four men. Since no more than seventy men are at present in the hall our future needs have been amply anticipated for a few years to come. But it is not the construction of a building, important as it is, which is most significant. Rather is it the contribution which it makes to our life in the institution that is noteworthy. For the first time in two decades of Goshen College history all resident men are housed under one roof. This is a vital factor in building up our esprit de corps on the campus. Naturally, it is not merely the centralized housing but the facilities which the building affords that aid most in maintaining this spirit. Chief of these is the social room, a homelike cheerful room in the north wing of the main floor. The furniture of this room—upholstered wicker davenports, rockers, armchairs, a round table and a writing desk—is the much appreciated and generous gift of Barbara Coffman Bontrager of Elkhart. In the south-east corner stands a fine Healy Cabinet piano the splendid gift of James Posar of Chicago. In the north-west corner is an always popular radio, bought by the men of the hall. Midway along the north wall is a brick fireplace with a gas heater. Placed suitably here and there about the room are floor lamps. Both fireplace and lamps are the gifts of the Y. M. C. A. It is this room which is the center of the men's recreational life. Picture it on a cold winter's evening during our January sub-zero wave. Outside, the west wind blusters and storms; inside, the fireplace glows cheerfully. A number of men are seated here and there about the room. Over there a figure at the writing-table writing an English theme or a letter to Mary (who knows?); beside a reading lamp, another one bent over, "All Quiet on the Western Front" or J. B. Priestley's "The Good Companions" (or stay, was it the Constitutional History of the United States?); others here and there intent on the new Forum or Scribner's or Harper's or possibly The American (what queer assignments some of these instructors do give); from the radio the stirring tones of the Marche Militaire or the liquid melodies of the Beautiful Blue Danube. Shades of East Hall! No, indeed, nothing else has helped quite so much to humanize life in this dormitory. Since no games are played in this room the "Y" has fitted up a room in the south wing of the basement for suitable indoor games. Chief of these is indoor tennis for which Mr. Edward Roupp has generously donated the table. The game is proving very popular. When all these matters are remembered it is not too much to say that the men of Goshen College are better provided wth social, recreational facilities of a wholesome nature than ever before in the school's history. The new Coffman Hall is indeed a valuable addition to our equipment.

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EBERSOLE NAMED TO HARVARD POST

Treasury Financial Research Chief to Be Professor at Graduate School of Business

J. F. Ebersole, economic adviser, and chief of the financial and economic research section of the Treasury Department, has been appointed professor of finance at the Graduate School f Business Administration of Harvard University, according to an Associated Press dispatch yesterday from Cambridge, Mass.

The newly appointed Harvard professor has been with the Treasury since June, 1927, when he came to Washington from Minneapolis, where he was Federal reserve agent. At Harvard he assumes the important post of professor of finance in the school to which only college graduates are admitted.

Mr. Ebersole, who is of the class of '07, is well-known to the older alumni. We heartily congratulate him on his new appointment.

Announcement and Request

In the next issue of the News Letter, to be published late in March, we hope to print an up-to-date Alumni Directory. Dr. Hertzler, has been working to make this as accurate as possible. We shall be glad to have the alumni send in as complete information to him as possible.

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During the Christmas season the Adelphian fountain was dismantled and replaced temporarily by a Christmas tree whose bright, vari-colored lights added a touch of cheerfulness to the campus.

Our enrollment figures are worthy of note.

College Freshmen	88
College Sophomores	41
College Juniors	31
College Seniors	31
Specials	9
	200
Academy	32
Total	232

The previous high record for college studetns was 204 in 1921-22. Of course these were the figures at the end of the year. Since our college students now number 200 it is probable that this year will see the old record broken.

To serve the growing demand evening classes have been instituted this year. There are three of these as follows:

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Clifford G. Martin, treasurer, reported a balance of $42.78.

The function of the Alumni Association, and how best to accomplish that function was discussed by Orie O. Miller, Willard H. Smith and Dr. S. T. Miller. Out of their discussion came two fruitful ideas, one that there should be a means of cooperating with the Board of Education and second that there should be a way of reporting to the alumni association the state of affairs in the college. A resolution was passed calling for definite steps to be taken toward appointing such a liaison committee and another on College affairs.

Following these talks H. S. Bender reported on the progress of the Alumni Endowment Fund. Of the immediate goal of $15,000, $12,193 has been collected in cash and pledges. Report accepted.

The following resolutions were carried:

That the resignation of Silas Hertzler as editor of The News Letter be accepted and that J. B. Cressman be appointed as editor.

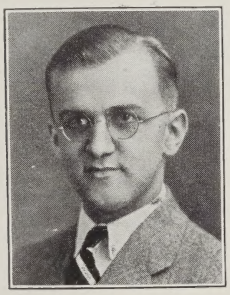
That $25.00 be appropriated as the maximum expenditure for each of the four issues per year, of the News Letter.

That H. S. Bender be secured to do the alumni solicitation work still to be done and complete it by the next annual meeting.

That the Alumni Association authorize that the interest from the endowment fund for the year 1929-30 be applied to the college library.

Professor Bender Goes to Europe

On Saturday, Jan. 25, a group of representative men chosen from all groups of Mennonites met in Chicago and organized a new relief commission. This committee will sponsor the emigration of Russian Mennonite refugees from Germany to Paraguay. A sum of $50,000 is to be raised immediately as a gift, not a loan. Being in need of a European agent to select 100 families to go immediately the committee chose Mr. Bender who sailed from New York on the Bremen on January 31. The work of superintending the emigration of these families will take probably six or eight weeks. Then Mr. Bender plans to go to Heidelberg University to complete his work for the Th. D. We expect him back on the faculty again in September. The alumni will join with us in wishing him the utmost success in these enterprises.



E. J. CAMP

Mr. E. J. Camp '28 has come to us this year as instructor in mathematics. After graduating from Goshen Mr. Camp spent the next year at Harvard doing graduate work in mathematics. During the illness of Professor Lehman Mr. Camp is now acting head of the department. Mr. Camp is from Roanoke, Illinois where his father is a prominent Mennonite layman and farmer. While in school Mr. Camp was a member of the Men's Chorus, of the Y. M. C. A. cabiet and editor of the Maple Leaf.

Campus Notes Continued

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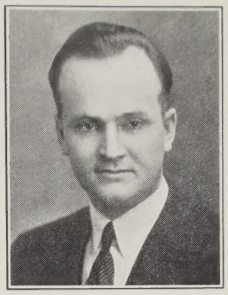

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Mr. W. H. Smith, also '28, is the new instructor in history. With his coming we now have two men in the history department. After graduating from Goshen Mr. Smith spent the following year at the University of Michigan where he was granted his M. A. in 1929. As a student Mr. Smith was prominent in campus activities; he was Y. M. C. A. president. At present Mr. Smith chiefly teaches American history. The older alumni will be interested in knowing that he is a nephew of C. Henry Smith, professor of history at Bluffton College.

A New Department of Economics and Commerce

The growth of Goshen College, does not consist merely of additional buildings and physical equipment. It is the policy of the administration to increase the efficiency of the faculty and curriculum as rapidly as possible. This year a new department of economics and commerce has been added to meet the demand of an increasingly large number of young people who desire training of a high grade looking forward to a business career.

The new department is in charge of Roland Yoder, a native of Bremen, Indiana, and a former Goshen student. Mr. Yoder's first three years of college training were received at Goshen College during the years 1919 to 1922, where his interests centered upon economics, commerce and finance. He left Goshen in 1922 and entered the services of the Continental and Commercial National Bank in Chicago and later transferred to the Utility Securities Company, being connected first with the Chicago office and later with the office of an affiliated company in South Bend, Indiana. In the meantime Mr. Yoder devoted much time to independent investigation of finance and investment problems, and then in 1925 entered the University of Chicago for further specialized training. Here he received the Ph. B. degree with special honors in Economics in 1926 and was awarded a Research Assistantship. Since that time he has completed almost three full years of work as a graduate student and research assistant in the school of Commerce and Administration at the University of Chicago.

Mr. Yoder has also been active in investment counselling. He is acting as economic and investment consultant to the Source Research Council of Chicago, and provides the investment section of their monthly *Business and Investment Forecast.* Students who desire commercial training of a high grade are invited to enroll in the economics and commerce department of Goshen College. Mr. Yoder has come to us with splendid recommendations. A description of the courses to be offered next year is given below.

ROLAND YODER

Principles of Economics I, II. An introduction to the fundamental principles underlying our modern industrial and commercial organization. This course is prerequisite to all other work in the department. 3 hours, both semesters.

Economic History of the United States. A survey course designed to provide the historical background necessary to an understanding of present economic conditions and problems. 2 hours, first semester.

Financial Organization of Society. A study of the principles and development of money, banking, foreign exchange, investment banking, the Federal Reserve System, and the security exchanges. 3 hours, first semester.

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Charles Boomershine '12 writes from South Bend that he is manager of a store for The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. His house address is 805—28th St.

C. Ralph Nafziger '18 (A) of Hopedale, Illinois, R. R. 1, is farming. Those of us who knew him in school remember him best for his droll humor. Former Renner House boys will recall the time Ralph sat up too quickly in bed — the beds were all in the attic at that time — and bumped his head on a rafter. Scratching his head reflectively he drawled, "Food for thought." And so it was, we suppose.

Mrs. Erle Choate (Nora Colburn '13) writes from 504 N. New Hampshire, Los Angeles, California that in addition to keeping her home she is teaching Spanish. In 1927 she received an A. M. at the University of Southern California.

Mary Ann Sommer '20 (A) lives at 923 Jackson St., Peoria, Ill. She is a registered nurse at St. Francis Hospital, Peoria.

Lester R. Wenger '27 has recently moved to 243 Chapman Ave., Elkhart, Ind. He is a floor manager and head of the furniture and floor covering department at the Montgomery Ward & Co. store. Previous to this Mr. Wenger had been employed in part time instructor in the American School of English 14 W. Washington St., Chicago. His address is 2034 Indiana Avenue.

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Myrta Stover, a former student, for the past five years physical director in the Women's College at Seoul, Korea, is planning to leave there on June 12 enroute home. She plans to come via the Trans-Siberian Railway to Moscow thence to Warsaw and Berlin—stopping at Oberammergau for the Passion Play—then on through Switzerland to Paris and London. She expects to sail from Southampton on the Leviathan on July 6 and arrive in New York City about July 12.

Milton Smith, '28, who taught last year at Walnut Creek, Ohio, is superintendent of schools at Berlin, Ohio.

Ray R. Rychener, a student here in 1916-17, is a salesman for the Pennzoil Company in Harrisburg, Pa. Former students will remember with pleasure his "Malt Jason" and "Crippling Crimes" rhymes in the College Record.

Mrs. Adin Miller (nee Mabel Metzler '23) writes: "I am engaged in my second year as Director of Girls' Club Worker at the Caldwell Settlement, 1035 W. Rayru Ave., Youngstown, Ohio. I have charge of fourteen girls' clubs enrolling 175 girls about 50 percent being colored."

Elsie Weaver '13, who received her

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FORMER WAYNE CO. MAN IN LEAGUE OF NATIONS

From the Orrville (Ohio) Courier-Cresent:

Dr. Benjamin Gerig, son of Jacob Gerig, of Smithville, has been appointed to a position in the information section of the League of Nations secretariat. Dr. Gerig, who for a number of years was assistant professor of political economy at Simmons College, is now in Switzerland and has begun his new work. He is associated with Arthur Sweetster, of Boston, whose work is concerned with the League's activities in its relations with the United States.

Mr. Gerig is of the class of '17. Those of us who knew him as a student, who knew his energy, his fearlessness, his idealism would expect an advancement of this sort for him sooner or later. We are glad that it has come sooner rather than later and congratulate him heartily on the appointment. It is one that should be peculiarly adapted to his ideals and temperament.

In the Boston Herald of Nov. 30 we note that Payson Miller '18 who has for three years been minister of the Waverly Unitarian Society, has accepted a call to the First Parish Church of Wayland, Mass. Mr. Miller assumed his duties there on Jan. 1.

Charles Boomershine '12 writes from South Bend that he is manager of a store for The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. His house address is 805—28th St.

C. Ralph Nafziger '18 (A) of Hopedale, Illinois, R. R. 1, is farming. Those of us who knew him in school remember him best for his droll humor. Former Renner House boys will recall the time Ralph sat up too quickly in bed — the beds were all in the attic at that time — and bumped his head on a rafter. Scratching his head reflectively he drawled, "Food for thought." And so it was, we suppose.

Mrs. Erle Choate (Nora Colburn '13) writes from 504 N. New Hampshire, Los Angeles, California that in addition to keeping her home she is teaching Spanish. In 1927 she received an A. M. at the University of Southern California.

Mary Ann Sommer '20 (A) lives at 923 Jackson St., Peoria, Ill. She is a registered nurse at St. Francis Hospital, Peoria.

Lester R. Wenger '27 has recently moved to 243 Chapman Ave., Elkhart, Ind. He is a floor manager and head of the furniture and floor covering department at the Montgomery Ward & Co. store. Previous to this Mr. Wenger had been employed in Kline's Dry Goods Store, Goshen. We congratulate him heartily on this new appointment which is a fine promotion for him.

Esther Smucker '25, of Tiskilwa, Ill., is now a junior in Woman's Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. Her address there is 1309 N. 22nd St.

Vera Thornton '22 of 319 Dale St. Elkhart is a news proofreader with the Elkhart Daily Truth.

Mervin Hostetler '23 is superintendent of the Perry Consolidated Schools of Eiel River near Huntertown, Indiana.

Elmer H. Eby '15 lives at 4329 7th Ave., Temple, Pa. He is a draftsman.

Edwin L. Weaver '26 is employed by the R. H. Donnelley Corporation, publishers, of Chicago. He is also part time instructor in the American School of English 14 W. Washington St., Chicago. His address is 2034 Indiana Avenue.

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ALUMNI BANQUET ANNOUNCEMENT

THE ANNUAL Alumni banquet will be held, this year, in the college dining room, on Tuesday evening June 3, commencing at six o'clock. The directors have been fortunate in securing the services of two of our well-known graduates. Professor P. E. Whitmer of Witmarsum Seminary, and a former dean of Goshen College, has consented to act as toastmaster at this year's reunion. The chief speaker will be M. C. Lehman who has just returned from his work in India. He will speak of various phases of the Indian political situation and more especially on Gandhi and Non-Cooperation. The recent trend of events in India makes this subject a timely one and Mr. Lehman's long experience in that country makes him qualified to speak on this subject. In addition there will be short toasts given by representative members of the classes of 1900, 1905, 1910, 1920, 1925 and 1930. Special music, vocal and instrumental, will be furnished under the direction of Professor W. H. Smith of the College. We believe that this program will be of genuine interest to our alumni and extend a cordial invitation to you to be present at this reunion. Some important items of business will be presented for discussion for which a representative attendance would be very desirable Chief of these is the question of membership.

A PROPOSED NEW POLICY ON ALUMNI MEMBERSHIP

During the past year the question of a change in policy with regard to accepting members for the alumni association has arisen. Since many college alumni associations now accept non-graduate ex-students as members, some members of the Goshen College Alumni Association have felt that we would do well to inaugurate a similar policy. Under the able chairmanship of Professor John S. Umble a committee studied this problem, sent out a questionnaire to a number of middle western colleges, including such representative ones as Wooster, Earlham and Hillsdale, and made a report to the last directors' meeting held on April 24. The questionnaire with the answers received follows. We hope our alumni will study it and come to the banquet on June 3 prepared to discuss it pro and con.

QUESTIONNAIRE ON ALUMNI MEMBERSHIP

1. What constitutes an active membership in your association?
   (a) Graduation? Ten answered yes.
   (b) Graduation and payment of annual dues? Six, yes.
   Two answered, one year in college and payment of annual dues.
2. Are the wives or husbands of alumni associate members? Seventeen answered yes, and one, no.
   Do they have voting privileges? Nineteen answered no.
3. Do you accept former students, non graduates, as members? Fourteen answered yes; four, no.
   On what basis? One as associate, three, payment of dues.
4. How long must such student have been in residence in your college to earn alumni membership?
   One answered, one quarter; four, one semester; and seven, one year.
5. How soon after his period of residence expires may such non-graduate become a member?
   Eleven accept him immediately; one after one year; and three after his class graduates.
6. Do you accord such non-graduates all rights and privileges of graduates with respect to voting and office-holding?
   Nine answered yes; five no.
   One writes, Voting, yes; office-holding, no.
   Several state, Only graduates can become alumni trustees or vote for them.
7. Have they shown themselves useful and interested?
   Eleven answered, yes.
   Another says about 20 per cent are interested.
   Hillsdale College replies, Some of our most active and interested alumni are non-graduates.
8. Do you expect to continue this type of membership?
   Thirteen answered, yes; One was uncertain.
9. If you do not accept non-graduates as members of your alumni association do you contemplate such a step?
   Most answered, yes.
10. What part of your membership are active, paying members?
    Evansville College reports 10% of 600 members.
    Wooster College reports 70% of 2500 members.
11. What are the leading objectives of your alumni association?
    (a) Fellowship? — Fifteen answered, yes.
    (b) Publicity for the College? — Sixteen answered yes.
    (c) Financial aid for the college? — Seventeen answered yes.
12. Do you publish an alumni news letter?
    Fourteen answered, yes; and three, no.
    These letters range in frequency of publication from weekly sheets to about once in three years.

The American Alumni Council reports that institutions listed with it never accept non-graduates until their classes have graduated. but once having accepted them they are eligible for all privileges of voting and office-holding. Most of the institutions who do not already accept non-graduates are seriously considering it. The percentage of active members is about twenty.

SEVERAL FACTS STAND OUT FROM THE QUESTIONNAIRE

1. The majority of colleges are now accepting non-graduates into the alumni association after a customary residence of one year.
2. Several accept these immediately; others on the graduation of their classes.
3. Office-holding is generally, although not always, limited to graduates.

o Charles L. Shank. In June 1915 he and her husband sailed to India s missionaries under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. After working there for almost four ears Mr. and Mrs. Shank were bliged to return home because of the llness of a daughter. But this did not nd her career as a church worker. n these remaining years she has been nost active. Although the mother of ight children, seven of whom sur- ive her, she found time to help or- ganize the women's sewing circle vork in Ohio and served several years s secretary of literature on the Wo- nen's Missionary Committee. On his she rendered valuable service. Her literary bent was in fact marked, "Letters from Mary" which first ap- peared in the Youth's Christian Com- anion and which were later publish- d in book form, being from her pen. Unquestionably her talent, industry, nd zeal made her one of the most listinguished of our alumnae.

Dr. Sylvia Lloyd Johnson, '14, is ngaged in the general practice of nedicine at Baltimore and Catons- ville, Maryland. He is also giving ime as Director of the Clinical Lab- ratory at the University Hospital nd as Assistant Professor of Medi- ine in the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

Samuel Honderich, '03, minister of he Mennonite congregation at Filer, daho, returned to his old home near Goshen to attend his father's funeral.

Dr. S. T. Miller, '05, president of ur Alumni Association, returned rom an extensive tour of Europe and he Near East early in November. eaving here July 15 he and his fam- ly spent the next few months in, rance, Switzerland, Germany, Eng- [illegible]

Wyse, of our faculty were the attend- ants. After the ceremony about forty guests sat down to an inviting wed- ding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Roeschly will live in Wayland after their wedding trip. We extend our con- gratulations and best wishes.

Born to Melvin Gingerich, '26 and Mrs. Gingerich a son, Owen Jay, on March 26. Sincerest congratulations!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Snyder of Preston, Ontario, both for- mer students, a son on March 31. Best congratulations!

Glen Kropf has recently been ap- pointed assistant principal of the Riley High School in South Bend. He also retains his position as head of the social science department. Heartiest congratulations!

We have just received word before going to press that Mr. and Mrs. Kropf are the proud parents of a son, John Donald, born May 10. Sincere congratulations!

A baby boy was born to Professor and Mrs. Roland Yoder Sunday, May 4. Congratulations!

D. S. Gerig, formerly professor of German at the college, spent two days at Chicago University the first week in March where he successfully tried the written examinations for the M. A. His thesis, entitled, "The History and Activities of the Federal Council of Citizenship Training", had already been accepted. Mr. Gerig received his degree at the Con- vocation of March 18. Our readers may also be interested in knowing that Professor Gerig was elected an alderman to the Goshen City Council at the last election.

Wilma Welty, '28, was married to

than any previous enrollment summer or winter. Interest is good and a satisfactory grade of work is being done.

While the majority of the students are teachers, there are also freshmen, sophomores and juniors from Northwestern University, University of Michigan, Indiana University, De Pauw University, Oberlin College, Wabash College and Notre Dame University, making up deficiencies or advancing their standing.

Dr. Hertzler continues as the able and genial director of the Summer Session. Professors Witmer, Umble, Yoder and Mrs. Enss of the regular College faculty with Principal O. L. Walter of the Goshen High School comprise the instructional staff in the College department, while Principal U. Grant Weaver of the Academy and Miss Dula Roth, '29, teach classes in high school subjects.

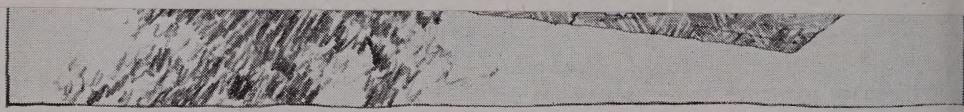
THE ALUMNI DIRECTORY

The long-promised, and eagerly-awaited alumni directory was to be the first Alumni number of the enlarged COLLEGE BULLETIN, but

have Church or Sunday school privilege Superintendent Foreman of the Goshen Ci schools has consented to the use of the fi remodelled two-room public school buildin in East Goshen for a mission Sunday schoo The school is being organized with Professo U. Grant Weaver, principal of the Academy in charge.

CLASS OF 1930

Not satisfied with being known as the larges class in the history of the College, the Clas of 1930 has determined to perpetuate its mem ory by establishing a Freshman scholarship One half of the fund is already invested i productive securities and the class has pledge to have the other half invested and producin before January 1, 1931. This gift is unique the first scholarship ever to be placed at th disposal of the College. Under the terms of th gift a committee of the faculty will select a member of the Freshman class whose character scholarship, and promise mark him as deserv ing of such distinction.



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OUR POLICY

The function of this paper is to be twofold. Obviously it should publish news items of the alumni. In addition it should interpret the existing spirit of the institution. This dual purpose it shall be the policy of this paper to fulfill.

April Meeting of Alumni Directors

A meeting of the Board of Directors was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brunk, the "Dixie Sandwich Shoppe", on Thursday evening April 24. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock. The following directors were present in person: F. S. Ebersole, Florence Bender, S. T. Miller, Silas Hertzler, John Umble, C. P. Martin, W. H. Smith, S. W. Witmer, J. B. Cressman. These sent proxies: G. J. Lapp, J. C. Meyer, F. S. Martin, A. J. Steiner, J. J. Fisher, O. O. Miller. The following business was transacted:

1. The treasurer's report was read and accepted. Mr. Martin announced a balance of $81.83.

2. Mr. Umble's report on Membership was read and accepted. (A full account is given elsewhere.)

3. John S. Umble was elected editor of the News Letter for next year.

4. Florence Bender was appointed to supervise arrangements for the alumni banquet on June 3.

5. The program for the alumni banquet was drawn up.

6. The following officers were elected:

President --------- S. T. Miller, '05
First Vice-president H. S. Bender '18
Second V.-Pres. M. C. Lehman, '15
Secretary ---- Silas Hertzler, '13
Treasurer ---- Clifford Martin, '27

Meeting of the Chicago Alumni

The Chicago Branch of the Alumni Association held its annual Reunion and Banquet on the evening of March 8, 1930, in the Stevens Restaurant, Stevens Building, Chicago.

Forty-nine Alumni and friends gathered from all parts of the city for this happy event. The retiring officers Frances Ebersole Burkey, Noah Roeschley, and Alyce Talbot Fuller were in charge. An interesting and much appreciated variation of the usual order was a ready response to roll-call with some timely bit of humor or personal history. George J. Lapp, lately returned from India and now a student at Bethany Bible School, gave an excellent address on the subject, "The Barometer of our Present Civilization." Music was furnished by a male quartette, and the program was closed with the College Song.

Officers for year 1930-31:
President, Samuel Burkhard
Vice-president, Samuel Yoder
Secretary-Treasurer, Esther Brunk.

Professor Bender At Heidelberg

Professor H. S. Bender, absent on leave in Germany to supervise Russian Mennonite emigration and to continue his graduate study, registered at Heidelberg University on April 29. Believing that his observations on conditions and his experiences in emigration work will be interesting to our readers we print some extracts from his letters.

Here are some comments on his life at Heidelberg.

"I have my first class at 8 A. M. so I rise at 7 A. M. and have breakfast at 7:30. This consists of a large pitcher of cocoa, two rolls, and butter. The room and breakfast together make 90 marks per month. The other two meals I get at the student commons called the Mensa, an old Latin term. The Mensa is on a cafeteria style, slightly modified. This dining hall is in the old Zeughaus down by the Neckar, with walls six feet thick, and an arched ceiling with Gothic arches. The meals cost the remarkable sum of 60 pfennigs (15 cents) and are worth more. First, at each table, is a large bowl of soup. When you enter, you are given a soup dish with the necessary implements of warfare, and you serve yourself to as much of the soup as you wish. After this you file past the service table and receive a plate full of whatever is served for that meal. It is usually a meat, with potatoes and some vegetable. At noon a dessert of some sort, either fruit or cake, accompanies the meal. If you wish, you can go back for more vegetables, "as long as they last." There are three kinds of portions; "normal", "gross", and "klein". (Apparently all at the same price — Ed.) There is also a table where you can buy milk or lemonade as well as receive water. The food thus far has been well-cooked and nourishing, I must say. At this rate my month's living, including board and room, will amount to about $30, which is very reasonable."

As for the emigration work he says that the second group of refugees sailed for Paraguay on April 16. There were 350 people, in 69 families. The third group was to sail on May 12. With this work completed Professor Bender can devote his entire time to his university work at Heidelberg.

A Word From the Treasurer Regarding Annual Dues

Since the last report given June 1929, we have made a conscious effort to collect the annual dues. Letters were sent out to the members of the association. We received 105 replies and checks totalling $129.00. Some of the members were so generous as to send checks for $5.00. This sum has gone a long way toward making it possible for the directors and officers to carry out their plans. However we should hear from about as many more of our members if our efforts are to be carried to completion without financial handicaps. Securing of information for the "Directory", printing the "Directory" and "News Letters" and mailing these bulletins cost considerable money. The money on hand is not sufficient to complete the year's work.

I am sure you are all interested in receiving the Directory and News Letters regularly, and want to help make this possible. So if you have not paid your dues, will you please send your check for $1.00. Do it immediately so you will not forget. Use the business reply envelope which we sent you in our letter of February 3 or address your letter to C. P. Martin, Treasurer Goshen College Alumni Association, First Old State Bank, Elkhart, Indiana.

CAMPUS NOTES

From the Office of the President

Kulp Hall to be Remodeled and Enlarged this Summer

Word was brought to the campus by President Yoder, who recently returned from a committee meeting in the east, that very extensive improvements will be made on the Girls' Dormitory this summer. The plan is to remodel and enlarge the present building known as Kulp Hall and fit it up into a modern rooming house for the increasing number of girls who come to the college. The executive committee of the Mennonite Board of Education has approved the plan and it now waits confirmation by the latter body at its annual meeting early in June.

The present building will be enlarged by extending the west wing and by the addition of a smaller extension on the east side. There will be a suitable entrance from the street as well as from the campus which will add much to the convenience as well as to the appearance of the building. The interior will be entirely remodeled and refinished making it, when completed, practically a new building. The dining room will be completely rearranged and enlarged to make room for the increasing number of students who desire to secure their meals on the campus. In design and architecture the structure will be a credit to the institution and a valuable addition to the present group of buildings. There will be rooms for 104 girls with a possibility of adding accomodation for 20 more. This should provide ample rooming facilities for a few years to come.

The Adelphian Aquarium

Through the splendid efforts of the Adelphian Literary Society the campus now boasts of a fine aquarium and rockery. It is located just north of the entrance to the Science Hall which it faces and is at right angles to the entrance to Coffman Hall. Gravel paths lead from it to both entrances. The pool, semi-circular in shape, is fifteen feet long, eight feet wide and three feet deep and is sunk about a foot and a half beneath the campus level. About the semi-circle is a gravel path with suitable stone steps to the campus. To form a suitable background for the pool a crescent-shaped rockery rising about five feet above the level of the water was built. A concealed standard in it furnishes water for a miniature waterfall to the pool below. On this rockery, in black loam placed between the stones, have been planted some twenty varieties of Alpine plants. The pool itself contains three or four varieties of water lilies. Just north of the rockery a background of flowering shrubs has been planted. The aquarium and rockery are a fine complement to the fountain which is located in a similar position with respect to the Administration Building and Kulp Hall. Although this new addition to the campus scenery has only been built a short time it has already proved itself a favorite spot with the student body. It is a real beauty spot on our campus. We commend it to the attention of commencement visitors.

The Men's Chorus

This year our Men's Chorus undertook an extensive trip into eastern Ohio and Pennsylvania. The itinerary largely speaks for itself.

West Liberty, Ohio	April 14
North Lima, Ohio	April 15
Belleville, Pa.	April 16
Perkasie, Pa.	April 17
Blooming Glen, Pa.	April 18
Hatfield, Pa.	April 19
Fairfield, Pa.	April 20
Scottdale, Pa.	Apirl 21
Louisville, Ohio	April 22
Smithville, Ohio	April 23
Walnut Creek, Ohio	April 24
Berlin, Ohio	April 25
Elida, Ohio	April 26

Some of these programs were given in churches and others in high schools. The boys report that they were most sincerely welcomed and hospitably entertained everywhere. It was a splendid trip. On May 17 and 18 the Men's and Women's Choruses sing in Chicago at the Mission, Bethany Bible School and Moody Memorial Church.

Calendar of Events for Commencement Week

FRIDAY, MAY 30

8:00 P. M. Academy Senior Class Program

SATURDAY, MAY 31

8:00 P. M. Program of Music ---------- *College Choruses*

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

10:45 A. M. Missionary Sermon ---------- *M. C. Lehman*
2:30 P. M. Mission Program
Speakers: *M. C. Lehman, G. J. Lapp*
8:00 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon ---------- *S. C. Yoder*

MONDAY, JUNE 2

7:00 P. M. Senior Class Exercises (On Campus)
8:00 P. M. Senior Class Program (Assembly Hall)

TUESDAY, JUNE 3

10:00 A. M. Literary Society Reunions
2:00 P. M. Program of Music ---------- *College Choruses*
6:00 P. M. Alumni Banquet

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4

10:00 A. M. Final Chapel Service and Devotional Meeting
1:00 P. M. College Luncheon
8:00 P. M. Commencement Address ------ *Dr. A. C. Wieand*
Bethany Bible School, Chicago, Illinois

Presentation of Diplomas
Conferring of Degrees

HELLO, ALUMNI!

If you know of any news or if you have broken into print yourself, write to the Secretary of the Alumni Association. If you have been employed at an advance in salary, received a degree, been visited by the stork, changed your occupation, that's news! Tell the rest of us about it. Let us rejoice with you.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS, 1929-30

Under the able leadership of Harvey Driver and Olive Wyse, Physical directors for men and women respectively, the College promoted a strong program of intra-mural athletics during the past year. In track it was a hard season on the records of the old grads, some of which had stood since 1916 when Lynn Woodworth ran the 440 in 58 sec. and Morris Neterer the 220 in 24.6. John Bender set new field records in the mile run (5:06), 880 yard run, (2:07.9), and 440 dash (53 sec.) These last two are in a class with most colleges. Orie Eigsti, a Junior who entered from Bradley College last fall, erased Tilman Smith's record for broad jump (20 feet 3 inches) by leaping 21 feet 2 inches and also E. J. Camp's record in the pole vault (10 feet 1 inch) by wriggling over the bamboo pole at 10 feet 4 inches.

In the women's annual track and field meet seven college records fell. The outstanding performer was Grace Zook, Freshman, of West Liberty, Ohio, who won five firsts and one second and ran the 50 yard dash in 6.8 seconds, within .3 second of the Women's World Record.

THE SUMMER SESSION

The 1930 Summer Session began June 9 and will close August 9. Following the increase in last year's summer student body comes further growth during 1930. The present enrollment of eighty-two is exactly twice that of 1928. The science classes are three times as large as last summer, the class in History of Education very large, and those in Shakespearean drama spend the next few months in France, Switzerland, Germany, Eng[illegible]

unavoidable delays in printing have made postponement until October inevitable. The secretary of the Alumni Association, Dr. Silas Hertzler, promises that the directory will contain the names, addresses, and occupation of all alumni. The names will be arranged by classes and an alphabetical index will add to the usefulness of the book. If space permits Dr. Hertzler plans to include a directory of all past instructors of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College.

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NEWS OF THE COLLEGE CONGREGATION

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meetings and the committee hopes that many will be present this year to enjoy a basket dinner and renew old acquaintances. The date of August 24 rather than August 31 has been selected to accommodate any coming from a distance whose schools open on September 1.

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We are glad to announce that Professor D. A. Lehman is back again in vigorous health and is teaching part time.

Walter Oswald, '21, received the M. A. in history at Chicago University at the end of the summer quarter. "Osie" teaches history in one of the high schools in Youngstown.

Myrta Stover, a former student, for the past five years physical director in the Women's College at Seoul, Korea, is planning to leave there on June 12 enroute home. She plans to come via the Trans-Siberian Railway to Moscow thence to Warsaw and Berlin—stopping at Oberammergau for the Passion Play—then on through Switzerland to Paris and London. She expects to sail from Southampton on the Leviathan on July 6 and arrive in New York City about July 12.

Milton Smith, '28, who taught last year at Walnut Creek, Ohio, is superintendent of schools at Berlin, Ohio.

Ray R. Rychener, a student here in 1916-17, is a salesman for the Pennzoil Company in Harrisburg, Pa. Former students will remember with pleasure his "Malt Jason" and "Crippling Crimes" rhymes in the College Record.

Mrs. Adin Miller (nee Mabel Metzler '23) writes: "I am engaged in my second year as Director of Girls' Club Worker at the Caldwell Settlement, 1035 W. Rayru Ave., Youngstown, Ohio. I have charge of fourteen girls' clubs enrolling 175 girls about 50 percent being colored."

Elsie Weaver '13, who received her training in the commercial department of Goshen College, is a stenographer in the War Department in Washington, D. C. Her address there is 2119 N. Street, N. W.

To those of our alumni who may not already have received notice we announce the sad death of Mrs. Charles Shank, nee Crissie Yoder, of North Canton, Ohio. As a student here at Goshen College she was most able. As a leader in campus activity she was among the foremost: a member of the Foreign Volunteer Band, one of the Women's Cabinet, and in her senior year presidetn of the Y. W. C. A. Graduated in 1913, she became in the following year, dean of women and instructor in English at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas. On July 4, 1914 she was married to Charles L. Shank. In June 1915 she and her husband sailed to India as missionaries under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. After working there for almost four years Mr. and Mrs. Shank were obliged to return home because of the illness of a daughter. But this did not end her career as a church worker. In these remaining years she has been most active. Although the mother of eight children, seven of whom survive her, she found time to help organize the women's sewing circle work in Ohio and served several years as secretary of literature on the Women's Missionary Committee. On this she rendered valuable service. Her literary bent was in fact marked, "Letters from Mary" which first appeared in the Youth's Christian Companion and which were later published in book form, being from her pen. Unquestionably her talent, industry, and zeal made her one of the most distinguished of our alumnae.

Dr. Sylvia Lloyd Johnson, '14, is engaged in the general practice of medicine at Baltimore and Catonsville, Maryland. He is also giving time as Director of the Clinical Laboratory at the University Hospital and as Assistant Professor of Medicine in the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

Samuel Honderich, '03, minister of the Mennonite congregation at Filer, Idaho, returned to his old home near Goshen to attend his father's funeral.

Dr. S. T. Miller, '05, president of our Alumni Association, returned from an extensive tour of Europe and the Near East early in November. Leaving here July 15 he and his family spent the next few months in, France, Switzerland, Germany, England, Holland, Italy, Greece, Palestine, and Egypt. In the latter part of August Dr. Miller and Professor H. S. Bender spent two weeks in touring parts of Russia, Finland, Sweden, and Denmark. On this trip they traveled about 1200 miles by airplane: from Koenigsberg to Moscow and from Copenhagen to Hamburg They spent three days each in Moscow and Leningrad visiting hospitals, museums, art galleries, and general places of interest. Both men report that travel in Russia is becoming easier and that the Soviet Government has apparently decided to encourage tourist traffic.

On April 24, at her home in Wayland, Iowa, Esther Roth, '29 was married to Mr. Ervin Roeschly. Orie Miller, of our student body and Olive Wyse, of our faculty were the attendants. After the ceremony about forty guests sat down to an inviting wedding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Roeschly will live in Wayland after their wedding trip. We extend our congratulations and best wishes.

Born to Melvin Gingerich, '26 and Mrs. Gingerich a son, Owen Jay, on March 26. Sincerest congratulations!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Snyder of Preston, Ontario, both former students, a son on March 31. Best congratulations!

Glen Kropf has recently been appointed assistant principal of the Riley High School in South Bend. He also retains his position as head of the social science department. Heartiest congratulations!

We have just received word before going to press that Mr. and Mrs. Kropf are the proud parents of a son, John Donald, born May 10. Sincere congratulations!

A baby boy was born to Professor and Mrs. Roland Yoder Sunday, May 4. Congratulations!

D. S. Gerig, formerly professor of German at the college, spent two days at Chicago University the first week in March where he successfully tried the written examinations for the M. A. His thesis, entitled, "The History and Activities of the Federal Council of Citizenship Training", had already been accepted. Mr. Gerig received his degree at the Convocation of March 18. Our readers may also be interested in knowing that Professor Gerig was elected an alderman to the Goshen City Council at the last election.

Wilma Welty, '28, was married to Howard Sigrist at 8:30 Easter morning in the First Brethren Church in Goshen. Mr. Sigrist is a graduate of DePauw University and has taught at Goldsmith, Indiana for the past two years.

Glen Hershberger, '23, is now located at Richmond, Virginia, as a student and airways operator. One may address him Care of Airways Radio, Sandston, Va.

Frank J. Hostetler, '17, writes that he is principal of the elementary school in Marquam, Oregon.

Mary M. Wenger, '25, now Mrs. Leonard E. Martin, writes from Harrisonburg, Va., that her occupation is, "Teaching school in the Whitmer School fourth and fifth grades, and helping in the S. S. and other missionary work in the mountains."

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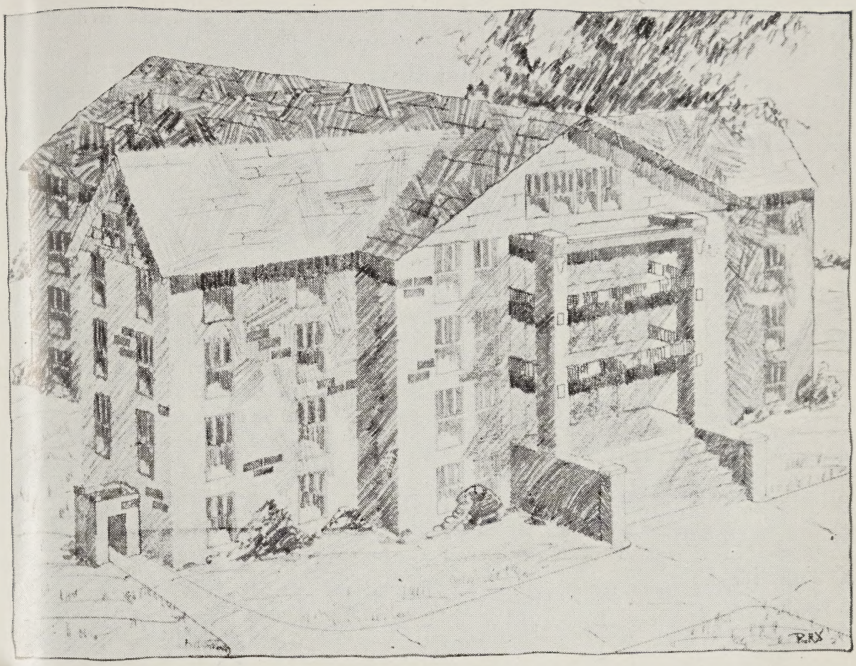

THE NEW KULP HALL

The college artist, Mr. Raymond A. Yoder, using suggestions from the builder's blue prints presents the above sketch of Kulp Hall as it will appear after it is remodelled. A large wing is being built to the west where an entrance corresponding to the one on the east will face the James Whitcomb Riley Highway.

THIRTIETH ANNUAL BANQUET AND REUNION

6 O'clock P. M., June 3, 1930.

Using for the last time, the historic old Kulp Hall dining room, that has seen so many happy gatherings of students and alumni, the alumni banquet and reunion brought together the largest group that has assembled in recent years. The menu, decorations, and service were in the capable hands of Florence Bender. Genial Paul Whitmer was toastmaster, Professor Hartzler sang, and M. C. Lehman gave the address of the evening on "Mahatma Gandhi and Indian Non-Cooperation." I. W. Royer, present to see his oldest daughter receive her B. A., toasted for the class of 1900, Lydia Liechty Lehman, also with a daughter in Goshen College, for 1905, W. W. Oesch for 1910, and Dr. Clifford Brunk for 1915. Lester Litwiller, '30, representing the class of 1930, spoke in response to their welcome into the alumni asscciation.

Business Meeting

The following directors were elected for a three-year term expiring in 1933: John J. Fisher, J. B. Cressman, Silas Hertzler, C. P. Martin, S. W. Witmer, and Lester Litwiller. The following officers were elected:

President, S. T. Miller.

First Vice-President, H. S. Bender.

Second Vice-President, M. C. Lehman.

Secretary, Silas Hertzler.

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The association welcomed a class of forty-nine graduates, presented by John S. Umble. Of these, thirteen were academy graduates; one was a graduate of the advanced Bible course; thirty-five were college graduates. This is the largest class of bachelors ever graduated from the College in any one year.

HELLO, ALUMNI!

If you know of any news or if you have broken into print yourself, write to the Secretary of the Alumni Association. If you have been employed at an advance in salary, received a degree, been visited by the stork, changed your occupation, that's news! Tell the rest of us about it. Let us rejoice with you.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS, 1929-30

Under the able leadership of Harvey Driver and Olive Wyse, Physical directors for men and women respectively, the College promoted a strong program of intra-mural athletics during the past year. In track it was a hard season on the records of the old grads, some of which had stood since 1916 when Lynn Woodworth ran the 440 in 58 sec. and Morris Neterer the 220 in 24.6. John Bender set new field records in the mile run (5:06), 880 yard run, (2:07.9), and 440 dash (53 sec.) These last two are in a class with most colleges. Orie Eigsti, a Junior who entered from Bradley College last fall, erased Tilman Smith's record for broad jump (20 feet 3 inches) by leaping 21 feet 2 inches and also E. J. Camp's record in the pole vault (10 feet 1 inch) by wriggling over the bamboo pole at 10 feet 4 inches.

In the women's annual track and field meet seven college records fell. The outstanding performer was Grace Zook, Freshman, of West Liberty, Ohio, who won five firsts and one second and ran the 50 yard dash in 6.8 seconds, within .3 second of the Women's World Record.

THE SUMMER SESSION

The 1930 Summer Session began June 9 and will close August 9. Following the increase in last year's summer student body comes further growth during 1930. The present enrollment of eighty-two is exactly twice that of 1928. The science classes are three times as large as last summer, the class in History of Education very large, and those in Shakespearean drama and American literature larger than any previous enrollment summer or winter. Interest is good and a satisfactory grade of work is being done.

While the majority of the students are teachers, there are also freshmen, sophomores and juniors from Northwestern University, University of Michigan, Indiana University, De Pauw University, Oberlin College, Wabash College and Notre Dame University, making up deficiencies or advancing their standing.

Dr. Hertzler continues as the able and genial director of the Summer Session. Professors Witmer, Umble, Yoder and Mrs. Enss of the regular College faculty with Principal O. L. Walter of the Goshen High School comprise the instructional staff in the College department, while Principal U. Grant Weaver of the Academy and Miss Dula Roth, '29, teach classes in high school subjects.

THE ALUMNI DIRECTORY

The long-promised, and eagerly-awaited alumni directory was to be the first Alumni number of the enlarged COLLEGE BULLETIN, but unavoidable delays in printing have made postponement until October inevitable. The secretary of the Alumni Association, Dr. Silas Hertzler, promises that the directory will contain the names, addresses, and occupation of all alumni. The names will be arranged by classes and an alphabetical index will add to the usefulness of the book. If space permits, Dr. Hertzler plans to include a directory of all past instructors of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College.

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CLASS OF 1930

Not satisfied with being known as the largest class in the history of the College, the Class of 1930 has determined to perpetuate its memory by establishing a Freshman scholarship. One half of the fund is already invested in productive securities and the class has pledged to have the other half invested and producing before January 1, 1931. This gift is unique, the first scholarship ever to be placed at the disposal of the College. Under the terms of the gift a committee of the faculty will select a member of the Freshman class whose character, scholarship, and promise mark him as deserving of such distinction.

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The funeral of Bishop Jonathan Kurtz at Topeka, Indiana, Sunday, July 13, marks the passing of another pioneer in the progressive program of the Mennonite Church. His children, Alta and Orvin, attended the Elkhart Institute and a granddaughter, Hilda, was enrolled in Goshen College last year. He held the office of bishop nearly fifty years.

PERSONALS

W. W. Miller, '22, teacher in the Columbus, Ohio, schools has received his M. A. degree at Ohio State University. Major, Education. Mr. Miller taught at the State Normal school at Bloomsburg, Penna., during the summer of 1929.

John H. Warye, '17, received his master's degree at Wittenberg University, Springfield, Ohio, June 5, major, Education; minor, Religious Education and Psychology. Mr. Warye has been re-employed as superintendent of schools at Mingo, Ohio, for the year 1930-31 at a substantial increase in salary.

Delmar Hershberger, '28, received his master's degree in Physics from George Washington University in June.

Albert J. Hershberger, '27, received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Michigan in June.

Mrs. S. M. King (Nellie Zook, '28) and her husband have been granted two years leave of absence from Hesston College to teach English in the Philippine Islands. Their address is Manilla, P. I. They expect to return to America by way of Europe in 1932.

Ellen Yoder, '14, 3412 Spring Garden, Philadelphia, Penna., sailed Saturday, June 18, on the S. S. Mennenkaleda, for an extended tour through England and the British Isles.

Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-26, received his master's degree in Ecnomics at the University of Wisconsin in June. As Alumni will recall Professor Daniel S. Gerig, Sr., was similarly honored by the University of Chicago in March. Quite a scholastic year for the Gerigs! The daughter, Alice, completed her Sophomore year at Goshen College this June and is planning to attend Bluffton College next year.

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WEDDING BELLS

Musselman — Miller

On Wednesday evening, June 4, at five o'clock, Howard Yoder Musselman, '29, and Ruth Miller, '30, were united in marriage by Dean Oyer of the College. The ceremony was performed in Assembly Hall in the presence of a number of friends of the bride and groom. After Commencement, Mr. and Mrs. Musselman left for a short trip through the East, intending to make their future home at Ortanna, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Musselman will assist his father in managing extensive business interests.

Lehman — Speigel

On Saturday, June 7, occured the wedding of John Lehman, West Liberty, Ohio, '29, and Ruth Speigle, Holsopple, Penna. During the next week Mr. and Mrs. Lehman spent several days visiting friends and relatives in Goshen and vicinity. Next year they will reside in Whitmer, Virginia, where Mr. Lehman has been engaged in school teaching and Sunday school work in the mountains. Mrs. Lehman is a graduate of E. M. S. and a cousin of Mrs. U. Grant Weaver.

Smucker — Detweiler

On Sunday, June 22, at the home of the bride's parents near West Liberty, Ohio, Chauncy G. Smucker, '28, and Pearl Detweiler, '29, were united in marriage by Bishop A. I. Yoder. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Smucker left for a two weeks' trip through the East. On their return they will reside near West Liberty, Ohio, on the farm purchased some time ago by the groom. The marriage of these two estimable young people terminates one of the longest, happiest, and most serene courtships to engage the sympathetic interest of the college community in recent years.

The Alumni circle extends heartiest good wishes to all these excellent young people as they take up the duties of wedded life.

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Professor Gustav H. Enss is engaged in research at the Southern Baptist University, Louisville, Ky.

Professor J. B. Cressman is busy breathing ozone and collecting vitamines on the shores of Lake Huron preparatory to a hard two-years grind in graduate study at Yale beginning in September.

Professor Dirk Tieszen and Mrs. Tieszen who have gained many warm friends in Goshen during the past two years are spending the summer at the University of Colorado. Pro- [illegible] spent the next few months in France, Switzerland, Germany, Eng- [illegible]

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Mrs. H. S. Bender and little Mary Eleanor, who are spending the fore part of the summer with Grandfather's at Scottdale, expect to sail for Europe late in July to meet Professor Bender at Heidelberg and spend a part of the summer at Lautenbacherhof in the picturesque valley of the Neckar, with Mrs. Bender's relatives.

Mrs. S. W. Witmer is spending the summer at home. During the past year in addition to her highly efficient work as instructor in the biological sciences in the Academy, she has made a valuable contribution to the College Sunday school and to the life of the community as superintendent of the primary department.

Miss Verna Graber who has been teaching near Sterling, Illinois, since her graduation in 1928 is attending the Summer Session at the University of Iowa preparing to teach Latin in the Academy next year.

Miss Olive Wyse resumes her graduate study at the University of Iowa this summer.

The other members of the faculty, as stated elsewhere, are engaged in teaching in the Summer Session at the College.

AUTUMN ALUMNI REUNION

The committee in charge of the August reunion, Professor J. M. Kurtz, Mrs. C. J. Gerber and Mrs. Alvin Shetler, met July 9 to arrange for the August meeting and handed the editor the following announcement for insertion in the NEWS LETTER.

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ALUMNI NEWS LETTER

THE TREASURER'S LETTER.

Don't fail to read the treasurer's letter on page eight. He seeks to bring to our attention some matters that can hardly fail to interest every alumnus. When you send him your annual dues, write a line or two about what you are doing, how the Democratic landslide affects you, what you think of Hoover, what changes you would like to see in the NEWS LETTER, what kind of winter is ahead of us, or what your prospects are for attending Commencement here in June, 1931.

CLASS REUNIONS, JUNE, 1931.

Although next commencement season still seems rather far away, it will be upon us so soon that, unless we begin now to plan for it, June 9 may find us unprepared. Who are the class officers for those groups whose fifth, tenth, fifteenth, twentieth, twenty-fifth or thirtieth anniversaries fall in 1931? Could they not use Dr. Hertzler's new *Alumni Directory* to get in touch with the members of their class? You Naught One's, including the first Latin-Scientific graduates, should not find it difficult to manage a one hundred per cent attendance. The late date, June 9, should make it possible for every one to be present, if Steiner can manage to have his chicks hatch the week before or the week after. Only one member of the class is really far away, and, if we all write her a letter to urge her attendance, we may be able to meet in an unbroken circle, except for the two who ended their life's work for the Master many years ago.

And how about you Naughty-Sixes? Honest now, wouldn't you like to have a table reserved for you on the night of the alumni banquet? Wouldn't it be worth more than it costs—much more—to be able to munch your olives together after twenty-five years? Because Joe Shank and Doc Esch are off on business for the King, we must excuse them, of course, but, to an outsider, there does not seem to be a good reason why the others can't come. While the naught-six class meetings and socials were almost entirely stag affairs back in your college days, the class has done valiantly to remove this inequality, and, anyway, what few girls the class had are just as good looking as ever.

And what an imposing line-up the Elevens, Sixteens, and Twenty-ones display in the Directory! One of the Elevens said the other day that he could not get his work done properly after the *Directory* arrived—kept him busy, finding the people he had lost and wishing he could see them again. Most of the Sixteens have been here off and on during the past half-dozen years, but not all in a body as we hope they will be on June 9. And

> "Breathes there a Twenty-one with soul so dead
> Who never to himself hath said—"
> "I wish I could see 'Jo' and 'Bill' and 'Dan' and 'Grassmyer' and all the rest."

Let's start something and get together Tuesday evening, June 9, 1931. You won't be asked to give any money or even to make a speech. You will be expected to do nothing, but to enjoy yourself.

CAMPUS NOTES

Bishop C. F. Derstine, well-known evangelist, pastor of the First Mennonite Church, Kitchener, Ontario, conducted the annual series of evangelistic services at the College, November 11-19.

Many more alumni would find the *Goshen College Record* interesting. It mirrors faithfully the life, spirit, thought, and activity of the campus. The cost is nominal. A post card will bring you a sample copy. The November issue left the press about the middle of the month.

Dr. Mosiman, president of Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, was a pleasant caller at the College, Thursday, October 16. He conducted the daily worship service and addressed the student body in Assembly Hall.

At Vespers, Sunday afternoon, November 2, Dr. Wilhelm Pauck, professor of church history at Chicago Theological Seminary, gave an address on "The Present Revival of Evangelical Theology in Germany and Its Significance to Us Today." Monday morning, November 3, when he addressed the students on "Martin Luther," a group of the down-

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Professor Gustav H. Enss is engaged in research at the Southern Baptist University, Louisville, Ky.

Professor J. B. Cressman is busy breathing ozone and collecting vitamines on the shores of Lake Huron preparatory to a hard two-years grind in graduate study at Yale beginning in September.

Professor Dirk Tieszen and Mrs. Tieszen who have gained many warm friends in Goshen during the past two years are spending the summer at the University of Colorado. Professor Tieszen's work at the College ends with the return in September of Dr. Miller, as head of the Physical Science department.

Willard H. Smith and E. J. Camp are enrolled at the University of Chicago for the summer quarter. They will probably contrive to be the subject of another news item by the time the next BULLETIN appears.

Professor Walter Gordon who comes to Goshen College to assist Dr. Hertzler in the Department of Education in September, is conducting a Boy's Camp near Elkhart.

Samuel A. Yoder is doing some work at Northwestern University in further preparation for his work in the English department next year.

Miss Lydia Shenk is to receive her master's degree from the University of Pennsylvania at the end of the summer.

Miss Fyrne Miller who is to fill Miss Witmer's position as head of the department of home economics, pending Miss Witmer's recovery, is a graduate student at the University of Iowa.

Mrs. H. S. Bender and little Mary Eleanor, who are spending the fore part of the summer with Grandfather's at Scottdale, expect to sail for Europe late in July to meet Professor Bender at Heidelberg and spend a part of the summer at Lautenbacherhof in the picturesque valley of the Neckar, with Mrs. Bender's relatives.

Mrs. S. W. Witmer is spending the summer at home. During the past year in addition to her highly efficient work as instructor in the biological sciences in the Academy, she has made a valuable contribution to the College Sunday school and to the life of the community as superintendent of the primary department.

Miss Verna Graber who has been teaching near Sterling, Illinois, since her graduation in 1928 is attending the Summer Session at the University of Iowa preparing to teach Latin in the Academy next year.

Miss Olive Wyse resumes her graduate study at the University of Iowa this summer.

The other members of the faculty, as stated elsewhere, are engaged in teaching in the Summer Session at the College.

AUTUMN ALUMNI REUNION

The committee in charge of the August reunion, Professor J. M. Kurtz, Mrs. C. J. Gerber, and Mrs. Alvin Shetler, met July 9 to arrange for the August meeting and handed the editor the following announcement for insertion in the NEWS-LETTER.

The ANNUAL AUTUMN REUNION of the Alumni and friends of Goshen College will be held on Sunday afternoon, August 24th, on the College Campus. This has always been a very pleasant occasion for those who attended these meetings and the committee hopes that many will be present this year to enjoy a basket dinner and renew old acquaintances. The date of August 24 rather than August 31 has been selected to accommodate any coming from a distance whose schools open on September 1.

Alumni and friends will be interested in observing the progress made by the builder, Mr. Y. D. Yoder, in changing historic Kulp Hall from a dingy, small-chambered, narrow-halled dormitory into a spacious, modern, cheery home for women. Some have not yet seen John S. Coffman Hall, the commodious new dormitory for men, nor the new Aurora exit, nor the new Adelphian rockery and aquarium. Right now the latter is very beautiful with its forty-odd varieties of rock plants presenting something new and interesting in flower or foliage every few weeks. The gold fish are enjoying the shade of the lily pads these hot days and few students pass by without pausing a moment to listen to the tinkle of the rivulet among the rocks and to admire the white and pink water lilies displaying their exquisite waxiness on the surface of the pool.

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ALUMNI NEWS LETTER

THE TREASURER'S LETTER.

Don't fail to read the treasurer's letter on page eight. He seeks to bring to our attention some matters that can hardly fail to interest every alumnus. When you send him your annual dues, write a line or two about what you are doing, how the Democratic landslide affects you, what you think of Hoover, what changes you would like to see in the NEWS LETTER, what kind of winter is ahead of us, or what your prospects are for attending Commencement here in June, 1931.

CLASS REUNIONS, JUNE, 1931.

Although next commencement season still seems rather far away, it will be upon us so soon that, unless we begin now to plan for it, June 9 may find us unprepared. Who are the class officers for those groups whose fifth, tenth, fifteenth, twentieth, twenty-fifth or thirtieth anniversaries fall in 1931? Could they not use Dr. Hertzler's new *Alumni Directory* to get in touch with the members of their class? You Naught One's, including the first Latin-Scientific graduates, should not find it difficult to manage a one hundred per cent attendance. The late date, June 9, should make it possible for every one to be present, if Steiner can manage to have his chicks hatch the week before or the week after. Only one member of the class is really far away, and, if we all write her a letter to urge her attendance, we may be able to meet in an unbroken circle, except for the two who ended their life's work for the Master many years ago.

And how about you Naughty-Sixes? Honest now, wouldn't you like to have a table reserved for you on the night of the alumni banquet? Wouldn't it be worth more than it costs—much more—to be able to munch your olives together after twenty-five years? Because Joe Shank and Doc Esch are off on business for the King, we must excuse them, of course, but, to an outsider, there does not seem to be a good reason why the others can't come. While the naught-six class meetings and socials were almost entirely stag affairs back in your college days, the class has done valiantly to remove this inequality, and, anyway, what few girls the class had are just as good looking as ever.

And what an imposing line-up the Elevens, Sixteens, and Twenty-ones display in the Directory! One of the Elevens said the other day that he could not get his work done properly after the *Directory* arrived—kept him busy, finding the people he had lost and wishing he could see them again. Most of the Sixteens have been here off and on during the past half-dozen years, but not all in a body as we hope they will be on June 9. And

"Breathes there a Twenty-one with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said—"
"I wish I could see 'Jo' and 'Bill' and 'Dan' and 'Grassmyer' and all the rest."

Let's start something and get together Tuesday evening, June 9, 1931. You won't be asked to give any money or even to make a speech. You will be expected to do nothing, but to enjoy yourself.

CAMPUS NOTES

Bishop C. F. Derstine, well-known evangelist, pastor of the First Mennonite Church, Kitchener, Ontario, conducted the annual series of evangelistic services at the College, November 11-19.

Many more alumni would find the *Goshen College Record* interesting. It mirrors faithfully the life, spirit, thought, and activity of the campus. The cost is nominal. A post card will bring you a sample copy. The November issue left the press about the middle of the month.

Dr. Mosiman, president of Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, was a pleasant caller at the College, Thursday, October 16. He conducted the daily worship service and addressed the student body in Assembly Hall.

At Vespers, Sunday afternoon, November 2, Dr. Wilhelm Pauck, professor of church history at Chicago Theological Seminary, gave an address on "The Present Revival of Evangelical Theology in Germany and Its Significance to Us Today." Monday morning, November 3, when he addressed the students on "Martin Luther," a group of the down-

town ministers were present to hear him.

J. Boyd Cressman, '21, is continuing his graduate study at Yale University.

Four more alumni return to Goshen College this year to serve their Alma Mater on the instructional staff. S. A. Yoder, '28, M. A. (Harvard, 1929), is teaching English composition, speech, and prose and poetry of the romantic period. Lydia Shenk, M. A., (University of Pennsylvania), teaches French. Fyrne Miller, '30, has done graduate work at the University of Iowa and is teaching home economics. Mrs. Willard H. Smith (Verna Graber, '28), returns, with two more years experience in teaching and graduate work at the University of Iowa, to teach Latin.

C. L. Graber spent the first week of November in the Johnstown, Penna., district in the interest of the Endowment Campaign. Sunday, November 2, he participated in the communion service at the Stahl church. Friday and Saturday, November 7 and 8, he attended the missionary meeting sponsored by the Southwestern Pennsylvania District Mission Board. Sunday, November 9, he preached at Midway Church, Columbiana County, Ohio, and on Sunday evening at the Beech Church in Stark County.

In October, Professor Bender was called to Newton, Kansas, to attend a meeting of the Mennonite Central Relief Committee. November 7 and 8 he attended a meeting of the same committee in Philadelphia.

The literary societies are starting off with even more than their usual enthusiasm. The Vesperians report twenty-six back, thirteen added, a total of thirty-nine; the Avons, eleven back, twenty added, a total of thirty-one; Auroras, eighteen old and twelve new members; the Adelphians, twenty-five old and twenty new.

President Yoder has spent considerable time on the campus this summer in connection with the remodeling of Kulp Hall. Late in June and early in July, however, he made a business trip to Scottdale, Johnstown, Springs, and Belleville, Pennsylvania. He spent a few days calling on friends of the College in Hagerstown, Maryland, and in Lancaster, Adams, Bucks, and Montgomery Counties, Pennsylvania. In August, he was called to LaJunta, Colorado, for the meeting of the hospital board. Late in the same month he attended the Iowa-Nebraska Conference of which he is still a member. He served as moderator of the Conference. He conducted a book study of Colossians for the Indiana-Michigan Sunday School Conference and gave an address on Social Purity before that body. Late in June and again in the latter part of August he attended a meeting of the college accreditment committee, State Board of Education, Indianapolis, Indiana.

THE MENNONITE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MAKES IMPORTANT PURCHASE FROM THE JOHN F. FUNK ESTATE

H. S. Bender

Everyone acquainted with the history of the Mennonite Church in America during the period since the Civil War knows the very significant role played in that history by the late Bishop John F. Funk, who died at the ripe old age of ninety-four years in May, 1930, at his residence in Elkhart, Indiana. Alumni will be interested to learn that the Mennonite Historical Society of the College has acquired from the Funk estate all that has been preserved of the extensive correspondence and records of the former Mennonite Publishing Company, as well as all the private files of correspondence and manuscripts left by Bishop Funk. In addition to these invaluable manuscripts and records, the Society purchased a large number of books and pamphlets on Mennonite History as well as files of the publications printed at Elkhart, such as the *Herald of Truth*, the *Herold Der Wahrheit, Mennonitische Rundschau, Sunday School Lesson Helps, Words of Cheer, Jugendfreund,* and *Young People's Paper*. The greater part of Mr. Funk's extensive private library on Mennonite history had already been purchased by the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottdale, Pennsylvania, but a considerable number of valuable items were still to be found among the books left by Mr. Funk, and now secured by the College.

This large increase in the material in the Historical Library necessitated the purchase of additional bookcases, and three were consequently bought from the Funk Estate. An old business desk, formerly used by Mr. Funk in Chicago and later in Elkhart, was donated by the Estate to the College Museum. Because the Mennonite Historical Library now completely fills what was formerly Room 14 on the first floor of the Administration building and has become a large collection of unusual value for the study of Mennonite History, a fireproof building to house the collection as well as the regular college library is an imperative necessity.

The value of the collection was strikingly evidenced during the month of October by the visit of Dr. Emil Meynen, assistant to Geheimrat Dr. Penck, of the University of Berlin, Germany, who spent two weeks in research in the collection. Dr. Meynen is in America for two years as a Rockefeller Research Fellow. His theme is "The Cultural

Geography of the Pennsylvania-Germans". Dr. Meynen expects to publish two books as the result of his research in America, one a complete bibliography of the Pennsylvania-Germans, and one containing the fruit of his research in the geography of the Pennsylvania-Germans. Dr. Meynen found a great deal of valuable material in the Mennonite Historical Library.

WEDDING BELLS.

LeRoy Hostetler '29, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, and Ardis Jane Ebersole, ex '30, Elkhart, Indiana, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, September 3. They are at home at 2207 Pleasant Plain, Elkhart, Indiana.

At the home of the bride's father, J. Oliver Yoder, near West Liberty, Ohio, July 16, 1930, J. Forrest Kanagy '30, and Seba Ann Yoder were united in matrimony by Bishop S. E. Allgyer.—*Gospel Herald.* Mr. Kanagy holds a position in the office of the C. H. Musselman Canning Company, Biglerville, Penna.

On Saturday, May 31, occurred the wedding of Paul Kortemeier and Ruth Yoder, '27. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Kortemeier took an extended tour to the Pacific Coast, teaching vacation Bible School at Portland, Oregon, part of the time. They are now at home on a farm at Freeport, Illinois. Mr. Kortemeier, as many will recall, was at Goshen College for several of the Special Bible Terms.

Thursday, September 4, E. J. Camp, '28, of Roanoke, Illinois, and Lois Lapp, '30, of Dhamtari, C. P., India, were united in marriage. After a short trip through the East they returned to Goshen where Mr. Camp resumes his work as instructor in Mathematics.

The Rev. Jonas S. Hartzler, pastor of the Prairie Street Mennonite church at Elkhart, and Mrs. Catherine Bauers also of Elkhart, were married at six o'clock, July 14, by Bishop D. A. Yoder, R. R. 4, Elkhart, at the home of the officiating minister.—*Goshen News Times.*

John Hershberger of Grantsville, Md., and Hazel E. Kuhns of Wichita, Kansas, were united in marriage at the home of the bride July 10, 1930.—*Gospel Herald.* Mr. Hershberger, '28, employed in the U. S. Geodetic Survey at a handsome salary, is located at Tucson Magnetic Observatory, Tucson, Arizona.

Raymond Sommer, Ashley, Michigan, and Edna J. Cook, '28, South English, Iowa, were united in marriage November 1, 1930, at Manson, Iowa, by Nicholas Stoltzfus, officiating minister. Mr. Sommer has been steadily employed by General Motors at Flint and Lansing, Michigan.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Donald Bruce, born September 7, 1930, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Adin Miller (Mabel J. Metzler), '23, R. R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio.

Albert Allen, born September 12, 1930, to Walter Roupp, ex '29, and Mrs. Roupp (Bertha Shantz), '26, R. R. 1, Wichita, Kansas.

Lewis Jerould, born November 9, 1930, second son of Professor and Mrs. Glen R. Miller (Mary Pearl Klopfenstein, A. M., instructor in English, Goshen College, 1925-27), Goshen College Apartments, Goshen, Indiana.

Betty Anne, born November 10, 1930, first child of Delmar Hershberger, '27, and Mrs. Hershberger (Mary E. Martin), '29, 1612 Esther Place, S. E., Washington, D. C.

Margaret Earline, born October 24, 1930, second daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Earl Salzman, (Vinora Weaver, '14), Topeka, Indiana.

Donna Jean, born October 31, 1930, first child of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Pletcher, R. R. 4, Goshen, Indiana.

NECROLOGY.

Students and alumni were saddened by the death of Rev. Daniel Graber, September 24, at Noble, Iowa, aged minister, warm friend and supporter of the college. One of his sons, C. L. Graber, is Endowment custodian, and a daughter, Mrs. Willard Smith, is teaching in the college.

On October 11, Christian S. Yoder, father of President Sanford Calvin Yoder, quietly passed away at his home in Chappell, Nebraska, at the advanced age of seventy-seven. Always modest and unassuming, kindly and helpful, he died greatly beloved and highly respected by his fellow townsmen. Alumni sympathize with President Yoder in his bereavement.

The sympathy of all alumni goes out to Mrs. Enos Hartzler (Mrs. Lucinda Yoder Kropf), '03, Topeka, Indiana, whose husband died October 3.

On November 11, while engaged in construction work on a building near his home in Mississippi, John Brunk, father of Orvan Brunk, ex-'30, and Grace Brunk, '25, was fatally injured in a fall. The NEWS LETTER extends sympathy to the bereaved.

John Donald, five-months-old son of Glenn S. Kropf, '22, and Mrs. Kropf (Vera Schertz), '21, died October 2, of the flu, after a very brief illness. The Alumni Circle grieves with the bereaved parents at the loss of this unusually bright, promising baby.

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GOSHEN COLLEGE REUNION

On Sunday, August 24, the campus witnessed the largest August reunion yet held. Last year's committee, Professor J. M. Kurtz, Mrs. Alvin Shetler, and Mrs. C. J. Gerber, were re-elected. Professor Kurtz states that the next annual August reunion will be held on the last Saturday in August, 1931. Following is the list of alumni and friends present at the last reunion to enjoy a basket dinner and an afternoon of informal discussion of old times:

D. L. Miller, Fentress, Virginia; Walter E. Yoder, Washington, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, Dhamtari, C. P., India; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, Goshen; Rudy Senger, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lape, Bluffton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Whitmer, Bluffton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Unzicker, Elkhart; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver, R. R. 9, Box 97, Goshen; F. S. Ebersole and family, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Zook, Goshen; Esther Smucker, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hartzler, Topeka, Indiana; C. L. Shank, 123 Wise Street, North Canton, Ohio; I. R. Detweiler and family, 1223 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith, 216 Third Street, N. W., Canton, Ohio; Mrs. Erie Yoder, 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mrs. John Blosser, Goshen; Mrs. Elsie K. Bender, Goshen; Anna E. Yoder, 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hooley, Topeka, Indiana; Don E. Smucker, Bluffton, Ohio; Pauline Kropf, Topeka, Indiana; Florence Bender, Goshen; O. J. Yoder, Monroeville, Indiana; Mrs. E. J. Zook, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, 7550 Luella Avenue, Chicago; L. J. Martin, F. S. Martin and C. P. Martin, 1135 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Marion G. Schertz, Goshen; J. Milton Brunk, 101 College Avenue, Goshen; Silas Hertzler, 110 West Lafayette Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gerber, Wakarusa, Indiana; Mrs. Ruth E. Rasmussen, 199 Christiana Street, North Tonawanda, N. Y.; John Bender, R. 7, Box 5, Goshen; Richard Blosser, Goshen; Elizabeth Kurtz, 916 South Sixth Street, Goshen; Mrs. Chas. Shobe, 916 South Sixth Street, Goshen; Nora Hersberger, 617 South Main Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gerig, 1137 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Detweiler 1103 South Main Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hostetler, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Mrs. Cecil Brown, 1110 South Main Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, 804 Wilson Blvd., Mishawaka, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brunk, Chesterton, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Greenwalt, Sturgis, Mich., R. R. 1; Lester Hostetler, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wenger, R. R. 10, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nafziger, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lehman, Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio; Payson Miller, Wayland, Massachusetts; Elizabeth Yoder, 1308 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mrs. S. H. Plank, 1119 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smucker, Bluffton, Ohio; Mrs. John Plank and daughter, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Yoder, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. John Umble, Goshen; Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer, Middleburg, Ohio; W. C. Moyer, R. R. 6, Elkhart.

THE 1930 REGISTRATION

Present enrollment	219
College	203
Academy	14
Freshmen	58
Sophomores	49
Juniors	26
Seniors	29
Specials	16
Evening Classes	23
Classification by States:	
Indiana	107
Ohio	43
Pennsylvania	19
Illinois	15
Canada	9
Iowa	8
India	5
Michigan	3
Maryland	2
South Dakota, Colorado, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Tennessee, Virginia, Texas, and Germany, each	1
Classification according to Church affiliation:	
All Mennonites	147
General Conference	3
Amish	1
Methodist	15
Presbyterian	6
Reformed	6
Christian	3

Brethren	15
Evangelical	2
Lutheran	2
Roman Catholic	2
Society of Friends	1
Baptist	1
German Methodist	1
Jew	1
Non-church members	12
Not stated	5
Future Vocations:	
Teaching	104
Uncertain	63
Business	12
Foreign Missions	7
Ministry	4
Journalism	3
Medical Engineer	2
Medicine	2
Chemical Engineer	2
Electrical Engineer	2
Aviation	2
Law	2
Osteopathy	1
Woodworking	1
Dentistry	1
Average Age of Students:	
Freshmen	19
Sophomores	20
Juniors	24
Seniors	23
Academy	26

THE CLASS OF '30.

Academy.

Edna Amstutz, Orrville, Ohio; domestic service.

Mrs. James Edward Mouch, (Ilah Ruth Abshire).

Frances Christophel, R. R. 4, Goshen, Indiana; at home.

Joe Eckstadt, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama; student.

Selena Gamber, Kulp Hall, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana; student, Goshen College.

Viola Good, Mennonite Gospel Mission, 2174 Danforth Avenue, Toronto, Ontario; student, Toronto Bible School.

Mary Grabill, R. R. 6, Elkhart, Indiana; domestic service.

Elva Gunden, R. R. 9, Goshen, Indiana; student, Goshen College.

Hazel Smucker, R. R. 8, Goshen, Indiana; at home.

Dorothy Wenger, R. R. 10, Goshen, Indiana; at home.

Marguerite Yoder, 1139 South Eighth St., Goshen, Indiana; student, Goshen College, School of Business.

LaVerne Yoder, 1139 South Eighth St., Goshen, Indiana; student, Goshen College.

Ruby Yontz, R. R. 9, Goshen, Indiana; student, Goshen College.

College.

Gladys Honderich, Fairview, Michigan; High School teacher, home economics.

Adelia Hostetler, Nampa, Idaho; teacher, junior high school.

Lois Lapp, (Mrs. E. J. Camp), College Avenue, Goshen, Indiana; homemaker.

Ruth Miller, (Mrs. Howard Y. Musselman), Ortanna, Penna.; homemaker.

Wilbur Hostetler, R. R., Goshen, Indiana; elementary school teacher.

Bessie Moyer, Teachers College, Columbia University; graduate student.

Mabel Roth, c/o William Roth, South River, New Jersey; elementary school teacher, fourth grade.

Ada Thut, 161 North Clinton Street, Doylestown, Penna.; elementary school teacher.

Merle Wilson Tieszen, (Mrs. Dirk V. Tieszen), 421 Mapleton, Boulder, Colorado; high school teacher of physical education.

John E. Bender, R. R. 7, Goshen, Indiana; research student, cataloging and filing assistant in Mennonite Historical Library.

Alta Brenneman, Wellman, Iowa; high school teacher of Home Economics and director of chorus.

Harvey Driver, Sedalia, Missouri.

Allen Ebersole, 2207 Pleasant Plain, Elkhart, Indiana.

Murl Eldridge, R. R., Goshen, Indiana; registered for advanced courses in Goshen College.

LeRoy Ellis, 211 East Washington Street, Goshen, Indiana; pastor of First Baptist Church.

Joseph C. Fretz, Merritton, Ontario; supervising principal of schools Merritton, Ontario, and field-worker for the Ontario Mennonite Sunday School Conference.

Pauline Herr, R. R. 8, Lancaster, Penna.; at home.

Mark Hertzler, Coffman Hall, Goshen College; graduate student in chemistry, Goshen College, in preparation for U. S. Civil Service.

Mary Hess, Burdette, Kansas; high school teacher of English and music, director of choruses.

Forrest Kanagy, Biglerville, Penna.; in office of C. H. Musselman Canning Company.

Lester Litwiller, Morton, Illinois; engineering department of Caterpillar Tractor Company.

Harvey Postma, Nappanee, Indiana. elementary school teacher, Nappanee schools.

J. Edward Roupp, 1856 Woodland Ave., Wichita, Kansas; assistant to his father in construction work and contracting.

Mary Royer, Orrville, Ohio; at home.

Lela Schertz, 129 Andrew Place, West Lafayette, Indiana; graduate student, Purdue University, home economics.

Katie Smucker, Smithville, Ohio; elementary school teacher.

Leahbelle Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio; teacher of home economics and English, Salem Township High School

Silas Smucker, R. R. 8, Goshen, Indiana; retail clerk; preparing for U. S. Civil Service.

Hazel Stauffer, 460 North George Street, Millersville, Penna.; at home.

Joanna Sudermann, 1237 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana.

Edwin Weaver, Hesston, Kansas; farmer.

Mrs. Maude Cripe Webb, 315 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; departmental teacher, Chandler school.

Martha Yoder, Tucson, Arizona; teaching in Tucson public schools.

PERSONALS

Melvin Gingerich, '26, at the end of the summer received his M. A. degree at the University of Iowa. His thesis on *The Amish Mennonites of Johnson County, Iowa,* pleased the University authorities so well that the Iowa Historical Society has offered to pay all his expenses in collecting and publishing all available material on the subject.

G. H. Rutt, '05, is engaged in business in Chicago. His address is 193 Lincoln Avenue, 403 Linden Apartment, Chicago Illinois.

Professor H. S. Bender has recently been called upon to give a number of addresses in Goshen and vicinity on "The Present Situation in Russia." The address is based on his observations and experiences during a seven months term of service in relief work in Germany on behalf of the Russian Mennonite refugees, as agent of the Mennonite Central Committee. Professor Bender addressed the Rotary Club of Warsaw, Indiana, on October 10, the Rotary Club of Goshen on October 17, and the Lions Club of Elkhart, Indiana, on November 5. On Wednesday, October 27, he gave a Chapel Address at the College on the same subject, and on Sunday afternoon, November 30, he will speak at the regular monthly Vesper service at the College.

J. R. Allgyer, '15, has been selected as secretary-treasurer of the Ohio Livestock Cooperative Association to succeed R. Q. Smith who is the new manager of the Cincinnati Producers. He has been directly connected with cooperative livestock marketing and general farm organization work since 1923. The new secretary-treasurer of the Buckeye organization will succeed to a directorship of the Producers livestock commission firms at Cleveland, Buffalo and Cincinnati and to the secretary-ship of the Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Columbus Producers organizations. —*The Hoosier Farmer.*

All Goshen College Alumni will be pleased to hear that Professor D. A. Lehman is enjoying his work at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado. "During the summer," he writes, "I took regular studies, working eight or nine hours a day; and besides, read through such interesting books as Claude Bowers' *Jefferson and Hamilton,* . . . Smails' *Mathematics of Finance,* and part of Bossett's *Life of Andrew Jackson,* etc." Professor Lehman has been granted a year's leave of absence from Goshen College to pursue his work at the University of Colorado. We look forward to his return with anticipation.—*Goshen College Record.*

During the past summer, S. P. Unzicker, '23, vice-principal of Roosevelt Junior High School, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, was in residence at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kolb have moved to Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.

Rev. Frank Hartman, ex '01, now of New Richmond, Ohio, has been elected president of the Poets' Union, seventy-five members, and is a regular contributor to the poets' section of the *Cincinnati Times Star.*

Margaret Anderson, '22, is teaching commercial subjects in Lake View High School, Sheridan Road, North Side, Chicago.

Dr. L. E. Blauch, professor of education in the North Carolina College for Women, has been granted a leave of absence for one year to join the staff which is surveying the educational institutions of the Methodist Episcopal Church.—*School and Society.*

Florence Bender, '22, 1800 East 105th Street, Cleveland, Ohio, is taking up nurse's training at Mt. Sinai Hospital.

Mrs. S. W. Witmer, '14, is slowly convalescing after a serious operation at Mayo Brothers Hospital, Rochester, Minnesota.

During October, Dr. John E. Hartzler, '11, president of Witmarsum Theological Seminary, Bluffton, Ohio, spent a week in Goshen as one of the instructors in the special Religious Education School held under the auspices of some of the downtown churches.

Mrs. Fannie Rupp Zook, '12, continues to reside at her pretty country home on R. R. 2, Copley, Ohio, and teaches in the Akron public schools. Her mother is living with her.

Arthur L. Gilliom, '10, former attorney-general of Indiana, is legal counsel for the Indiana State Republican Committee. He is very busy right now looking after the various close contests and consequent recounts resulting from the recent Democratic landslide.

Jonathan Yoder continues his work at Indiana Medical. His address is Central Y. M. C. A., Indianapolis, Indiana.

At the beginning of the 1930-31 school year, J. M. Kurtz, '01, received a well-deserved promotion when he was elected head of the department of chemistry in Bowen high school, Chicago.

M. C. Lehman, '14, missionary on furlough from India is in residence at Yale University. Mrs. Lehman (Lydia Liechty) '05, and the children are in Goshen. Irene and Carolyn are students in the College; Waldo attends Goshen City High School. Carolyn is writing a series of articles for the *Youths' Christian Companion* published at Scottdale, Penna. Monday evening, November 10, Waldo was invited to speak before the Hi Y Club of Goshen High School and delivered a very interesting and instructive address on "School Life in India."

Walter Oswald, '21, is teaching ancient history in a Youngstown junior high school. He attends Sunday school and church services at Midway and North Lima where his active participation is greatly appreciated.

I. W. Royer, '00, returning from a six weeks' trip through the Canadian Northwest and the Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast states in his work as general secretary of the General Sunday School Committee of the Mennonite Church, stopped at the College for a few days early in November. He led chapel Wednesday, November 5.

J. B. Brunk, '11, is enjoying his work as principal of the Winchester Academy (Church of God), Winchester, Kentucky. His teaching force numbers ten well-trained, congenial instructors, and the student body, one hundred fifty.

Lillie S. Shenk, '20, 2137 College Avenue, Philadelphia, Penna., received the M. D. degree from Womans Medical College, Philadelphia, in June. On July 1, she began a year's work as interne in Womans College Hospital.

Dr. Glen R. Miller, head of the department of physical sciences, attended the meeting of the St. Joseph Valley Section of the American Chemical Society at Notre Dame University, Wednesday evening, October 22, 1930. Tuesday evening, Nov. 3, he addressed the Goshen High School Chemistry Club on "Helium."

Professor G. H. Enss, pursuing graduate studies at Louisville, Kentucky, has been transferred to the University of Chicago. He spends week-ends at home and teaches a course in philosophy on Saturday and Monday. On recent Sundays he has preached three stirring sermons centering around the truths of the Apostles Creed. The subject of his dissertation is, "The Theology of Crisis and Modern American Religious Thought; a Critical Analysis of Underlying Principles."

Amelia Bergey, (Mrs. Menno Nahrgang), '01, was re-elected president of the Ontario Sewing Circles at the annual meeting in September.

Mrs. N. E. Byers (Emma LeFevre, '99), Bluffton, Ohio, is spending the winter in England, while her husband is studying in Oxford University.

Dr. Silas Hertzler attended the annual convention of the North Central Indiana Teachers' Association at South Bend, Friday, October 10, and of the Indiana State Teachers' Association at Indianapolis, Friday, October 17.

Grace Brunk, Academy '25, Esther Widmer, Academy '26, and Dora Shantz, '26 completed the nurses' training course at the Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium, LaJunta, Colorado, in June. Miss Brunk is registered at the Elkhart General Hospital, Miss Widmer is following her profession in LaJunta, and Miss Shantz is spending a few months at her home near Elkhart.

C. L. Graber, to whom is due much of the credit for the recent interest in endowment for Goshen and Hesston Colleges, was elected endowment custodian at the meeting of the Mennonite board of education in June. His office, recently established at 1711 South Prairie Street, Elkhart, Indiana, will be financial headquarters for the Mennonite board of education and also for endowment investment of all Goshen and Hesston College endowments. Some of his speaking dates since the last issue of the BULLETIN follow:

August 6-10 Scottdale, Pennsylvania, Young Peoples' Institute; peace address and book study of Philippians.

August 17 Wayland, Iowa. Regular preaching appointments, morning and evening.

September 4 Kitchener, Ontario, Young Peoples' Institute; peace address.

Kitchener, Ontario, address to Ontario Sunday School Conference.

Dean Oyer has spent a busy summer. Following are the most important dates on his schedule:

June 18 to August 15, school work in New York

Sunday, August 17, preached in Blooming Glen Church, Penna.

August 21 to 25, Young Peoples Institute, Goshen, Indiana

August 27 to 28, Bible Conference instructor, Fairview, Michigan

September 2 to 6, Young Peoples Institute, Kitchener, Ontario

September 7, preached Latschar Church, Ontario

Preached Vineland Church, Ontario

October 5, preached, Mennonite Church, Fisher, Illinois

October 25, attended Conference on Educational Guidance, Northwestern University

November 7, 8, business trip to Indiana University at Bloomington and State office at Indianapolis.

Goshen College Alumni Association

Treasurer's Office

First Old State Bank
Elkhart, Indiana,
December 1, 1930.

Dear Alumnus:

In regard to an overdraft in the treasury of $88.50 and the financing of the NEWS LETTER for the year 1930-1931.

Last spring we sent out letters to all the members of the Alumni Association asking them to pay their annual dues of one dollar. The response was very generous. However, the sum collected was only sufficient to pay general expenses, the printing of the NEWS LETTER, and part of the cost of the *Alumni Directory*.

When the *Directory* was ready to go to press we were aware that we did not have sufficient money to pay for the printing. The matter was discussed by members of the Board of Directors, and we decided that we did not dare disappoint the Alumni after promising them the *Directory*. We also had faith in the members of the Association. We believed each member would respond liberally with this year's dues when he was informed that there was an overdraft in the treasury.

We have approached you in this manner rather than by a personal letter. We did this, not because we thought the matter less important than last year, but because we desired to save the cost of personal letters, a sum amounting to about forty dollars. We believed this sum could be better spent on the NEWS LETTER. Our hope is that this procedure will not tempt you to forget, but will prompt you to act immediately and thus assure for you and your alumni friends the best in alumni news for the year.

In order that this overdraft may be paid, in order that the succeeding numbers of the NEWS LETTER may be properly financed, we beseech every member to sit down immediately and write us a letter enclosing one dollar for this year's membership dues. May we proceed assured that you will not lay this request aside or forget this matter until you have sent us your dues?

Yours fraternally,

C. P. Martin, Treasurer.

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THE EDITOR'S GRUMBLE

The officers feel grateful for the many hearty expressions of praise and commendation for the **Directory** and the December **News Letter,** but are just a trifle disappointed at the response to the Treasurer's appeal for funds. One alumnus, a business man who sent in his dues promptly, says that he thinks the alumni are really willing to support the publication program of the Association, but they do not realize that it costs money to urge alumni to pay up.

We do not doubt the good intentions of those who failed to send in their dues. We remember an old proverb, however, which states that **the road to** a certain universally unsought destination **is paved with good intentions.** Come now! you don't really want to see the **Alumni News Letter** on that road, do you? If you got a dollar's worth of fun out of hunting up your old friends in the **Directory,** sit down right now and send the Treasurer your annual dues for at least one year. Good intentions are fine, but they simply can't compete with hard cash in defraying the cost of paper and printer's ink.

Calls are coming in for extra copies of the **Directory.** A limited number may be had of the Secretary for one dollar each. Money so received is placed in the general fund of the Association.

COMMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Saturday, June 6, 8:00 p. m—College Choruses.

Sunday, June 7, 2:00 p. m.—Missionary Program.

8:00 p. m.—Baccalaureate Service, President Sanford Calvin Yoder.

Monday, June 8, 7:00 p. m.—Class Exercises on Campus.

8:00 p. m.—Senior Class Program.

Tuesday, June 9, 10:00 a. m.—Literary Society Reunions.

6:00 p. m.—Alumni Reunion and Banquet.

Wednesday, June 10, 10:00 a. m.—Oyer Memorial Service and Final Chapel Exercise.

8:00 p. m.—Commencement Program. Address by President J. Oliver Buswell. Wheaton College.

All exercises scheduled on E. S. T. (Daylight Saving). Admission on Monday and Wednesday evening is by ticket.

THE CLASS REUNIONS

We had hoped to have a little more definite information about the prospects for each five-year class reunion. So far the TwentyOnes seem to be showing the most interest—or it may be that, because they are a larger class, the number of inquiries they are sending in makes it appear that their interest is greater. At all events it seems practically certain now that they will have one of the largest and most successful reunions of any of the five-year classes this year. Even in off years Nought-One usually manages a fifty percent attendance. Half of them live right here in Elkhart county. The Naught-Sixes, on the other hand, are widely scattered, but this is your quarter-century reunion. Come by all means this year! If you cant be here in person, write or send a telegram to your classmates in care of the Secretary, Dr. Silas Hertzler. Some of the Elevens have already written expressing regret that they can not be present for their twentieth anniversary, but promising to stop here for the August reunion on the College campus. Indications are that nearly half the class will be present in June. Like the Naught-Sixes, the Sixteens are widely scattered, but the class has among its members some of the most loyal alumni and a larger number than usual promise to be present. The Twenty-Sixes usually turn out well and their first five year reunion should bring together practically the entire class.

Remember one thing! You won't be asked for money, you wont be solicited to pledge any, you wont even be asked to make a speech. But, if you have something you really wish to say, you will have an opportunity to do so.

If you have not been here for several years, you will be surprised and pleased at the beauty of the campus, the comfort of the dormitories, the improved appearance of East Hall (now the Goshen College apartments) and the bright, intelligent faces of the present generation of Goshen College undergraduates.

The alumni office regrets that errors crept into the **Directory.** Clerical help is only human, so are the editors, "so's your old man." With the co-operation of alumni and friends we hope to keep the alumni files up-to-date henceforth.

CAMPUS NOTES

The total enrollment for 1930-31 is 241 as compared with 269 in 1929-30. The decrease of thirty students in the academy accounts for the decline. The college department has two more than last year. The present senior class has thirty, to thirty-four in 1930. There is a larger number of special and evening students than last year. Hence the number of regular full-time students in the College is slightly lower than during 1929-30.

The Lecture Course Committee headed by Professer S. W. Witmer presented a program of outstanding merit this year. The course consisted of the following numbers:

Oct. 17, Rollin Pease, lecture-recital.
Nov. 28. Welsh Imperial Singers, directed by R. Festyn Davies.
Jan. 20. Lew Sarett, poet-lecturer.
Feb. 9. Elliot James, liquid air demonstration.
Mar. 10, Anne Frierson, lecture-recital, "The Gullah Negro."

At a recent meeting the Lecture Board decided to purchase talent from the Redpath Bureau for the 1931-32 season. The course includes such well-known speakers as Opie Read and Maud Ballington Booth.

In the intra-mural debate contests this year, the juniors won the junior-senior debate on the question: Resolved, that in case of war with another country the United States should use only conscripted wealth for carrying on the war. The sophomores won the freshman-sophomore tilt on: Resolved that instalment buying of consumption goods should be condemned. Four inter-collegiate debates were scheduled, dual debates with Taylor University and Wheaton College. The affirmative won and the negative lost in the debates with Taylor, and the affirmative made an excellent showing against Wheaton in a non-decision contest. The second debate with Wheaton was called off on account of illness of members of the Wheaton team. The question used in the inter-collegiate contests was the one debated in the intra-mural contest between the juniors and seniors.

Goshen College has been active in the cause of peace from the beginning. In 1928 a peace committee headed by Professor Guy F. Hershberger was organized to cooperate with the Mennonite general conference official peace committee. The local committee has been arranging peace lectures and supporting the local peace oratorical contest and similar activities. This year the offical church committee, of which Bishop E L. Frey is chairman, arranged for a number of peace programs in the churches of Indiana and Illinois to be given by groups of students under the direction of Professor Hershberger. The deputation has visited Flanagan, Roanoke, and Metamora in Illinois and Nappanee, Topeka and Elkhart in Indiana.

The College Sunday school is sponsoring two extension Sunday schools in east and north Goshen. The East Goshen school, in charge of Professor U. Grant Weaber, meets in the remodeled two room school house in East Goshen. The other, in charge of Professor Samuel A. Yoder, meets in a large dwelling house 127 Crescent Street, rented temporarily for this purpose. The schools have already brought the beginnings of spiritual awakening to both sections. The visitation and relief work carried on by students under the leadership and direction of Freeman Gingerich and Ezra Beachy has been a large factor in awakening and maintaining interest.

Twenty-one students enrolled in the special Bible term of six weeks beginning January 6. Bishops D. D. Miller and D. A. Yoder served as special instructors. In the annual minister's week held the last week of the special term the principal speakers were: I. W. Royer, Edwin Yoder, Milo Kauffman, H. S. Bender, and Bishops O. N. Johns, Simon Gingerich, and C. F. Derstine. The usual large attendance and interest prevailed during the annual Christian Life Conference which began on Friday evening at the close of minister's week. On that evening Dr. Jasper A. Huffman delivered his illustrated lecture on Palestine. The remaing four sessions were on the themes: the life of holiness; the life of power; the heights of Christian living; and the outreach of Christian life. The moderator was Bishop Albert J. Steiner, '00, and the principal out-of-town speakers: Gilbert Johnstone, Milo Kauffman, and Bishop S. M. Kanagy of Chicago: Jesse B. Martin and Bishop C. F. Derstine of Ontario: M. A. Yoder, '27, of Hesston; and A. C. Good, Sterling, Illinois.

The new Y. P. C. A. heads, elected in April, are James Steiner, North Lima, Ohio, and Alta Housour, Elkhart.

The Faculty has been observing the following schedule of meetings: first Monday evening of the month, the Faculty Research Club; second Monday, six o'clock dinner for faculty members and wives at the College dining hall, followed by prepared addresses and discussion of the educational, religious, and social work and life of the College; third Monday, monthly business meeting. One of the most interesting papers read in the research club during the present year was Professor Witmer's "Some Result

f Bird-Banding," a summary of five ear's study of the migratory, feeding nd homing habits of the birds on the ampus, in Shoup's woods, along the ace, and in the marsh west of the race.

In April the executive committee of he Mennonite Board of Education met t Elkhart to fill the position left vacant y the passing of Dean Oyer who had een reelected for one year just a few ays before his death. The committee ecided to divide his work among several f the present members of the Faculty uring the period of his unexpired term. rofessor Bender,'18, head of the depart- ient of Church history, was appointed cting dean of the College and head of he Bible department. As acting dean f the College he will have charge of ertain phases of the educational work f the institution. The disciplinary func- ions of the dean's office have been vest- d in the President. To assist him the ommittee created a new office, dean of en. and appointed Professor Hersh- erger. head of the history department, o that position.

The College recently organized a lacement service for students and lumni under the able direction of Dr. Hertzler, registrar and head of the de- artment of education.

During the month of March, President Yoder spent some time among the con- regations and institutions in the West ooking after Educational and Mission nterests. Among the institutions visit- d was the Kansas City Mission, the Men- onite Hospital at LaJunta, Colorado, Hesston College and the congregation at Hydro, Oklahoma, where the Mission Boa rd of which he is Secretary has ex- ensive real estate holdings. President Yoder is also a member of the Local Board of the Hospital at LaJunta. On April 19 he and Mrs. Yoder drove to West Liberty, Ohio, where he filled an ppointment at the South Union Church he folowing morning and was one of the peakers at the Esch Memorial service n the afternoon of the same day. Dur- ng the week of April 29 to May 5, President Yoder attended the Annual Meeting of the Mennonite Board of Mis- ions and Charities at Wellman, Iowa.

Does the following from the **Goshen Daily News Times** for March 7, 1906 ecently reprinted in its column "Hap- enings of Twenty-Five Years Ago," emind you of the good old days at Goshen?

The students of Goshen College held a mass meeting this afternoon and started a movement to raise a fund of $25,000 for a much needed new dormitory for the college. President Byers named the following committee: J. Frank Eberle, L. C. Schertz, Beula Kauffman, Maud Warye, B. A. Hauder, H. L. Rickert and P. A. Hauder.

WEDDING BELLS

Stemen—Frank

During the Christmas holiday season the **Goshen Daily News-Times** carried the following item concerning the marriage of Robert Stemen, '20:

The marriage of Miss Marguerite Frank of Kendallville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank of Wawaka (Indiana), and Robert Stemen of Kendallville took place yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stemen on Wilson Avenue. The Rev. Fred Hill, of Pierceton, brother-in-law of the bride, read the impressive ceremony. Mrs. Stemen played the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bridal party took their places before an improvised altar of Yuletide greens and baskets of roses and lilies. . . .

The bride was accompanied by her sister, Miss Lucille Frank of Wawasee, and the groom had as his attendant his brother, Clifford Stemen of Chicago.

After the ceremony the couple left on a wedding trip to Florida to be gone a month. On their return they will reside in Kendallville where Mr. Stemen operates a restaurant. His bride has been engaged as a beauty parlor operator in Kendallville.

Stoltzfus—Guengerich

On February 1, 1931, Edna Guengerich, Academy ex-'30, was married to Aaron F. Stoltzfus at the home of her parents near Wellman, Iowa, by Bishop Sanford C .Yoder, Goshen, Indiana.

Kauffman—Johns
Wyse—Johns

On March 15, 1931, at the Clinton Frame Church, Vesta Valeria Johns, '26 Route 10, Goshen, Indiana, was married to Niles Kauffman, industrious young farmer of Clarksville, Michigan. At the same time and place her sister, Miriam, was married to Lester Wyse, employed by the Brown Lumber Company, Midland, Michigan. Preceding the ceremony, Ira S. Johns, the brides' father preached the sermon, and the ceremony was performed by Bishop D. J. Johns, grandfather of the brides. Bishop Johns was one of the founders of the Elkhart Institute. Ira S. Johns and Mrs. Johns (Elizabeth Rickert, ex-'01) were early students at the Institute.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Marjorie Ann, born July 13, 1930, daughter of David Elban Lehman, '18, and Mrs. Lehman, 3006 Rush Blvd, Youngstown, Ohio.

John Sebastian, born November 29, 1930, eldest son, second child, of Dr. Orie Benjamin Gerig, '17, and Mrs. Gerig, 24 Henri Mussard, Geneva, Switzerland.

Ruth Charlotte, born January 14, third child of Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, and Mrs. Hertzler, 110 West Lafayette Street, Goshen.

Betty Anne, born December 24, 1930, first child of Professor Arthur L. Sprunger, '22, and Mrs. Sprunger (Cordelia Riesen, '21), 213 Cottage Avenue, Goshen.

Joan Helen, born January 3, second child of Arthur Beck, '18, and Mrs. Beck, 1501 South Eighth Street, Goshen.

Marion Ozias, born January 26, first child of Elvin Valores Snyder, '27, and Mrs. Snyder (Mary Fretz, ex-'28), Pejuaho, F. C. O., Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Laverne, born December 14, 1930, first child of Milton Vogt, '27, and Mrs. Vogt, Dhamtari, C. P., India.

David Ray, born March 31, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Howard K. Sigrist (Wilma Welty, '28), Nappanee, Indiana.

The following two are cousins, born on the same night, January 21, 1931, and their parents were married at a double wedding about three years ago in the Congregational church at Elkhart.

Rachel Ann, born at the Sparrow hospital, Lansing, Michigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stutzman (Berdine Thornton, '22), Charlotte, Michigan.

Patricia Elizabeth, born at Elkhart, daughter of Ernest E. Thornton, '29, and Mrs. Thornton (Violet Karch, Middlebury).

NECROLOGY

Noah Oyer, dean of Goshen College, died February 25 at his home in Parkside, in his thirty-ninth year and was buried in the Mennonite cemetery south of Elkhart on Saturday, February 28. His illness, at first diagnosed as a mild case of typhoid fever, developed complications, and several times when he seemed on the verge of recovery, he suffered relapse. On one of these occasions he quietly and somewhat unexpectedly passed away. He had been dean of the College for seven years and pastor of the College congregation for nearly the same period. He was chairman of the general Sunday school committee of the Mennonite Church, and a member of the Young Peoples' topics and of the Young Peoples' problems committees. Since his coming to Goshen he had won the respect and confidence of standardizing and accrediting officials of Indiana and surrounding states to such a marked degree that his passing is a serious loss to the College. His fine Christian character and practical Christian life and example had greatly endeared him to the students and to his associates. During the past few years he has utilized every opportunity to expand his intellectual and spiritual horizon and to acquaint himself with current trends in educational administration and practice. His wife and three small children expect to continue to reside in Goshen at 1424 South Eighth Street in the home Dean Oyer purchased when he and his family moved to this city. Mrs. Oyer's sister, Miss Mayme King, of West Liberty, Ohio, is living with them.

Dr. Christian David Esch, M. D., Academy '05, Commercial '06, and A. B. '20, died of apoplexy on the India mission field and was buried in Dhamtari, C. P., India, on Saturday, February 21, 1931. His work as a missionary and physician is widely known, the British government having decorated him in recognition of his work among the lepers. His son and daughter, David and Sarah, are sophomores in the College. On Sunday afternoon, April 19, 1931, an impressive memorial service was held in remembrance of Dr. Esch at the Oak Grove Church, West Liberty, Ohio, where he was a member before his call to India. His wife and children contemplate moving to Goshen this spring.

Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Bessie A. Landis, 02) fell peacefully asleep at her residence, 1137 South Eighth Street, on Wednesday evening, April 15, 1931, aged fifty-two years. She had been convalescing satisfactorily from an attack of influenza. The immediate cause of her death was organic heart weakness from which she had been for many years a patient sufferer. Burial was made in Violet cemetery on Saturday morning from the residence. The services were in charge of Rev. A. E. Kreider, '15, Bluffton, Ohio, assisted at the house by Bishop Sanford C. Yoder and at the cemetery by Rev. P. E. Whitmer, '05, Bluffton, Ohio. The perfect balance which Mrs. Gerig was able to maintain between dignified reserve and open-hearted friendliness gave her personality a charm which endeared her to a large circle of friends. Many relatives and friends were in attendance from Iowa and Illinois, and from Wayne and Allen counties, Ohio. Her husband is one of the most popular and efficient instructors in Goshen High school. Their son, Dan S. Jr., is a candidate for the degree of doctor of philosopy and an assistant in economics at the University of Wisconsin. Their daughter, Alice is a junior in Bluffton College where she was recently elected vice president of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Gerig's mother, Mrs. Sabina Ebersole Landis, also survives her.

The college community was saddened to learn of the death of the wife of Professor Ira Stoner Franck, former instructor in English in Goshen College and at present a graduate student in the University of Virginia. Interment was made from the residence of Amos N. Risser, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, April 22, 1931.

PERSONALS

e **Directory** unintentionally omitted nedical degrees of Wellington K. os, '99. He is now entitled to write D. O. and M. D. He is a practicing cian and surgeon at 3543 South d Avenue. St. Louis, Missouri.

vid Levy, '99, is a member of the Levy Bros. at Dunkirk, Indiana.

s. John Reed (Lettie Cripe, '04) s her address R. F. D., Elkhart, na.

J. Rutt, '04, continues his success- areer as secretary and educational tor at Central Y. M. C. A., Balti , Maryland.

s. L. C. Schertz, (Ellen Schertz, of Roanoke, Ill'nois, attended the al of Mrs. D. S. Gerig, in Goshen, 18.

on, son of Elva Greenwalt, '08, and Greenwalt, (Carrie Plank, '09) uates from Goshen (Indiana) High l in May.

e complete address of Mrs. Menno etler (Mabelle Yoder '09) is 229 h Hydraulic Street, Wichita, Kan-

roy Scoles, '09, is with the Rand ally Co., Indianapolis, Indiana.

s. Harry Snyder (Elizabeth Hauch, of the People's Store, Estacada, on, is one of those alumnae who it with cash" when she expresses nterest in, and loyalty to, the Alumni iation. Such generosity is encour- to the officers and directors.

and Mrs. Samuel O. Nafziger, '09, South Shore Drive, Chicago, Illinois been spending recent months in Go-

rles Edward Suntheimer, '10, has i to 2344 College Avenue, Indian- Indiana, in which city he contin- is work as elementary school prin-

rles D. Yoder, '10, has been trans- from Dayton, Ohio, to Johnson Tennessee.

secretary's office regrets a clerical in the case of Alfred R. Walker, Mr. Walker formerly general fore- in charge of multiple unit equip- f the Illinois Central System, Chi- was appointed on January 16 to d the late B. T. Goddard as electri- gineer, equipment, with office in o.

J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook, '01) alnut Avenue, Scottdale, Pennsyl- is president of the Women's Mis- Committee, a nation-wide or- ion under the Mennonite General ence.

Ruth E. Rasmussen (Ruth R. le, '11) 199 Christiana Street, Tonawanda, New York, in sending dues writes appreciatively of the ry.

Samuel Burkhard, '11, Professor of Education, State Normal School, Tempe, Arizona, expects to be present at the August reunion.

On account of illness, Mrs. Jay J. Smoker (Mary F. Landis, '12) 209 West Prospect Street, Marquette, Michigan, was unable to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. D. S. Gerig.

Charles B. Shoemaker, '12, continues his work with the Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, Pennsylvania, as manager of the book department.

Dr. Walter E. Gordon, '12, is professor of education in Brennan College, Gainesville, Georgia.

The **Directory** omitted to credit Mrs. William L. Jones (Luella M. Reed, '13) Madison, Kansas, with a degree in Bachelor of Science (University of Washington, 1919).

The **Directory** failed to give proper credit to two other fair members of the class of '13. Vinetta M. Garber is now Mrs. C. V. Coffman, Shipshewana, Indiana, and Bertha McCann is Mrs. Seth Rodebaugh, Grand Hotel, Syracuse, Ind.

The energetic Brunk brothers, Clifford F. Brunk, M. D., '15, and Walter C. Brunk, D. D. S., Academy, '15, and B. A., '21, recently moved into a new, strictly modern, five-story hospital building at 7815 East Jefferson Boulevard, Detroit. They have associated with them a complete staff of physicians, surgeons and dental specialists. Alumni and friends will understand without being told, that the latch string is always out. If business or pleasure (or fallen arches or a recalcitrant or superannuated molar) take you to Detroit, be sure to give the boys a call.

The address of Mrs. Ervin Yoder (Hannah E. Reed, '15) is now 6707 Benson Street, Huntington Park, California.

Columbus This Week, issue of March 1, 1931, in nominating for its Hall of Fame, J. Roy Allgyer, '15, Secretary-Manager of the Ohio Livestock Co-operative Association, has the following to say of his service to the farmers:

> Few men who have given their lives to the advancement of the farmer are better known or liked than the head of Ohio's largest farm co-operative. Mr. Allgyer has grown into the heart of rural Ohio via the route of vocational agriculture teacher, county agent, live stock field representative, membership worker for the Farm Bureau and as head of the Organization and Membership Department of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation. The co-operative he now heads markets live stock valued at approximately $15,000,000 annually for its 60,000 members.

Mrs. Homer C. Blough (Kathryn Speigle, Academy, '16), Route 4, Johnstown, Pennsylvania, hopes to attend the reunion of the class of '21, at Goshen, in June. Mrs. Blough spent all but her last two years at Goshen College, but received her baccalaureate degree at Ohio Northern University, Ada, Ohio, in 1921.

Walter E. Oswald, '15 and '21, continues his high school work in Youngstown, Ohio. His new address is Bear's Den Road, R. F. D. 2, Youngstown, Ohio.

The **Directory** incorrectly gave the address of Nellie Kauffman as Middlebury, Indiana. It should read N. Elizabeth Kauffman, 2630 Haste Street, Berkeley, California.

Dr. Orie Benjamin Gerig, '17, recently attended a meeting at London of a sub-committee of the League Council which dealt with the suppression of slavery in Liberia. His assignment consisted in aiding the American representative in the required information and documentation, and in handling the publicity on the meeting. The sessions of the committee were presided over by Viscount Cecil.

Russel A. Lantz, '18, is meeting with marked success as professor of music at Bluffton College. His men's glee club rendered an excellent program at Eighth Street Mennonite Church, Sunday evening, April 12.

Dr. Charles O. Hershey, '14, enjoys a growing practice at 4123 North Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Nellie A. Yoder, '16, has accepted a new position as teacher at Blythe, California.

Mrs. J. S. Duffus (Gola Yoder, '18) has removed to Saginaw, Michigan.

Raymond L. Hartzler, '18, continues his successful pastorate at Carlock, Illinois.

A. S. Ebersole, '22, is head of voice and public school Music Departments at Heidelberg College, Tiffin, Ohio. His men's glee club rendered a very pleasing program at the Reformed Church in Goshen, in April.

J. Boyd Cressman, '21, absent from the College on two years leave for graduate study at Yale University, discontinued his residence at Yale in January on account of ill health.

David Elban Lehman, '18, has charge of the Pupil Personnel of Youngstown City Schools.

Jesse N. Smucker, '18, will complete his work for the B. D. degree at Hartford Theological Seminary in June.

Alvin R. Yordy, '22, is superintendent of schools at Zook, Kansas.

Mary Hess, '30, teaches English, music and history in the high school at Berdette, Kansas.

Clell E. Firestone, '19, mayor of Goshen, is giving the city a clean, business-like administration.

In January, Hazel E. Stauffer, '30, completed her work at Millersville State Teacher's College, Millersville, Pennsylvania, for the elementary teacher's certificate in that state.

Mrs. H. E. Becknell (Bernice Lehman '18), is another of the faithful Alumn who expect to be back for commencemen in June. Since returning to the State she and her husband have been attend ing Columbia University. Their presen address is 88 Morningside Drive, New York City.

The new address of Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer (Esther Burkhard, '20) is Middleburg, Ohio, where Mr. Bauer is a high school instructor.

Dr. Harry F. Weber, 20, has transferred from Albright College to State Teachers College, Lockhaven, Pennsylvania.

Wallace M. Evans, '22. 829 East North Street, Appleton, Wisconsin, is assistant professor of business administration in Lawrence College.

Ray S. Lantz, '22, 307 West Jefferson Street, Columbia City, Indiana, is principal of the Union township schools at Coesse, Indiana.

The correct address of Roy C. Stutzman, '23, is 346 West Calhoun Street Macomb, Illinois.

The **Directory** gave John Thut's home address. His business address is 5006 North Ashland Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wyse (Clara E Diller, '23) are now at home at Elida Ohio.

Ira Eigsti, '23, spent a number of days on the campus during February in connection with the meeting of a committee functioning under the Mennonite General Conference.

Delmar Hershberger, '27, has been promoted to the position of assistant physicist. He began work at the Signal Corps Laboratory, Ocean Post, New Jersey, in April. Mrs. Hershberger (Mary E. Martin, '29) and Betty Anne are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin on Gra-Roy Drive.

Edwin L. Weaver, '26, enjoys his work as instructor in Latin and German in Washington Junior High, West Allis Wisconsin. Edwin is another of those loyal alumni who "say it with cash." When he visited the campus during Easter vacation, Business Manager Martin smiled the smile that signals "cash in hand."

Dr. Lloyd E. Blauch,' 16, has a year's leave of absence from the North Carolina College for Women to assist on the survey of Methodist colleges and universities which is being carried on under the auspices of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal church. His address is: Board of Education of the M. E. Church, 740 Rush Street (Room 503), Chicago, Illinois.

W. Harvey Ebersole, '14, continues his work as high school teacher at Newton Kansas.

Tillman H. Erb, '27, principal of the high school at Swink, Colorado, has re

umed his school duties after a serious, ut successful operation for tumor at the ase of the spine.

Harve Driver, '30, supplied for Till- nan Erb during the latter's illness.

L. Wallace Miller, '27, teaches in the epartment of botany of the University f Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Paul Horsch, '29, is radio announcer t certain intervals from a station in 'ittsburg.

Mrs. Cecil Brown (Gertrude Bon- rager, '18), 1110 South Main Street, Goshen, and Melvin Gingerich, 412 South Fourth Street, Washington, Iowa, were tied for first place in their prompt esponse to the Treasurer's solicitation n the December **News Letter.**

Maud Miller, '22, is dietician for the Lawyers' Club, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Leroy Ellis, '30, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Goshen during his our years as a student in Goshen Col- ege, has accepted a call to the pastorate f the Park Place Baptist Seminary in Chicago. Rev. and Mrs. Ellis left Go- hen on January 20 for their new ad ress: 633 LaFayette Street, Aurora, llinois.

Mary Royer, '30, is doing graduate ork in Education at the George Pea- ody College for Teachers, Nashville, ennessee.

Esther Brunk, '27, expects to receive n June the degree of Master of Re- igious Education from Bethany Bible chool in Chicago. Her address is 3435 Vest Van Buren Street.

William Hallman, '29, has accepted a osition as field secretary for the Ameri- an School of Correspondence with ffices in Chicago. His address is 40½ outh Queen Street, Lancaster, Pennsyl- ania.

The Peoria Mission, Peoria, Illinois. f which C. Warren Long, '29, is superin- endent, recently enjoyed a strong series f evangelistic meetings.

Lola Beery Hartzler, '15, instructor in he Nurses' Training School of Mt. Sinai ospital, Cleveland, Ohio, visited friends n Goshen recently.

Dr. Florence Coonrider (Mrs. P. A.) riesen, '10, has returned to this coun- ry with her husband and family on her econd furlough as medical missionary to ndia.

Professor Arthur L. Spranger, '29, art nstructor in Goshen College and art upervisor in the Goshen city schools ll but received the I. A. Downs $100 rize for a painting exhibited at the oosier Art Salon in Chicago. The com- ittee had awarded him the prize and ent him the money when someone dis- overed that his painting "Steel Mills of ary" was a painting of the South Chi- cago steel mills. The prize was re- awarded.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '10, has resigned his position as president of Witmarsum Theological Seminary, Bluffton, Ohio, to become professor of Christian ethics and pastor of the University Church at the American University, Beirut, Syria. His wife (Mamie Yoder, '08) and the children will accompany him to Beirut at the end of the present school year.

I. R. Detweiler, '11, resigned the pas- torate of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church in Goshen to accept a position as professor of Bible at Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, in January.

Schuyler Pletcher, '30, and Miles Pletcher, '18, are advertising and circu- lation manager, respectively, of the **Farmer's Exchange,** a weekly magazine published at New Paris, Indiana.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, whose genially efficient directorship doubled the enroll- ment of the Summer Session during the past two years, has organized a Six Weeks Spring Term to accomodate school teachers who wish to continue their training between the end of their regu- lar school year and the opening of the Summer Session. He was honored with election to membership in the American Educational Research Association at the meeting of the National Education Asso- ciation in Detroit, February 21-26. He attended the meeting of the North Cen- tral Association of Colleges and Secon- dary Schools at Chicago, March 18-20.

THE NEW KULP HALL

To most of us it was a completely overwhelming fulfillment of what we had expected. We had been hearing strange, tantalizing rumors all summer. In June the old "dorm" was beginning to look very much abused; later, it was pictured as an unrecognizable pile of debris; and lo! before many weeks there were in- credible reports of fresh plaster that was dripping, of rejuvenated dressers, hard- wood floors, and French windows. And it had all happened in three short months! We were doubtful, and more than one of us embarked on our Goshen-ward jou:ney, dreaming uncomfortably of sleeping in someone's attic for a week, or at best, shivering through October in a heat-less, hot-water-less, dormitory. That was before September seventeenth. But sometime around Registration Day most of us Kulp Hall occupants had rolled or bumped or flown our ways onto the cam- pus, and, after one hard look at this startling new edifice we now call Kulp Hall, had bounded wildly up the concrete steps to see for ourselves if it were real. Even if we did stop short at a gaping hole in the almost-finished stairway, there was the new Main Street entrance

to try. And so the besiegement of Kulp Hall began.

To the girl who has spent nights on sagging cots, with the persistent gnawing of mice to lull her to sleep—who scarcely recognizes her own face after nine months' acquaintance with its distorted image in a rippling mirror—who has lost time and temper trying to extricate dust-webs from splintery floors,—to her the rooms in our new Kulp Hall were deserving of almost any and all the many flattering adjectives applied to them during those first weeks. For now, with roomy wardrobes that go all the way to the ceiling, with two tables, two lamps, and two book-shelves in each room, we feel as if we had been suddenly dropped into the lap of luxury. Dressers so completely renovated that they will never again be recognized by old familiar scratches and ink-spots, smooth floors with all the beauty of a natural-wood finish, dark matching tones in furniture and woodwork, luxurious, springy, **real** beds—these are a few of the things that make Kulp Hall women so enthusiastic about their rooms.

Then too, we venture that the new Kulp Hall owes much of its general campus popularity to its basement, for there the light, airy, and really good-looking Dining Hall overcomes any tendencies toward indigestion caused by cheerless surroundings. As if one could possibly develop indigestion from any of the delectable foods prepared in that clean, convenient kitchen! Add to plenty of shelf and cupboard room the charms of a new dishwasher and a year-old range, and you have Kulp Hall's new and complete kitchen.

Kulp Hall is especially fond of its first floor, for there, among other important rooms, is our spacious, homelike Social Room. Its comfortable, friendly air makes it distinctly "our" room. And the Social Room keeps good company, too, for on the same floor are the Y. W. room, the office of the Dean of Women, the reception room, music rooms, and two guest rooms.

Besides the splendid, big, and much-talked-of improvements for which we appreciate the new Kulp Hall, there are many little touches that add immeasurably to its convenience and completeness. Such things are the Social Room fireplace, the buff window shades, low radiators, roomy hall-closets, the tinkly house-telephone, and even the smooth-rolling casters on our dressers. Running hot water at all hours of the day was an unheard-of luxury in former years, and a spacious, light attic decorated with "Monday morning" festoons is quite a new feature. So also are the pressing rooms on each floor, which are a special boon on Saturday evenings.

So, while, queerly enough, there is about Kulp Hall a certain "newness" again that must wear off as it is lived in and absorbs something of that life, still the **new** Kulp Hall is being sincerely appreciated by the women whose home it is, for it has more than fulfilled their expectations for a "remodeled" dormitory.

Lucille C. Kreider, '33.

LOST ALUMNI

Will you assist the Secretary's office in finding the correct address of the following alumni? The address here given is the last known.

Ernest Wright, '98, Elkhart, Indiana.
Oliver Spurgeon, '99, Elkhart, Indiana.
Sofia Lenhart, (Mrs. W. H. Sechler) '00, 621 West 35 Place, Los Angeles, California.
L. Ellen Schertz, '02, Los Angeles, California.
Fred Williams, '02, Elkhart, Indiana.
Albert B. Rutt, '02, 807 Crescent Drive, Beverly Hills, California.
Catherine Malick, '02, Elkhart, Indiana.
Ellen Bush, '03, Sherman Street, Elkhart, Indiana.
Anna Cooper, '03, 705 South Sixth Street, Elkhart, Indiana.
Samuel Nunemaker, '03, Nappanee, Indiana.
Laurence B. Holmes, '06, Portland, Oregon.
Harvey S. Stutzman, '07, Topeka, Indiana
William H. Miller, '08, Kalona, Iowa.
Jacob O. Herr, '09, Route 1, Boiling Springs, Pennsylvania.
Alvie Stout, '10, Lafayette, Indiana.
Samuel A. Zook, '10, Bartlesville, Oklahoma.
Arthur E. Holdeman, '12, Route 5, Elkhart, Indiana.
Alvin E. Rogers, '12, 114 North Peabody Street, Port Angeles, Washington.
Lillian Heintzelman, '13, 1114 South California Street, South Bend, Indiana
Susan M. Ackerman, '13, 405 East Jefferson Street, Goshen, Indiana.
James Edwin Gnagey, '14, Leaman Place Pennsylvania.
Josephine Sheline, '15, Syracuse, Indiana
Abel Snyder, '15, Royal Oak, Michigan
Adam Roth Rupp, '15, 6153 Piedmont Avenue, Los Angeles, California.
Alvin Miller, '18, Garden City, Missouri
Paul Edward Gerber, '18, Medford, Oregon
Noah W. Snider, '20, Waterloo, Ontario
Roy Merlin Weaver, '20, Wakarusa, Ind
Della Schmucker, (Mrs. Oscar Hostetler) '20, Hartville, Ohio.
Emma Margaret Brubaker, '20, 141 University Avenue, Berkeley, California.
Elizabeth Shantz, '22, 215 North Monroe Street, Peoria, Illinois.
Amos R. Kenagy, '23, 1026 West Twelfth Street, Albany, Oregon.

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ANNUAL BANQUET AND RE-UNION

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1931, 6:00 P. M.

THE Alumni banquet this year was held for the first time in the splendidly equipped dining hall of the new Kulp Hall. Dr. S. T. Miller '03, president of the Alumni Association, presided. M. C. Lehman '04, missionary from India, on furlough, and graduate student in Yale University, was toastmaster. Miss Fyrne Miller '30, and Miss Olive Wyse '26, both of the college faculty, had charge of general arrangements for the banquet. The men's chorus of the college, under the direction of B. Frank Hartzler, '23, rendered several numbers of music. Toasts were given by members of the ten year reunion classes as follows: Frank S. Ebersole, '01; J. B. Brunk, '11; A. Fay Grassmyer, '21. Dr. J. C. Meyer, '16, professor of history in Western Reserve University, gave the main address of the evening on "The Future of American Scholarship." A. P. Hallman spoke for the class of 1931. Seven academy graduates, and twenty-nine college graduates, were presented by the secretary, and were welcomed into the Association.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

AN item of business transacted at the meeting of the Board of Directors, on May 22, 1931, of general interest to Alumni, is as follows:

"Moved, seconded, and carried that the Secretary be instructed to prepare an amendment to the Constitution, as Section 4, of Article II, to read as follows; "That all persons who have been regular students in the college for one year, automatically become members of the Alumni Association when their class graduates."

This proposed amendment is being presented officially at this time so that members may consider the matter and vote intelligently on the question at the annual meeting in June, 1932.

BUSINESS MEETING

THE new directors elected were: S. T. Miller, H. S. Bender, John Umble, W. H. Smith, J. C. Meyer and M. C. Lehman.

Officers were elected as follows: President, M. C. Lehman; First Vice President, S. T. Miller; Second Vice President, H. S. Bender; Secretary, Silas Hertzler; Treasurer, C. P. Martin.

Member of the Mennonite Board of Education, Silas Hertzler.

Editor of the *News Letter*, John Umble.

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

COMMENCEMENT activities were carried through this year much as in previous years. There were music programs by the college choruses on Saturday evening, June 6th, and on Tuesday afternoon, June 9th. Special missionary services were held on Sunday, June 7th, with the morning sermon by P. A. Friesen of India; and talks in the afternoon by Amos Swartzendruber of Argentina, and again by P. A. Friesen. The baccalaureate sermon was preached on Sunday evening by President Sanford C. Yoder.

One event of considerable significance was the memorial service for the late Dean Oyer on Wednesday, June 10th. A number of very appropriate talks were given at that time, in which the significance of his work was pointed out. A memorial booklet has been prepared

by a committee appointed by the administration of the college, in which are given some tributes concerning his life and work. It also contains selections from among the best of his own writings. This is for sale by the college for seventy five cents.

A more or less informal program was held on the campus after the college luncheon on Wednesday afternoon, with addresses by faculty members, alumni, and others. At 8:00 P. M. on Wednesday the Commencement services were held, with an address by J. Oliver Buswell, D. D., president of Wheaton College. At this time five were graduated from the Academy, and twenty-nine were granted bachelor's degrees from the college.

THE SUMMER SESSION

THE nine-week summer session closes on Saturday, August 15, 1931. The enrollment of fifty-nine students is composed for the most part of mature men and women who teach during the regular school year, and who use the summer as a means of furthering their educational progress. Of this number eleven are students who had not previously taken work at the college. Only ten were regular full time students during the past school year. This illustrates the fact that the summer session cares in large measure for the needs of a group of students who cannot be reached during the winter session.

The teachers of the summer session are largely taken from the regular teaching force. Professor Silas Hertzler is director of the summer session. The others from the regular staff are Dr. Glen Miller, Roland Yoder, Samuel Yoder, G. H. Enss, Mrs. Amy E. Enss, and Mrs. Elizabeth H. Bender. O. L. Walter, principal of the Goshen High School, is again teaching courses in Education during the summer session. Ralph Myers, a graduate of the college in 1929, and a local high school teacher, is teaching several courses in the Academy.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

DUE to the lamented and untimely death of our former dean, Noah Oyer, on February 25, 1931, new plans had to be made for the local administration of the college. Accordingly a special meeting of the executive committee of the Mennonite Board of Education was called on April 11, 1931. At that time it was decided that the duties of the office of dean should be divided, thus making it possible for the responsibilities to be shared more or less equally by several members of the faculty, rather than concentrating so much responsibility in any one person.

At this meeting Harold S. Bender, '18, B. D., Garrett; M. A., Th. M., Princeton; with further graduate training at Tuebingen and Heidelberg Universities, Germany; and since 1924 professor at the college, was appointed as acting dean, to complete the unexpired term of the late dean Oyer. Guy F. Hershberger, M. A., Iowa, professor at the college since 1925, and now head of the history department, was at the same time appointed dean of men.

FACULTY NOTES

President S. C. Yoder recently made a trip to La Junta, Colorado, where he gave the commencement address for the graduating class at the training school for nurses, and where he attended a meeting of the local board in control of the Mennonite Hospital. He also made a trip to Iowa and Nebraska during the summer in the interest of the college. For six weeks President Yoder is doing graduate work in the Winona School of Theology at Winona Lake, Indiana.

Harold S. Bender is spending the summer in general administrative duties in connection with his new appointment as dean of the college. Recently he spent several weeks in Pennsylvania and in Ontario in the interest of the institution.

Profsssor D. A. Lehman has spent the year, and is spending the present summer, in the University of Colorado at Boulder. He plans to be in active work at the college again next year.

Professor S. W. Witmer is spending the summer in graduate study in the biological sciences at Indiana University.

Professor John Umble is dividing his summer study between Northwestern University and the University of Chicago. He spent the first half of the summer at Northwestern and the last half at Chicago.

Professor G. F. Hershberger, secretary of the college, is spending the summer in studen

licitation. His work so far has been in inois, Indiana, and Ohio.

Professor W. H. Smith is doing graduate ork in history at the University of Chicago. rs. Smith is working in Latin for one term the summer session in the graduate school of e State University of Iowa.

Professor E. J. Camp is on leave of abnce for the summer and for next year. He ill spend the time in further graduate work mathematics at the University of Chicago. e and Mrs. Camp are the proud parents of daughter.

Miss Lydia Shenk is making use of the mmer in graduate study in French at the niversity of Pennsylvania. She has completed e residence requirements for the M. A. degree that institution.

Miss Fyrne Miller and Miss Olive Wyse e doing graduate work in Home Economics the State University of Iowa.

U. Grant Weaver, principal of the Acadny, has also become a member of the college culty where he is teaching the courses in ementary Education. For the summer, and r the first quarter of the next school year, r. Weaver is studying in the University of olorado. He expects to complete the residence quirements for the M. A. degree before rerning to the college.

Walter E. Yoder who will head the music partment next year, is doing further work his field in Bradley College School of Music.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

'28—Theldon Lamb, superintendent of hools at Britton, Michigan, recently received e M. A. degree from the University of Michan. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb also announce the rth of their second child, a son.

'21—Bertha Leaman taught for the past hool year in the state normal school at shkosh, Wisconsin. Her present plans are to end the next school year in further graduate udy at the University of Chicago.

'30—John Bender has been employed for xt year as a high school teacher, near Glenont, Ohio.

'26—Melvin Gingerich, who has recently ceived an M. A. degree from the State Unirsity of Iowa, has been promoted to the sition of assistant principal in the senior high school at Washington, Iowa. He continues to teach part time in the Junor college at the same place.

'30—Mary Royer, who has been a graduate student in George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tennessee, has been employed as the teacher for the second grade in the public schools of Orrville, Ohio.

'06—Evan M. Hess, general agent for the Security Life Insurance Co., located at Gary, Indiana, returned to the college for the Alumni banquet this year for the first time since his graduation twenty-five years ago.

'27—Hubert Miller has accepted a position in the high school at Hamilton, Indiana, where he will teach Latin and social science.

'22—Ray J. Schertz, principal of the high school at Metamora, Illinois, is this summer working toward the completion of requirements for his M. A. degree at the University of Chicago.

'23—Arthur L. Smith, a teacher in the high schools of South Bend, Indiana, is studying in the department of Biology at the University of Chicago this summer.

'19—Arthur Slagel, has a six months leave of absence from Donnelly and Co., publishers, and is working with the Tiezsen Printing Co., of Chicago.

'29—Howard Schertz, graduate student in the School of Speech of Northwestern University, '29-'30, and in the School of Speech of Columbia University, '30-'31, was granted the M. A. degree at Columbia University in June 1931.

'15—Martha L. Martin received the Master's degree from the University of Chicago in June 1931, doing her graduate work in the School of Education. Miss Martin has been one of the visiting teachers for the Chicago public schools during the past year.

'20—Dr. Harry F. Weber, dean of men and vocational Counselor, State Teachers College, Lock Haven, Pennsylvania, has published through the Mennonite Historical Society of Goshen College, his book entitled *A Centennial History of the Mennonites of Illinois.* This book is now in press and it is expected that it will be ready for general distribution by September 1.

'Ex. '30—Milton Brunk of Goshen, Indiana, and Elsie Yoder of West Liberty, Ohio, were married on June 6. They are at home in

Goshen, Indiana, where Mr. Brunk is employed by the Purity Bakery.

'Ex. '28—Isaac Roth and Leta Mae Phillips were married on June 14, 1931. They are at home in Goshen, Indiana, where Mr. Roth manages one of the Kroger groceries.

'15—Amos E. Kreider has recently been elected pastor of the Mennonite Church in Bluffton, Ohio.

'10—Dr. John E. Hartzler resigned a few months ago as president of Witmarsum Theological Seminary, and has accepted an appointment as Professor of Christian Ethics, and pastor of the University church, at the American University, Bierut, Syria.

Ex. '15—Willis Baer, B. A., University of Pennsylvania, has completed residence requirements for the doctorate, in economics, at Columbia University.

'Ex. '23—Wilbur J. Bender, B. A., Harvard, received the M. A. degree from Harvard University in June 1930. He is now assistant dean, in charge of freshmen, and tutor in history, at Harvard College. Mr. Bender has also completed the preliminary examinations for the Ph. D. degree.

'08—Dr. Harry G. Good of Ohio State University, contributed an article on The Modern Mind, to the June 1930 issue of *Education.*

'16—Dr. Lloyd E. Blauch of the North Carolina College for Women, published an article on An Early Normal College in the South, in the *Peabody Journal of Education* for March 1931.

'05—Dr. Homer B. Reed, professor of Education at Fort Hays State College, Hays, Kansas, has an article on The Influence of Practice on Individual Differences, in the July 18, 1931, issue of *School and Society.* The same general problem, based on research data, is described in greater detail in Dr. Reed's monograph, *The Influence of Training on Changes in Variability in Achievement,* published by the Psychological Review Company, Princeton, New Jersey.

THE YOUNG PEOPLES' INSTITUTE

THE Young Peoples Problems Committee of the Mennonite Church is again making plans for the annual Young Peoples Institute, on the Goshen College campus. The date set for this year is August 18-23, 1931, just previous to the General Conference at Archbo Ohio. I. E. Burkhart, head of the Bible d partment in Hesston College, and an alumn of Goshen College, will be the director of t Institute.

"The Institute aims as heretofore to pr vide the facilities for Christian fellowshi development of the spiritual life and scriptur instruction. Bible and Mission study, courses Sunday School and Summer Bible School Met ods, Church Doctrine and Fundamentals the Faith, Young People's Activities, the Di cussion Forum, Assembly talks, the afterno 'Sing', Sunset Meetings, and the closing pla form address are among the main features the program. These courses are planned f Mennonite young people and young people workers. There are no age limitations."

TREASURER'S REPORT

THE secretary is glad to report that th response of the alumni to the expen fund was most generous. The treasurer i forms us that as a result of the annual du received, the deficit on the previous yea work has been completely wiped out. In a dition, there is enough now in the treasury give a good start on the publication of th *News Letter* for the coming year. The secr tary expresses the hope that this generous su port man continue.

THE AUTUMN REUNION

THE Annual Autumn Reunion of the alum and friends of Goshen College and Elkhart Institute will be held on Sunday afte noon, August 30th, on the college campus. Th attendance at these informal gatherings h been increasing and the committee hopes that large number will be present this year to enj a basket dinner, and to renew old acquain ances. One of the very pleasant features these occasions is the large number of frien who come from a distance, and the committ extends to them a very cordial invitation to h with us again this year.

The committee in charge is: J. M. Kurt chairman, Mrs. C. J. Gerber, and Mrs. A. Shetler.

The first semester for the school year 193 32 opens Wednesday, September 9, 1931.

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HOME-COMING NUMBER

HOME-COMING

For nearly a month committees have been meeting to mature plans intended to make the Third Annual Home-Coming an event of major importance for the year 1931-32. Worship and fellowship, work and play, feature a four-day period that promises to bring to the campus more Alumni and former students than either the June or August reunion. Every former or prospective student, every friend of the College, actual or potential, who is interested in four days of happy friendship-renewing, friendship-making fellowship, consistent with the best standards of Goshen College, is invited to be present to share in the inspiration and uplift of the Thanksgiving Service conducted by President Sanford Calvin Yoder, Thursday morning. Don't bring your lunch. In spite of the depression, dinner will be served promptly at one-thirty. And how! These new cooks certainly do know their—turkey and brown gravy! And the committee promises that Rachel Weaver and others will toast! In the evening you will wish to see the new chorus director in action. How the music room does ring with choruses from "The Holy City" every noon. The next day you may recall old times by taking a doze under the soporific influence of a former instructor's soothing voice. In the afternoon you may be able to wipe out the memory of a former defeat by vanquishing an old-time rival on the basket-ball floor. Take it all in all, you simply can't miss Home-Coming this year.

Program of

THIRD ANNUAL HOMECOMING

November 26 to 29

Thursday.

11:00 a. m.—Thanksgiving Service,
President S. C. Yoder
1:30 p. m.—Thanksgiving Dinner.
8:00 p. m.—Oratorio, "The Holy City",
The College Chorus

Friday.

7:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.—Regular Classes.
3:20 p. m.—Basketball.
8:00 p. m.—Lecture, F M. Snyder

Saturday.

3:00 to 4:30 p. m.—Tea
7:30 p. m.—Homecoming Social.

Sunday.

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:45 a. m.—Sermon,
Milo Kauffman, Chicago

A MESSAGE FROM THE NEW PRESIDENT

Dr. S. T. Miller of the classes of '03 and '05, and until recently president of the Alumni Association, has pointed out that the numerical strength of the Association has become sufficient to make it possible for the Association to help very materially in the financial support of the College. It is proposed to approach every alumnus during the coming year to contribute toward the College maintenance or endowment. We believe all alumni will be glad to do all possible for the further effectiveness of their Alma Mater in consideration of what they owe to her.

Considered in comparison with what is asked of alumni of many other institutions our alumni have not yet been asked to contribute any great amount. To help "Culture for Service" requires the loyal financial support of the alumni of Goshen College.

M. C. Lehman, '04.

CAMPUS NOTES

Dr. Silas Hertzler and Dean Hershberger attended the meeting of the North Central Indiana Teachers Association at South Bend in October. Two weeks later Dr. Hertzler and Dean Bender motored to Indianapolis to attend some of the sessions of the State Teachers Association.

For the Peabody Journal of Education for September, 1931 (pp. 90-97), Dr. Silas Hertzler contributed an article on "Duties of Critic Teachers in the Secondary Schools of Indiana." His review of Austin Henry Turney's "Factors other than Intelligence That Affect Success in High School" appeared in the September 1931, issue of Educational Administration and Supervision (pp. 475-477).

Early in August President Sanford Calvin Yoder made a trip to Chicago and preached at the mission. During the middle of August he made a trip east in the interests of the College, stopping at Scottdale and Belleville and continuing to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Late in the same month he participated in the deliberations of the Mennonite General Conference at Wauseon, Ohio. He attended the Iowa-Nebraska Conference at Milford, Nebraska, during the first week in September. A case of chronic appendicitis, that has become increasingly troublesome during the past few months, finally made an appendictomy necessary early in October. He is rapidly convalescing and speedily regaining his usual capacity for prodigious quantities of hard work.

One way for alumni to help their Alma Mater right now is to subscribe for the College Record. It will make you feel young again to read the doings of the undergraduates and to keep in touch with campus thought and life. The October number, recently issued, does credit to the new adviser, Professor S. A. Yoder, and to the editors, Niemann Brunk and Lilly Esch.

How many alumni realize that **The Mennonite Quarterly Review** is unique among college publications? Dr. W. W. Sweet of Chicago Divinity School told a class in American church history at Garrett Biblical Institute last summer that it was the most important periodical contributing to our knowledge of American Church history that was being published by any denomination at the present time. Why not ask your college or city librarian to subscribe for it?

Goshen's part in the program of national publicity for the Christian liberal arts college sponsored by the Liberal Arts College Movement during the week of Nov. 9-14 consisted of Chapel addresses by J. W. Foreman, superintendent of Goshen city schools, W. L. Adams, county superintendent of schools, and others; an address before the Goshen Rotary Club by Dean Bender, and short programs by faculty members and students of the College before high school assemblies in the various schools of Elkhart county.

Dean Bender was engaged in student solicitation during the summer in Ontario and Pennsylvania. He reports a good interest and sympathetic support for the college in the localities visited. During the summer and autumn months he has been engaged in giving addresses in the churches on behalf of relief work for the Russian Mennonite refugees. He spoke in the Amish Mennonite churches in Eastern Pennsylvania near Morgantown and Gap, in the Mennonite churches at Springs, Masontown and Scottdale, Pa., in several of the churches near Goshen, and recently made a week-end trip to Fisher and Tiskilwa Illinois for this purpose. He spoke on the same theme at the Mennonite General Conference in August, and at the Illinois Mennonite Conference immediately following. He spoke at the Ohio, Illinois and Indiana Mennonite Sunday School Conferences in August, and contributed an address at the Mennonite General Conference on "The Historical Perspective in our Young People's Work." On October 17 he took part in a special meeting in Chicago called to deal with the problem of the Mennonite refugees in Harbin, China, as a member of the Mennonite Central Committee. October 22 and 23 he and Dr. Hertzler attended the meetings of the Indiana State Teachers Association at Indianapolis, and called at the offices of the State Department of Education and at Indiana University at Bloomington on business for the College.

A new administration assumed charge of the Goshen College Sunday School on the first Sunday in October. The officers are superintendent, Willard H. Smith, '28, former president of the Y. P. C. A.; assistant Glen R. Miller; secretary, Dale Bixler, '26 treasurer, Charles Hostetler; superintendent of cradle roll, Mrs. Siddie Oyer

uperintendent of beginner-primary department, Mrs. S. W. Witmer, '14; superintendent of junior-intermediate department, Barbara Coffman, '31.

Professor U. Grant Weaver is doing graduate work at the University of Colorado Boulder, Colrado, and expects to return to resume his teaching duties at the College at the beginning of the second semester.

Dr. Glen R. Miller lectured before the St. Joseph Valley Section of the American Chemical Society on "The Behavior of Mixed Halogenated Phenols toward Nitrating Agents," Wednesdav evening, Oct. 21.

THE AUGUST REUNION.

Alumni and friends of Goshen College gathered in the grove in the rear of the Administration Building for a picnic dinner and an afternoon of fellowship, on the last Sunday in August. One of the features was an inspection of Kulp Hall. In spite of the large crowd a number of familiar faces were absent. Where, for instance, were Bert and Edna (Metzler) Smith who have been attending with gratifying regularity? Among the more than eighty local people present were Mrs. Sabina Landis, Mrs. Erie Yoder, Mrs. S. H. Plank, Mrs. Mary Thut, and Mrs. Matilda Blosser (aged mother of C. B. Blosser).

Out-of-town attendants included the following:

Mr. and Mrs. C .J. Gerber, Wakarusa, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Conrad, Tucson, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, Elkhart, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, Chicago, Illinois; Dr. and Mrs. O .C. Yoder and family, Peru, Illinois; Agnes Anderson, Chicago, Illinois; Margaret Anderson, Chicago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Desch and family, Bristol, Indiana; N. A. Lehman, Nappanee, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Unzicker, Elkhart, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weiler, Elkhart, Indiana; Glen Hershberger, Maywood, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mullett, Nappanee, Indiana; Anna Ruth Mullett, Nappanee, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs .Clarence Holoway, Nappanee, Indiana; Mrs. E. J. Anderson, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. A. E. Becknell, New York, N. Y.; Lela Schertz, South Bend, Indiana; Lula Smith, Eureka, Illinois; Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, Mishawaka, Indiana; Ida L. Eby, Plymouth, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Yoder, Monroeville, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stutzman, Charlotte Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smucker, Wooster, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brunk, Chesterton, Indiana; Barbara and Frank Brunk, Chesterton, Indiana; Clifford Fisher, Barrington, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ebersole, South Bend, Indiana; Fred Metz, Milford, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Whirledge, Syracuse, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Neff and Charles, Maywood, Illinois; Mrs. Isabella McWhister, Chicago, Illinois.

WEDDING BELLS.

The wedding of Elsie Yoder, ex-'30 daughter of Bishop and Mrs. A. I. Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio, and J. Milton Brunk, ex-'29, son of Mrs. J. D. Brunk took place at West Liberty, Ohio June 7. Mr. Brunk is employed by the Purity Bakery company of Goshen. Mr. and Mrs. Brunk reside in the College apartments on College Avenue.

The wedding of Miss Joanna Sudermann, '30, daughter of Professor and Mrs. Gustav Enss of 1237 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana, to Herman J. Andres, son of Mrs. Gustave Andres, of Newton, Kansas, took place at a charmingly arranged ceremony on August 26, in Chapel Hall, Goshen College, the bride's father performing the ceremony. Details of the service were carried out in German style, the bride's family having come here a short number of years ago from Russia and Germany.

William E. Hallman, '29, and Beatrice Ida Hershey, '29, were married at Elverson, Pennsylvania, on Sunday, October 18, 1931. Their address is 102 South Seventeenth Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Two young people of the College congregation, Vernon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eigsti, and Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Zook, of West Liberty, Ohio, were married on June 7. They reside at 1312 South Eighth Street. Mr. Eigsti is employed by the New York Central Railroad.

The wedding of Ruth V. Yoder, '29, and Lester Litwiller, '30, took place at Smithville, Ohio, October 19, 1931. Mrs. Litwiller's sister, Mary, and Mr. Clay Miller were married at the same time and place. Mr. Litwiller is employed by the Caterpillar Tractor Company, Peoria, Illinois.

Mary E. Yoder, ex-'33, West Liberty, Ohio, and Lauren J. Shank, North Lima, Ohio, were married at West Liberty by Bishop S. E. Allgyer on Saturday, November 7. They are at home near North Lima.

Eva Steiner, ex-'29, and David Kornhous were married on June 30 by I. W. Royer. They reside on a farm north of Orrville, Ohio.

CLASS OF 1931. (Academy)

Freeman Gingrich is attending the Waterloo College, Waterloo, Ontario. He has helped to establish a mission Sundav school at Hawksville, Ontario.

Una Cressman is taking nurse's training at the Mennonite hospital in LaJunta, Colorado.

Viveron Hoffman and Orlin Reedy are registered as freshmen in the College.

Orville D. Jobson has returned to Africa to resume missionarv work under the Church of the Brethren.

CLASS OF 1931 (College).

Fourteen of the College graduates of 1931 are teaching, four are pursuing grad-

uate studies, and eight are either at home or otherwise gainfullv employed.

Barbara Coffman, B. A., is assistant librarian at the College and is also taking some college work.

Orie Eigsti, B. A., is graduate student in biological science in the University of Illinois.

Leonard Kreider, B. A., is starting work toward the master's degree in chemistry at Ohio State Universitv.

William Jennings, B. A., is doing graduate work in the University of Tennessee.

Barbara Hershberger, B. S., and Katie Reber B. A., are teaching in rural schools near their homes in Iowa.

Rosa Gish, B. A., is in rural school work in Lancaster County, Pa.

Since last June Samuel Schmidt is entitled to three degrees: B. A., Goshen College, Th. B. and B. D., Northern Baptist Seminary. Mr. Schmidt is teaching school near his home in Marian, South Dakota.

Paul Swope, B. A., is teaching in the elementary schools of North Lima, Ohio.

Ellis Hostetler, B. A., and Grace Schwary, B. S., are located in Louisville, Ohio. Mr. Hostetler teaches in the junior and senior high school, and Miss Schwary in the elementary grades.

Raymond Litwiller, B. A., teaches biological science in the Tremont High school, Tremont, Illinois.

Harley Hunsicker, B. A. is athletic coach and teacher of history in Bangor High school, Bangor, Pennsylvania.

Leah Risser, B. A., is a junior high school teacher in a private school in Hershey, Pennsylvania.

Rachel Weaver, B. A., teaches Latin and English in a high school in Roann, Indiana.

Nellie Miller, B. S., teaches English, German, Home Economics and Physical Education in the Honeyville Consolidated school, Honeyville, Indiana.

Titus Weaver ,B. A., has a teaching position in the Walnut Creek High school, Walnut Creek, Ohio.

Ruth Brunk, B. S., teaches English in Winchester Academy, Winchester, Kentucky. She is also faculty supervisor of one floor in the girls' dormitory and is obliged to see that "all girls get to bed promptly at ten."

Abraham Hallman, B. A. is employed by W. S. Bishop, Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Ora Keiser, B. A. is employed on a farm near Cazenovia, Illinois.

Paul Slabaugh, B. A., Ora Yoder, B. A., and Raymond Yoder, B. A., visited friends on the campus in the past weeks. Mr. R Yoder is doing commercial art work in thi community. Mr. O. Yoder and Mr. Slabaugl are employed as clerks in Goshen retai stores.

Dora Hershberger, B. A., is at home, R R. 2, Shipshewana, Ind.

Lucille Miller, B. A., is at home, R. R. 7 LaGrange, Indiana.

Arline Yoder, B. A., at home in Eas Baird street, West Liberty, Ohio, has bee contributing poems and articles for th Church papers published at Scottdale, Pen sylvania,

Loren King, A. B., is employed at Wes Liberty, Ohio.

THE STUDENT BODY.

Four continents, five countries and te states are represented this year.

Indiana	97
Ohio	36
Pennsylvania	13
Illinois	10
Iowa	9
Nebraska	4
Kansas	1
Canada	4
Maryland	2
Colorado	2
South America	2
Michigan	1
Germany	1
India	4

Classification: Freshmen 49, men 24 women, 25; Sophomores: 26, men 14 women 12; Juniors: 30, men 21, women 9 Seniors: 27, men 14, women 13; Academy 9, men 4, women 5; Specials 54.

Average ages are: Freshmen: men 19 women 18; Sophomores: men 21½, wome 21; Juniors: men 23, women 22; Senior men 25, women 24. In the entire enroll ment the youngest student is 16, and th oldest, past three score.

Eighteen different denominations are re presented.

Mennonites	105
Central Mennonites	8
Gen. Conf. Mennonites	2
Methodist	13
Church of the Brethren	6
Christian Science	4
Catholic	4
First Brethren	3
Evangelical	2
Brethren in Christ	3
United Brethren	1
Christian Reformed	3
Lutheran	5
Presbyterian	5
Christian	3
Hebrew	1
Quaker	1
Episcopalian	2
Non church members	12
Total number of registrants	195

SCHOLARSHIP RANK

Following is a list of students who led in scholarship for the past four years. Except in case of tie only the five highest can find room here. Scholarship reached a high peak during the second semester of 1928-29 when fourteen students made an average above B plus.

1927-28 First Semester: Mary Royer, '30; Rachel Weaver, '31; Ralph R. Smucker, '28; Alvin Dale Bixler, '26; Howard Mussleman, '29; Fyrne A. Miller, '30; Dorothy Shoots, ex-'31;

Second Semester: Fyrne A. Miller, '30; Mary Royer, '30; Rachel Weaver, '31; John Hershberger, '29; William Diephus, ex-'31.

1928-29 First Semester: Mary Royer, '30; Rachel Weaver, '31; John E. Bender, '30; Dorothy Shoots, ex-'31; Howard Mussleman, '29.

Second Semester: John E. Bender, '30; Mary Royer, '30; Rachel Weaver, '31; Bernice Schrock, ex-'32; Charles Schlitzer, '29; Ruth Heatwole, ex-'31; Ruth Marble, ex-'32.

1929-30 First Semester: Ada Thut, '30; Rachel Weaver, '31; Mary Royer, '30; John E. Bender, '30; Fyrne A. Miller, '30; Lydia Hershberger, '32. ?

Second Semester: Rachel Weaver, '31; Joseph Eckstadt, '34; Katie Reber, '31; Dora Hershberger, '31; Ruth Heatwole, ex-'31; Wilbur Hostetler, '30; Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33; Alice Gerig, ex-'32

1930-31 First Semester: Rachel Weaver, '31; Katie Reber, '31; Ellis Hostetler, '31; Lucille Kreider, '33; Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33; Harold Buzzard, '33; Menno Miller, '33; Barbara Thut, '32.

Second Semester: Lucille Kreider, '33; Rachel Weaver, '31; Leonard Kreider, '31; Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33; Katie M. Reber, '31.

PERSONALS.

At the Illinois Mennonite Church Conference held at the Hopedale Mennonite Church near Hopedale, Illinois, September 2, C. Warren Long, '29, was elected member of the Sunday School Executive Committee. Lester Litwiller, '30, and Lewis Yordy, '31, were elected to serve additional members for the young people's session of the Sunday School Conference.

Orie O. Miller, '15, of Akron, Pa., will return on November 14, from a three months' trip of investigation in the newly established Mennonite colonies in Brazil and Paraguay, South America. He was sent by the Mennonite Central Committee for relief.

Harry Leatherman, ex '33, radio operator on the S. S. Cherokee, spent part of his vacation in Goshen during October.

Mrs. J. D. Brunk and Mrs. Lucinda (Yoder) Hartzler, '03, have charge of the kitchen in connection with Bluffton College Dining Hall.

Frank Umble, ex-'31, is employed in the Oklahoma State Dairy Department at A. and M. College, Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Dr. Harry F. Weber, '18, has written an exhaustive history of the Mennonites of Illinois, which has just been published as a book of almost 800 pages with numerous illustrations and maps, by the Mennonite Historical Society of Goshen College. The book covers the entire period of Mennonite history in Illinois and treats all the branches exhaustively. It bears the title: "Centennial History of the Mennonites of Illinois, 1829-1929", and may be purchased of the Mennonite Historical Society for $4.

L. Wallace Miller, '27, is continuing graduate work in Botany at the University of Iowa.

John E. Coffman, ex-'33 is teaching school near Markham, Ontario.

P. E. Whitmer, '05, formerly connected with Witmarsum Theological Seminary at Bluffton, Ohio, has removed to Pandora, Ohio, to devote full time to the pastorate of Grace Mennonite Church at the latter place.

A. E. Kreider, '15, has accepted the pastorate of the First Mennonite Church of Bluffton, Ohio.

The resignation by I. R. Detwiler, '11, pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church in Goshen, has introduced a number of changes in the location of Goshen alumni and former students who occupy pulpits in the Central Conference of Mennonites. G. T. Soldner, a former Goshen College student and for the past few years pastor of the Mennonite church at Souderton, Pennsylvania, has accepted the pastorate of the Eighth Street Church in Goshen. Ernest Bohn, '20, has resigned his Tiskilwa Illinois, pastorate to fill te vacancy left by Rev. Soldner at Souderton, and Harvey Nunemaker, '16, has resigned his pastorate at Comins, Michigan, to become pastor of the church at Tiskilwa.

M. C. Lehman, '14, newly elected president of the Alumni Association, is doing graduate work at Yale University in Indo-European philology, education and philosophy. He has accepted an assistant lectureship in the extension department.

Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-'26, candidate for the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Wisconsin has passed his written examinations with high honors. Mr. Gerig, who has been serving as assistant in the department of economics, was granted promotion at the beginning of this school-year.

Martha Rohrer, ex-'34 and Zelta Ramseyer, ex-'34 are attending Kent Normal College, Kent, Ohio.

B. F. Hartzler, '29, is giving private lessons in voice and organizing adult choruses in Goshen and surrounding towns.

Jesse Smucker, '18, since completing his work for the B. D. degree at Hartford Theological Seminary last June, has been assisting Bishop Gerig and C. Z. Yoder in pastoral and ministerial duties at the Oak Grove Church near Smithville, Ohio.

David Liechty, ex-33, and Mrs. Liechty, (Helen Yoder, ex-'33) reside at West Liberty, Ohio.

Howard Schertz, '29, received his masters degree in speech at Columbia University in June. He is employed in New York City.

Esther Brunk, '27, who received the degree of Master of Religious Education at Bethany Bible School, Chicago, Illinois, in June, is teaching Bible in the public schools of Benton, New Paris, Wakarusa, Honeyville, Topeka, and other points in Elkhart County.

Milton Smith, '28, is teaching school at Springfield, Pennsylvania, and is doing graduate work at University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.

Helen Long, '29, is employed in Dr. Forney's dental office, Goshen, Indiana.

Dwight Miller, '13, attended Atlantic University 1931 summer session. In August he passed through Goshen on a trip West, going as far as Iowa.

With the birth of Mary Landis Gillham at Lansing, Kansas on October 10, E. C. Landis, ex-'01, becomes a proud grandfather. The same event makes Mrs. Sabina Landis, 1134 South Eighth Street, a great-grandmother.

Marion Schertz, '29, is doing graduate work in science at Purdue University in preparation for teaching.

Mary Royer, '30, received the master's degree at George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee, at the end of the summer session. She is teaching at Orrville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allgyer (Anne Reisner), '15 and '13, respectively, with their daughter Priscilla Ann, visited friends in Goshen in August.

Mrs. Harry Ditzel (Naomi Reisner, ex-'03), and daughters, Ruth and Virginia Lou, visited friends and relatives in Goshen during August.

Several Goshen College alumni attende the University of Chicago during the sun mer quarter: W. H. Smith, '28, soci science; E. J. Camp, '28. mathematics; A thur Smith '23, botany; Raymond Schertz, '17, education.

Gertrude Bishop, ex '32 ,is teacher piano at Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Quintus Leatherman, '27, continues h work as rural school teacher near Bloom ing Glen, Pennsylvania.

Florence Bender, '22, has discontinue nurse's training at Cleveland, Ohio, t take up graduate work in home economi at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

Hazel Stauffer, '30 teacher in the Mi Creek school near Leola Lancaster Count Pennsylvania.

Frank Stoltzfus, '17, in residence at Ch cago Theological Seminary during the sun mer quarter, received notice early in Au ust from President Albert W. Palmer, th upon nomination of the American Boar of Foreign Missions, he had been appointe to the recently established Foreign Mi sionary Fellowship for 1931-32. He an his family reside near the seminary campu

Lela Schertz, '30, dietitian at St. Joseph Hospital in South Bend during the sun mer, has returned to Purdue Universit West Lafayette, Indiana, to continue gra uate work in dietetics.

Martin D. Baer, '21, is located in Okl homa City, Oklahoma.

Mary E. Yoder, '05, is spending h year's leave of absence from her duties librarian of the College of Wooster, Western Reserve University, completin her work for the A. B. Degree. Her addre is 2039 Abingdon Road, Cleveland ,Ohio.

During August, E. E. Landis, '08, Mr Landis (Ruth Lehman, ex-'12), and the daughters Jeanette and Eleanor spent t days at Marquette in the northern peni sula of Michigan, visiting Mr. Landis' si ter, Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, and her family.

Dr. Harry Weber, '21, has been elect Dean of Men at Pennsylvania State Teac ers College, Lockhaven, Pennsylvania.

Recently, in its Twenty-Five-Year-A Section, the Goshen Daily News carri the following item: "Pearl Davenport h been awarded a scholarship at Gosh College for making the highest average the eighth grade during the past scho year." Miss Davenport graduated from t academy in 1910 and is now Mrs. S. Lantz, 631 Linwood, Monrovia, Calif.

Dr. W. B. Christophel. '02 has been pre dent of the Thirteenth district medic society of Indiana for the past year.

Mrs. J. S. Plank, 623 South Eighth Stre has been elected secretary of the committ that arranges for the August reunion Alumni and friends of Goshen College.

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ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

RESPONSE TO THE PRESIDENT'S APPEAL

THOSE of you who have sent checks to help your Alma Mater in her hour of need, cannot appreciate fully what your gift has meant on the campus. We knew that you were not made of money, and we realized that most of you had a place for all you had. When the letters went out to you, we did not know what to expect. But, when day after day passed, and your replies kept pouring in, you cannot imagine the renewed hope that was born in every heart and the deep sense of gratitude that glowed on every countenance. It would have done your heart good to see a knot of faculty members gathered around to learn which of the old familiar names would be found signed to the checks "in today's mail."

Fellow-Alumni, you have helped to make it possible that every faculty member will receive his pay in full at the end of this semester! You have put a new spirit of devotion and zeal into every administrative official and faculty member. The air, so charged with gloom and uncertainty before the letters went out, is now full of plans for the future, plans for a more systematic and intensive campaign for students and funds, plans for more efficient service to the constituency, plans in short for a bigger and better Goshen College.

Many of you were very generous, giving more than we had dared to hope; others gave "what you could". Every gift is gratefully received, not only for the very real need it helps to meet, but also for the kind spirit back of the gift. We hope that every one of you is already repaid for your sacrifice in the opportunity this experience has given you to relive those happy happy days in the Elkhart Institute and on the campus of Goshen College.

The most urgent, most pressing current needs have been met, but it still takes an eye of faith that is rather unusually piercing to see all the way to the end of the next semester. Meanwhile, you can continue to render a valuable service by helping to quiet the silly rumors of closing for lack of funds. Pay or no pay, no one thinks of quitting. Some of you who have not yet sent in your contribution need have no fear that it is too late or that your gift, however small, will not be gratefully received or immediately devoted to a good purpose. Some who already have sent in a second check and some who in sending in the first have volunteered to send another one later have a unique way of acquiring the blessings that come to him who has learned that "it is more blessed to give than to receive". They believe in being blessed twice. Anyway, let the checks continue to come. The goal is not yet reached.

In the next issue the editor hopes to be able to share with you complete details of the plans vaguely mentioned above. They have to do with publicity, extension, solicitation, and organization both within and without. Details are being carefully worked out.

Names of those who responded to the President's urgent appeal for funds for current expenses:

Silas Albrecht, Edna Mae Amstutz, Irvin Bauman, W. J. Bender, A. Dale Bixler, L. E. Blauch, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Burkhart, Maude E. Byler, Naomi Byler, Dr. Nevin Bretz, J. E. Brunk, Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Brunk, A. B. Christophel, John E. Coffman, F. A. Conrad, Cleo Cook, Ernst Correll, Elvina Cressman, J. B. Cressman, Dorothy Detweiler, Gerritt Dykstra, Amanda Ebersole, A. S. Ebersole, F. S. Ebersole, Mrs. A. A. Edwards, Ira H. Eigsti, Nora Eschliman, Clifford Fisher, Joseph C. Fretz, Amanda Frey, Mrs. Edna Holderman Fromm, J. F. Fuss, Bernice Gerig, Melvin Gingerich, Viola Shantz Good, Elizabeth Graber, Alta Hartzler, Harry Hartzler, Glen Hershberger, Samuel Hershberger, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hershberger, Charles O. Hershey, Ruth Hertzler, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess, Anna Hoover, Ira J. Hoover, Paul Horsch, Adelia Hostetler and father, D. D. Hostetler, James Hostetler, Delta Spiker Hushour, S. Lloyd Johnson, J. Forrest Kanagy, Amasa Kauffman, Austin Landis, M. C. and Mrs. Lehman, Esther Leininger, Mr. and Mrs. David Leichty, Sarah and N. A. Lind, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Litwiler, Helen Long, Mrs. and A. C. Magnuson, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mann, C. P. Martin, F. S. Martin, L. J. Martin, Rev. E. D. Mast, J. C. Meyer, D. L. Miller, Ernest H. Miller, Louella B. Miller, Mrs. Mabel Miller, Maude Miller, Orie and Elta Miller, Dr. S. T. Miller, Mrs. Barbara Leaman Moore, Bessie C. Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman, Mary E. Nafziger, Ethel Oyer, Thelma Oyer, Estella Yoder, S. A. Plank and Mrs. Plank, F. E. Priser, Lina Z. Ressler, I. A. Rickert, Leah C. Risser, Martha Rohrer, Milton Rohrer, Dula Roth, Katherine Royer, Mary Royer, J. Paul Sauder, Louella Schertz, Charles E. Schlitzer, Grace Schwary, C. L. Shank, C. A. Shantz, Fannie Shantz, C. B. Shoemaker, A. M. Showalter, Mrs. L. W. Slagle, Arthur L. Smith, B. H. Smith, Milton Smith, Tillman Smith, Katie M. Smucker, Leahbelle Smucker, Lena Smucker, Mrs. J. S. Snyder, Raymond Sommers, Mary Ann Sprunger, Hazel E. Stauffer, M. C. Stouffer, Mrs. J. M. Stutzman, Katherine Thoman, Fern A. Umble, John H. Warye, Cleo Weaver, Rachel Weaver, S. H. Welty, Mable Wyse, C. Z. Yoder, Eli D. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Yoder, M. J. Yoder, Loutrella Yoder, Paton Yoder, S. E. Yoder, Alma Zehr, Mary Zook.

The following also responded. They have changed address since the Directory was published:

Cecil K. Bender, 2139 S. Wabash, Chicago Illinois; Florence Bender, Purdue University Lafayette, Indiana; Clifford Brunk, 7815 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Michigan; W. C. Brunk 7815 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Etta Gilliom Davis, 2950 Nebraska Ave., Detroit, Michigan; Clarence A. Fulmer, 51 Twenty-fifth St., Wilmington, Delaware; A. Fay Grassmyer, Greenwood, Delaware; John Hershberger, R. 22, Box 375, Tucson, Arizona Harley Hunsicker, 334 Market St., Bangor, Pennsylvania; Minnie Kanagy, 16 Spadina Road Toronto, Canada; Lela Schertz, 356 N. Western Avenue, West Lafayette, Indiana; Esther Schott 1539 S. Springfield Ave., Chicago, Illinois; Alice Snyder, 908 W. 8th St., Hastings, Nebraska; Merlin Stump, 915 E. 56th St., Indianapolis, Indiana; Edwin L. Weaver, 1329 72nd St., West Allis, Wisconsin.

NOTE:—A number of others have responded since we have gone to press. This list was made up early in January. Checks are still arriving daily.

CAMPUS NOTES

In spite of his arduous program at the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, at Chicago, President Sanford Calvin Yoder spends his week ends and Mondays on the campus devoting long hours to administrative duties committee meetings, and vigorous planning for the school year of 1932-33. This President of ours, by the way, is an indefatigable worker and a man for whose business and administrative judgment we are learning to have tremendous respect.

Bishop D. A. Yoder, president of the Mennonite Board of Education, has met with a series of minor reverses that are a severe trial for one who is so active as he. At present the condition of his health interferes seriously with the performance of his duties. The college community prays earnestly for his speedy recovery.

Professor G. H. Enss, head of the department of philosophy, addressed the local Business Men's Club on "The Growth of a World View," Thursday evening, December 9.

Dr. Glen R. Miller, Professor Roland Yoder and a group of Goshen students on Wednesday evening, December 9, at Notre Dame University

ard W. S. Calcott of the E. L. du Pont de emours company, Wilmington, Delaware, dis- ss, before the St. Joseph Valley section of the nerican Chemical Society, the new synthetic bber recently announced by the Reverend J. Nieuwland of Notre Dame and the Du Pont mpany.

The Extension Sunday Schools in East and rth Goshen continue to grow in interest and endance. Professor Samuel A. Yoder, '28, superintendent of the north school, held in vacant house on Crescent street. Wilbur stetler, '30, has charge of the East school nducted in East Goshen School Building on st Lincoln Avenue. Much of the credit of the rk is due to students who distribute Sunday hool literature from house to house and find ne for considerable visitation and personal angelism during the week. The Mr. Arnold, ho was converted under the teaching of some the College men and later baptized by the stor of St. Mark's Church, died recently. the funeral the pastor paid glowing tribute the College and her Sunday School workers d insisted that Ezra Beachy, '33, should come o the pulpit to assist in the services.

The College congregation continues to prosper der the pastorate of C. L. Graber. During recent past the following members were re- ved: by baptism, Ernest E. Frey, '35, Wau- n, Ohio; by confession and reinstatement, adys Burkhard, '34, Elizabethtown, Pennsyl- nia; by letter, Mrs. Mark Roth, Mr. and rs. John Graybill and daughter Irene, Mrs. lton Brunk (Elsie Yoder, ex-'30), Mrs. M. Lehman, Carolyn, '34, and Waldo, India, s. Vernon Leatherman, Elsie Shenk, '35, Ar- ntine, Claire Amstutz, '33, Dalton, Ohio. mmunion services were conducted by the pre- ing bishop, D. D. Miller, assisted by Bishop nford Calvin Yoder. In the absence of the stor, Bishop Miller appointed Harold Bender assist in the distribution of the emblems. out two hundred and fifty participated in the vice.

At a recent meeting of the executive com- tee of the Alumni Association the committee horized the appointment of a sub-committee investigate the proposal of employing an ex- tive secretary to assist the College in the citation of students and funds, in placement vice, and in general promotion work. The sident of the Association appointed C. P. rtin, C. L. Graber, and Dr. S. T. Miller. e executive committee also discussed plans for the annual reunion in June. The proposed amendment to the constitution providing for extension of membership in the alumni association to all students who have spent one full year in the College was ordered printed in the April *News-Letter*. The Treasurer's report showed sufficient funds on hand to print the next two issues of the *News-Letter*. One of the most gratifying features of the organization at present is the habit a large number of alumni have formed of sending in their annual dues every year in order to make possble the publicity program of the association.

Dr. Silas Hertzler contributed two articles for the October, 1931, issue of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review*: "Attendance in Mennonite Schools and Colleges for 1930-1931," pp. 286-291; "A Statistical Study of Goshen College Alumni," pp. 272-283. The latter is of especial interest to alumni, giving as it does much interesting statistical information regarding location and occupations of alumni.

Acting Dean Bender attended a meeting of the Mennonite Central Committee at Newton, Kansas, December 10th, dealing with the problem of the Russian Mennonite refugees in Harbin, China. He attended the annual meeting of the American Society of Church History in New York on December 29, and the following day a meeting of the Mennonite Central Committee in regard to projected relief for the Russian Mennonite refugees in Harbin, China. He spoke on conditions in Russia at Oak Grove Church near Smithville, Sunday evening, January 3, and at Clinton Frame church near Goshen on Sunday evening, January 17. He took part in all-day meetings at North Lima, Ohio, Midway Church, January 1st, and at Orrville, Ohio, on January 2nd.

WEDDING BELLS

Elsie May, daughter of David G. Landis, Leacock, Pennsylvania, and Myron S. Yoder, '27, son of President Sanford Calvin Yoder, were married by the groom's father, a bishop in the Mennonite Church, on Wednesday, December 30, 1931. They are at home at 1139 South Eighth Street, Goshen. Mrs. Yoder is gratefully remembered by many former academy students as academy instructor in biological science and English and as the sympathetic, helpful and active organizer and sponsor of the Homerian literary society, formed by combining the Ciceronian and Philomathean after the academy had grown too small to

support two societies. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder have purchased the Goshen College Farm and will reside there after March 1.

Mary Widmer, '29, and Raymond Wenger were married at the home of the bride's parents near Wayland, Iowa, December 31, 1931, Bishop Simon Gingerich, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Wenger will be at home on a farm near Wayland after March 1.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Fowler, (Beulah Smith, '23), teacher of English in Faith high school, Faith, South Dakota, visited her parents at Elida, Ohio, and a brother and sister at Washington, D. C., during last summer vacation.

Mrs. Ina Riehl Eschliman, '28, has accepted a position in the high school at Kirksville, Missouri.

Doesn't the following from "Twenty-Five-Years-Ago" in the *Goshen Daily News Times* remind you of the good old days? "The Handel Oratorio Society will give the public rehearsal of Gaul's "The Holy City" next Wednesday evening at Goshen College. The soloists are Miss Sadie Manahan, Mrs. Helen England, H. E. Crawford and A. B. Kolb."

J. M. Yoder, ex-'10, president of the Goshen Milk Condensing company is seriously ill at his home at 435 South Fifth Street.

Esther Reynolds, ex-'28, is teaching English in Rolling Prairie senior high school, Rolling Prairie, Indiana.

The depression does not seem to be seriously affecting the Umble School of Dressmaking and Designing at the corner of Eighty-Third Street and Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. The efficient director of the school, Fern A. Umble, '21, has been obliged to employ a new assistant to handle the increase in enrollment. The prosperity of the school, as registered in the size of the check Fern forwarded in response to President Yoder's appeal, caused the cash register in the business office to click with delight.

John L. Yoder, '11, at the reorganization meeting of the West Liberty, Ohio, Board of Education, January 4, was elected president of the Board for the coming year. Well deserved honor, John! And this in a community where some one during the World War advocated "stringing all the Mennonites up to a telephone pole!"

Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, '10, (Mary Landis, '12), with their children, Robert, Ruth and Carl motored to Goshen from their Marquette, Michigan, home to spend the Christmas season with relatives and friends. Mr. Smoker delighted his many friends with solo numbers at the Eighth Street Mennonite Church and at the Silver Street Church. At the latter place he revived many pleasant memories when he sang in his former place as first tenor in the Smoker-Yoder quartette.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hoover, '13, (Esther Smoker, '15) visited relatives and friends in Goshen during the holiday season. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover have charge of the new and enlarged Mennonite Hospital at Bloomington, Illinois.

Alumni of all ages took part in the rendition of Handel's "Messiah" at the Eighth Street Mennonite Church on the evening of Christmas Sunday, December 20, 1931. The conductor was Mrs. John S. Plank, (Olive Nafziger, '12). The soloists were: Mrs. Arthur Sprunger (Cordelia Riesen, '21), soprano; Mrs. Menno C. Landis (Orpha Hostetler, ex-'20), alto; Leland Greenwalt, '11, tenor; and Clarence Nafziger, ex-'31, bass. The rendition was highly creditable. Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole, '01 (Lavona Berkey, '03), who assisted in rendering the "Messiah" at the Elkhart Institute more than thirty years ago sang with their old-time vim. Other Alumni who were members of the chorus were Mrs. E. J. Zook, Mrs. Ruth (Landis) Umble, '12, and M. C. Landis, '10.

Walter Smoker ex-'21, had the contract for the electrical work in the enlarged and remodeled Mennonite Hospital at Bloomington, Illinois.

Mrs. H. E. Becknell (Bernice Lehman, '18) 88 Morningside Drive, New York City, is private secretary to Leslie Moss, member of the staff of Federal Council of Churches.

Minnie Kanagy, '19, 16 Spadina Road, Toronto, Ontrio, Canada, is attending the Toronto Bible College.

A. J. Steiner, '00, was recently appointed by the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association to be a member of the Mennonite Board of Education to supply a vacancy.

M. C. Lehman, '14, graduate student and extension lecturer at Yale University, spent the holiday season in Goshen. During this period he called a meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association to discuss a number of important matters noted elsewhere.

At the recent annual meeting of the stock

holders of the New Paris State Bank, Carl Kaser, '16, was re-elected cashier. He is superintendent of the Sunday school in the Bretheren church at New Paris.

Eli Stoltzfus, ex-'22, a senior in the department of industrial education, College of Industries, Carnegie Institute of Technology, was pledged to membership in Alpha Tau, honorary organization of that institution, at the Carnegie Day exercises held November 24, in honor of the birthday of the founder. Mr. Stoltzfus will graduate in February.

The *Westmount* (Illinois) *Community Press* for December 11, 1931 carried an announcement of the Westmount Preparatory School, now operating three evenings a week. The school is college preparatory, but expects also to give junior college courses for those who are unable to attend college elsewhere. Agnes Harkness Anderson, ex-'20, is registrar. Most of the alumni know her as the managing editor of the *Westmount Community Press,* which, by the way, is a decidedly good-looking weekly newspaper.

Joe, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Snyder (Lydia Stoltzfus), Iron City, Route 3, Bellefontaine, Ohio, is studying for the ministry at Ohio Northern University, Ada, Ohio.

The "Twenty-five-years-ago" column of the *Goshen Daily News Tmes* for November 17, carried the announcement of the marriage of Leander Weldy, '03, and Elizabeth Christophel.

The Chicago address of Frank Stoltzfus, fellow at Chicago Theological Seminary, is 5800 Maryland Avenue.

A. M. Showalter, '18, is teaching botany in Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Virginia.

Dula Roth, '29, teacher of English in Monroe township high school, West Liberty, Ohio, and Mabel Roth, '30, sixth-grade teacher in South River, New Jersey, spent the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Roth, in College Avenue.

Mrs. Samuel King (Nellie Zook, '27), and her husband are teaching English in the Phillippine Islands.

Glenn Hershberger, '23, employed by the U. S. Department of Commerce with headquarters at Chicago, spent Christmas vacation in Goshen visiting relatives.

J. Mark Blosser, ex-'11, has sold his dairy business at Nappanee, Indiana.

Professor B. F. Hartzler, '29, 1137 South Eighth St., Goshen, spent the Christmas season with his aged father at West Liberty, Ohio. Professor Hartzler is conducting large choruses at Sturgis, Michigan; Nappanee; and Goshen.

Abram Hallman, '31, continues to enjoy his work on Harmony Hill Farm, Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Professor and Mrs. Otto Holtcamp and children of Bluffton, Ohio, visited Mrs. Holtcamp's mother, Mrs. Frank Case, of South Eighth St., Goshen, during the holidays.

Herbert J. Zook, ex-'28, employed as clerk draughtsman for the Indiana State highway department in the Laporte district office, Laporte, Indiana, is assistant-secretary of the College Sunday school and is very active in Young People's Bible meeting.

Harry Ebersole, ex-'15, professor of history in Northern Michigan State Teacher's College at Marquette, inquires: "What has becomes of my *News-Letter?*" We don't know. But we have put you back on the mailing list, Harry.

Professor and Mrs. Russel Lantz, '18, (Mabel Weber, ex-'21), and Professor and Mrs. Otto Holtcamp of Bluffton, Ohio, made a pleasant visit to the campus during the recent holiday season.

Isaac Roth, ex-'28, continues his highly successful management of the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company's store on East Lincoln Avenue, Goshen.

The following is copied from the column "Twenty-Five-Years-Ago" in the *Goshen Daily News Times,* issue of December 26, 1931: On Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Landis east of Goshen, occurred the marriage of their daughter Alice, to John S. Umble. Miss Landis studied music at the Conservatory of Northwestern University, and served as an instructor at Goshen College for some time. Mr. Umble graduated at Goshen College with the class of 1905 and a year later received the A. B. degree from Northwestern University. The ceremony was performed at high noon by the Rev. R. R. Ebersole, of Hudson, Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. Umble after visiting with the groom's parents at West Liberty, Ohio for a few days will be at home in Mount Vernon, Indiana.

LeRoy W. Ellis, '30, pastor of Park Place Baptist Church, West Park Place, Aurora, Illinois, issued an attractive "holiday bulletin" of the services for Christmas Sunday, done in green paper and print, and red capitals on the first page. The title announced for the "New Year Sunday" service, "Resolution or Regener-

ation," indicates that LeRoy is still "keeping the faith."

Amanda Frey, '27, is teaching English in Concord Township high school (Dunlap).

John F. Slabaugh, '17, is teaching English and Music in DeMotte high school, DeMotte, Indiana.

Silas Smucker, '30, is doing graduate work in Purdue University.

Harvey Driver, '30, teacher in LaJunta, Colorado, junior high, spent the Christmas vacation visiting friends at Roseland, Nebraska. So did one of our most charming co-eds of the class of '32!

Esther Widmer, '27, (R. N., La Junta Mennonite Hospital) is regularly employed in the Washington County Hospital, Washington, Iowa.

Mary Hess, '30, spent the Christmas season at La Junta, Colorado, visiting the Heatwole sisters, Ruth and Lenna, ex-'31.

Hilda Byler, '29, teaches in a rural school near her home at Kalvesta, Kansas.

Paul Swope, '31, enroute to visit friends in Illinois, paid a pleasant visit to the campus, December 19.

Allen Ebersole, '30, is teaching sixth grade work in the La Junta, Colorado, elementary schools.

Viola Good, '30, is enrolled in Toronto Bible College.

Edwin Herner, '28, his wife (Marie Miller, ex-'29), Edwin Junior, and Charlene Anne are spending some time with Mrs. Herner's parents at Kalona, Iowa. Mr. Herner is continuing work on his thesis at the University of Iowa.

The *College Record* has introduced a new column, "Twenty-Five-Years-Ago", giving news from the *Record* of that date. The January 1932, issue contains, among others, the following items: "Elsie Drange (now Mrs .J. N. Kaufman, India) spent her vacation with her parents at Cullom, Illinois.

"President Byers assisted in a Bible Conference near Ada, Ohio, December 26-29.

"Blanche Brenneman (now Mrs. J. F. Ebersole, Cambridge, Massachusetts), attended the wedding of her former school friend, Ellen Schertz (now Mrs. L. C. Schertz, Metamora, Illinois), at Metamora, Illinois, December 27.

"Miss Wilma Smoker, (now Mrs. P. A. Hauder, Goshen, Indiana) entertained the members of the Junior (Academy) class at her home east of the College Saturday evening, December 8."

J. Frank Ebersole, '06, Professor of Finance, Harvard Business School, Harvard University, writes the leading article in the October number of the Harvard Business Review. Alumni in the vicinity of Goshen have read the article with great interest. In announcing the October number the publishers, McGraw-Hill Book Company, state: "Timely indeed is this frank discussion of the varying viewpoints and objectives involved in the ramifications of war debts and indemnities. With all the conflicting statements and opinions on reparations and their effects, the causes and results of gold movements and credit fluctuations, this article merits careful reading and consideration by thoughtful business men."

F. S. Ebersole, '01, Goshen, Indiana, donated a copy of the above-mentioned October *Harvard Business Review* to the College library.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Karl Samuel, son of Glen Kropf, '22, and Mrs. Kropf (Vera Schertz, '21,) South Bend, Indiana, was born November 13, 1931.

Lucille Marie, nine-pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delton Schrock, ex-'30, 1234 South Eighth St., Goshen, was born January 9, 1932.

Mary Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stemen, '20, Kendallville, Indiana, was born December 15, 1931.

John Menly, son of Dorsa Yoder, '23, and Mrs. Yoder (Hermione Brunk, ex-'24), was born October 4, 1931, in Ft. Wayne, where Mr. Yoder is an instructor in junior high school.

Phyllis Ann, daughter of Franklin Raber, '29, and Mrs. Raber (Clara Jennings, ex-'30) was born in Detroit, Michigan, December 30, 1931.

Theodore, son of Mr .and Mrs. George Miller (Grace Butte, ex-'31), was born at Iowa City, Iowa, on New Years Day.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

The 1931 series of evangelistic services, beginning November 29 and continuing for ten days, were conducted by Milo Kauffman, B. D., Northern Baptist Seminary, and M. A., Presbyterian Theological Seminary. His work both on the platform and in the consultation room was deeply appreciated by the students. His sermons had the old time Gospel ring. The

student prayer groups were an important part of the week's evangelistic effort. The Y. P. C. A., under the able leadership of James Steiner, '32, son of Bishop Albert Steiner, '00, is to be especially commended for its effective organization and fine spirit of cooperation. A number of confessions resulted, and some have already united with the Church as noted elsewhere.

HOME-COMING—1931

THE THIRD Annual Homecoming exceeded its predecessors in size, interest, and attendance. The Thanksgiving season gives alumni and former students such an opportunity to visit classes and catch the College atmosphere as no other get-together affords. For one thing, the weather was ideal and cars kept rolling in from many states until nearly noon. Some had arrived the day before. The Thanksgiving program conducted by President Yoder was a beautiful and inspiring service. The dinner was excellent, and the toasts just the kind that do everything up brown and leave a good taste in the mouth. To call the basket ball games exciting simply doesn't do them justice. Professor Yoder's chorus in its rendition of "The Holy City" justified every reasonable expectation. Take it all in all it was such a period of renewing old ties and forming new ones as no one can afford to, or cares to, miss next year. Followng is a partial list of those present. Unfortunately some one was so busy that not all the names were entered in the visitor's journal.

INDIANA

Raymond Yoder, Wakarusa; Jonny Yoder, West Lafayette; Helen Stauffer, Elkhart; A. B. Christophel, Goshen; Paton Yoder, Goshen; Lela Schertz, West Lafayette; Lucille Miller, LaGrange; Nellie Miller, Middlebury; Lucille McLaughlin, Elkhart; Clyde Hershberger, Nappanee; Eleanor Schertz, Goshen; Arthur Smith, South Bend; Henry J. Bohn, Goshen; C. P. Martin, Goshen; L. J. Martin, Goshen; Raymond Sommers, Kokomo; Barbara Zook, Goshen; Orpha Mae Huffman, Elkhart; Alice M. Housour, Elkhart; Wilbur Hostetler, Goshen; J. J. Hostetler, Elkhart; Huber Yoder, Elkhart.

ILLINOIS

Mabelle Smith, Eureka; Harold Schrock, Lowpoint; Freeman Schertz, Roanoke; Lorne Rocke, Tiskilwa; Agnes Albrecht, Tiskilwa; F. S. Martin, Chicago; Joseph Good, Rantoul; Glen Hershberger, Maywood; C. A. Mellinger, Sterling; Glen Ebersole, Sterling; A. M. Ebersole, Sterling; Lula Smith, Eureka; Ethel Albrecht, Tiskilwa; Walter E. Zehr, Fisher; Glenwood Schertz, Roanoke; Raymond Litwiller, Morton; John Kauffman, Tiskilwa; Vernon Rocke, Tiskilwa; Thelma Oyer, Roanoke; Alta Good, Rantoul; Tilman Smith, Roanoke; Cleo E. Cook, Paxton; Margaret Anderson, Chicago; Verna Smith, Eureka; Ralph Imhoff, Cazenovia; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Litwiler, Pekin.

OHIO

Olive Mast, Millersburg; Ralph Mumaw, Dalton; George Amstutz, Apple Creek; Noah Amstutz, Apple Creek; Katie Smucker, Smithville; Vesta A. Nafziger, Wauseon; Earl Miller, Berlin; Glen Mast, Millersburg; Willard Richer, Wauseon; Jephtha Smucker, West Liberty; Orin Beechy, Berlin; John Bender, Glenmont; Forrest King, Orrville; Loren S. King, West Liberty; Milton Rohrer, Orrville; Mildred Kreider, Wadsworth; Irene Zook, Sugar Creek; Sarah Hostetler, Barrs Mills; Arlene Gerber, Sugar Creek; Mary Miller, Sugar Creek; Nettie Glick, Sugar Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Titus Weaver, Walnut Creek; Frieda Amstutz, Dalton; Irvin Gerber, Dalton; Vernon Smucker, Orrville; Kenneth Burkholder, Smithville; Warren Miller, Sugar Creek; Ralph Suntheimer, Walnut Creek; Mast Miller, Millersburg; Evan Amstutz, Dalton; Mary Royer, Orrville; Grace Schwary, Canton; Edna Amstutz, Wooster; Meredith Rupp, Wauseon; Katharine Thoman, West Liberty; Bernice Gerig, Smithville; Evelyn Mast, Millersburg; Lena Smucker, West Liberty; Ellis Hostetler, Louisville; Edward Gerber, Sugar Cretk.

IOWA

Samuel L. Hershberger, Kalona; Katie Rhodes, Kalona.

MICHIGAN

Edna Oyer, St. Johns; Lois Oyer, Ashley; Milton Gascho, Imlay City.

PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. R. M. Luther, Johnstown.

MISSISSIPPI

Sharon Brunk; Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Stutsman.

NECROLOGY

The many friends of the B. B. Stoltzfus family were saddened to learn of the death of Rev. Stoltzfus at West Liberty, Ohio, December 6, 1931. He was for many years a staunch friend of Goshen College and actively interested in every progressive, forward-looking movement in the Church. At the cost of great personal sacrifice he made it possible for all of his seven children to attend the College. These, with his wife, Emma (Rich) Stoltzfus, survive him: Lydia, ex-'09, (Mrs. E. B. Snyder), Bellefontaine, Ohio; Fannie, ex-'14 (Mrs. William B. Weaver), Danvers, Illinois; Rose, ex-'16, (Mrs. Oliver Byler), West Liberty, Ohio; Lena, A. B., '21, R. N., West Liberty, Ohio; Rev. William, A. B., '17, Amtrican College, Aleppo, Syria; Rev. B. Frank, A. B., '17, American College, Sofia, Bulgaria, absent on furlough and student in Chicago Theological Seminary; Eli, A. B., '22, graduate student in mechanical arts, Carnegie Technical Institute.

In obedience to his express request, the earthly remains of Rev. Stoltzfus were laid to rest in the Hooley Cemetery near the Oak Grove Mennonite Church, Champaign county, Ohio, where his mother, Mrs. Lydia (Beiler) Stoltzfus and his sister, Mrs. Nancy (Stoltzfus) Umble lie buried.

Y. D. Yoder passed away on November 9, from the results of an apoplectic stroke. "Yost", as he was familiarly called on the campus, had been actively interested in the welfare of the College and always on hand ready to help in any way ever since he came to Goshen in 1929 to superintend the erection of John S. Coffman Hall. In the following year, he remodelled Kulp Hall according to plans drawn up by President Yoder. To quote from the *College Record*:

"During his residence on the campus, Yost gave considerable thought and effort to the improvement and beautification of the campus. He assisted and advised in changing the driveway; he helped locate and construct the pergola, a donation from the President; he installed the heating plant in the gymnasium and rebuilt the chimney. He made improvements in the laboratories, and suggested other features that add to the various departments of the institution."

Mrs. Martha (Farmwald) Hershberger, grandmother of Professor G. F. Hershberger, died near Kalona, Iowa, January 20, 1932. Funeral services were held at Elkhart, Indiana, and interment made in the Kietley cemetery near Shipshewanna.

Mrs. John Eash, mother of Mrs. LeRoy Hostetler, (Louella Eash, '25), died very suddenly at her home north of Goshen, November 17 1931.

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JOHN UMBLE ---------- Editor

Commencement Week Program, June 4-8, 1932

Saturday, June 4 ——
8:00 P. M. Musical Program ---------- The College Choruses
Sunday, June 5 —— Missionary Day
9:30 A. M. Sunday School
10:45 A. M. Missionary Sermon --- M. C. Lehman, Dhamtari, India
8:00 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon -- President Sanford Calvin Yoder
Monday, June 6 —— Senior Class Day
7:00 P. M. Class Day Exercises on Campus
8:00 P. M. Senior Class Program
Tuesday, June 7 —— Alumni Day
10:00 A. M. Literary Society Reunions
2:00 P. M. Program by Men's Chorus
6:30 P. M. Alumni Dinner and Reunion
Wednesday, June 8 —— Commencement Day
10:00 A. M. Final Chapel and Devotional Meeting
1:00 P. M. College Luncheon
8:00 P. M. Commencement Address ---------- Dr. C. C. Ellis, Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pennsylvania

All events of Commencement Week are scheduled on Daylight Saving Time, one hour faster than Central Standard Time.

WITHIN recent weeks alumni have asked, What can we do for Goshen College that does not cost too much money? The answer is not difficult. There are five, at least five, things that you will enjoy doing and that will prove a valuable, much appreciated, and an inexpensive service to your Alma Mater. First, visit the campus whenever you can; second, "spike" the silly story or nasty rumor about the College; third, "talk Goshen"; fourth, support the College publications; and fifth, form or join a "Send-a-Student-to-Goshen-College" Club.

Alumni, old or young, are always welcome on the campus, to be sure, but there are several high points in the year when we are more or less "dressed for company". Commencement in June, Home-Coming at Thanksgiving, Christian Life Conference in February — come at these times, if possible, and bring friends with you and encourage others to come. Many young men and women have received their first impressions of the College during one of these inspirational peaks of the year and have returned later to become enthusiastic students and friends of Goshen College. Some of you cannot come during the school-year. For you the Summer Reunion, held on the campus on the last Sunday in August, will furnish an opportunity to revisit the campus and meet many friends of the dear long ago. Friends have been present at one Reunion

from Massachusetts and California, from Alberta, Canada, and Mississippi. One thing more. When you come to visit us, let the editor of the home-town paper know about it. Let people know that there is such a place as Goshen College and that good people like yourself are interested in it.

Then, too, you know the havoc that rumor or a slightly twisted story can create in the minds of the uninformed. As a loyal alumnus you can say, Would it not be wise to investigate this story before we allow it to hinder the work of the Church for her young people or to cause unhappiness and heartache to noble men and women who are devoting their lives to that work and who, at this very moment when we are talking about them, are going about their arduous tasks with never a thought of anything except to serve their Master and ours and to pour out their lives for the young people of the Church? And then won't you write directly to the President of the College to get the facts and arm yourself to meet the thing the next time it shows its head? Unfortunately, too, until some perfect people come to take our places, we shall probably continue to need an occasional bit of constructive criticism. May God help us to take it and to profit by it!

And you can help by "talking Goshen College". Tell your young friends about the scholarships that Goshen College is offering. Inform yourself about the courses offered here and about the success of alumni in various fields. Tell folks about the almost phenominal success of some of our recent graduates, about Leonard Kreider's assistantship in Chemistry at Ohio State, about Orie Eigsti's admission to graduate standing in botany at Illinois (State) University on the recommendation of the head of his department in spite of a petty regulation to the contrary, about the work of Cecil Bender and F. S. Martin at Northwestern Medical and Jonathan Yoder at Indiana Medical. Goshen citizens are beginning to "talk Goshen College", and they are sending their boys and girls to the College by the score. Tell your friends how many of the alumni are taking an active part in Sunday school and church work.

None of the above will cost you much money. The next will cost a little more, but you won't mind the outlay when you once get the habit. You would enjoy supporting the College publications. There was a time when you would not have thought of allowing your subscription to the *College Record* to lapse. And what did you value more than the *Maple Leaf?* You would not read them word for word now as you did then, but would you not enjoy glancing through one occasionally? And, anyway, you were asking what you could do to help your Alma Mater. Subscribe for the *College Record,* buy a *Maple Leaf,* and then keep them in plain sight as a piece of advertising for the College. And do you know that the *Mennonite Quarterly Review* is being referred to by such authority as Dr. W. W. Sweet as the outstanding denominational publication in American church history today? The yearly subscription is only one dollar and each volume makes a book of over three hundred pages of diaries and letters of early Mennonite ministers, book reviews, articles historical or timely, and much other information, useful and interesting to Mennonites and others of Mennonite parentage. Keeping the College publications on your table or in your magazine rack will furnish many an opportunity for a helpful conversation on Goshen College.

We have reached number five. Organize a "Send-a-Student-to-Goshen-College" Club. On account of economic conditions many deserving young people will be permanently deprived of the privilege of going to college unless their friends interest themselves actively in their behalf. Instead of making a small cash donation to the College next year form a club of ten or fifteen alumni, former students, and friends of youth and Goshen College, and pay the tuition of a promising high school graduate in your community next year. This is an opportunity for a high type of service and the need is urgent. If you do not have a desirable or needy candidate for such assistance in your own community, the alumni office can supply you with the names of a number of superior students of Goshen College who cannot return to graduate next year unless they receive help.

Have we answered your question?

The editor gratefully acknowledges the assistance of a number of faculty members and others in the preparation of various notes intended to give alumni a bird's-eye view of the year's work at the College. Where the contributors have been too modest to point out their own valuable contribution to our community life and interests, the editor has taken the liberty to insert names and additional facts.

Before the NEWS LETTER is mailed, you will no doubt receive a letter from the secretary and the treasurer calling attention to the Annual Banquet and Reunion and the payment of dues. For the first time in many years the treasurer's report shows the year's business closed without a deficit. Prompt remittance of your dues will make a similar record possible for next year.

CAMPUS NOTES

Der Deutsche Verein began its monthly meetings last August with forty-three members. The first program was given in the Vesperian room with Professor Enss as the speaker of the evening. He spoke in German on the cultural values of the German

language. Several songs were sung and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed. Later on during the first semester Dean Bender gave an illustrated lecture on the different types of German architecture. These pictures afforded a glimpse of the earlier styles of building which make Germany so attractive to tourists today. Very interesting and of real value in the use of the language was the Christmas program, given a short time before vacation. The public was invited and many were surprised at the fluent speech of the performers. Professor Enss had dramatized Herod's reception of the wise men as other suitable material could not be obtained. The aim was to give as many students as possible some part in the program. The girls' singing was particularly appreciated. About thirty members participated. During the second semester the "Verein" has been working on a dramatization of "Der Glocke, von Schiller" and the public rendition is under consideration.

During the year the Mennonite Historical Society has been quite active. Three programs were presented. The first program consisted of an address by H. S. Bender on "Distribution of Mennonites Throughout the World". The second program featured a memorial service for the late John F. Funk, noted Mennonite church leader and pubilsher, who died January 8, 1930. At the third program, J. W. Shank gave an illustrated address on "Mennonite History in Argentine". The Funk Memorial program attracted special interest because of the outsanding contribution of Funk to the Mennonite church. The society cooperated with the family in arranging the service. Five bishops of the Mennonite church were on the program, J. W. Christophel, D. A. Yoder, J. K. Bixler, D. J. Johns, and S. C. Yoder. Aaron C. Kolb of Kitchener, Ontario, read a paper on "The Life and Work of John F. Funk". D. J. Johns gave a talk on "John F. Funk As I Knew Him". A large audience enjoyed the impressive service. In addition to its regular programs, the society continued and enlarged its publication work. At the request of the college the society assumed the responsibility of acting as publishing agent for the *Mennonite Quarterly Review*. The third volume in the society series of publications appeared in December, 1931. It was a history of the Hutterian Brethren by John Horsch entitled *The Hutterian Brethren*, 1527-1931, *A Story of Martyrdom and Loyalty*.

The programs of the Home Economics Club have been of a varied nature this year. Among the most interesting ones were: the Thanksgiving program in which members discussed "The Spirit of Thanksgiving in the Home", "Suitable Thanksgiving Decorations", and "An Ideal Thanksgiving Dinner Menu for 1931"; the Christmas dinner and party at Agnes Weaver's home, where the members made a gift for Miss Edith Witmer, the organizer of the Club; the Valentine social, featuring the initiation of the new members; the interesting talk given just before Easter vacation by Mrs. G. H. Enss on "True Courtesy in the Home"; and the worthwhile report given on the Vocational Education Conference held at Valparaiso and Chicago on April 15 and 16 by Miss Wright, critic teacher of home economics in the Goshen High School.

The largest project undertaken by the Club was that of serving the regular dinner in the dining hall on Thursday evening, February 25. The girls did the planning, preparing, and serving of the meal. The object was to provide a well-balanced, nutritive, and artistic meal as economically as possible. The three course dinner was served at an approximate cost of sixteen cents per plate. The members felt well repaid for their work, because the students seemed to enjoy the food, including the spinach salad.

Throughout the year the faculty has met in an informal way about once a month for dinner in the annex dining room of Kulp Hall. Frequently these dinners were followed by discussion meetings in the women's social room. For the past five years it has been customary for the Meal Planning Class to serve a three course dinner for the members of the faculty and their wives in the home economics rooms. At this annual dinner on Saturday evening, April 16, President Sanford Yoder was toastmaster; Mrs. M. C. Lehman, '06, and J. W. Shank, '10, spoke on what Goshen College has done and should do in fostering missions; Professor D. A. Lehman toasted on "Goshen College in My Memories", and C. L. Graber challenged with an appeal for "Goshen College and the Church". Twenty-seven faculty members and wives were present.

The Goshen College spring term began on Wednesday, April 27 and will continue for six weeks. Work is being offered in physiology, sociology, geography, English, education, American history, and in home economics. The spring term is intended for the benefit of teachers whose teaching year is over in time to make it possible to attend.

The summer session begins this year on Thursday, June 9, immediately after commencement. The regular term is nine weeks and closes August 10. For the benefit of those interested in a shorter term, it is possible for students wishing to do so, to attend for the first six weeks only, and receive full credit for the work completed.

This summer the college congregation is planning to hold a vacation Bible school, for the benefit of the children of the congregation and of the community. It is proposed now that the school be held for five weeks, beginning on Monday, June 13.

The "Cercle Francais" has had another interesting year under the direction of Professor Lydia Shank. At Christmas time a

public program was given, and on March 10, the Cercle presented John Thut '22, in concert. Sponsoring a concert is a project which the Cercle hopes to promote annually. On Wednesday night, April 20, the last meeting of the year was held in Science Hall. The most delightful feature of the evening was a literary review. Each member represented either an author or some interesting character in French literature. After paying for some equipment for the department, the Cercle has sufficient funds left to subscribe for a French daily for next year.

THANK YOU

At its recent business meeting, May 2, the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Members of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association of Goshen College express their gratification at the splendid response of the Alumni to the appeal of the President of the College and of the Alumni Association for funds to meet the current operating deficit of the College, and further express their thanks to the individual contributors for their gifts. We believe that the spirit manifested by this response is a guarantee that the Alumni will rally to the support of the College in every time of need.

STUDENT SOLICITATION

An intensive campaign of student solicitation was inaugurated this spring and will be continued until the opening of school this fall. During Easter vacation, Professor Smith worked in Illinois, Dr. Miller spent some time in Johnson County, Iowa, and Professor Bender solicited a number of communities in Ohio. All reported considerable interest and good prospects for the enrollment next fall. Much interest is being aroused by the scholarship program. On a recent week end M. C. Lehman was in Eastern Ohio in student solicitation. During the summer, Mr. Lehman will be active in the campaign and various members of the faculty will be out on the field. During the year the college conducted an intensive campaign to present the advantages of attendance at Goshen College before all the high school students of Elkhart county and before many in adjoining counties. Each school has been visited twice, a program given, personal conferences held, and interesting contacts made with supervising officials and prospective students. Prospects are excellent for a good enrollment of highly desirable students from the local constituency next year. Keen interest exists in the Elkhart County scholarships.

THE NEW SCHOLARSHIPS

In order to meet the challenge of the depression and enable worthy students to attend college next year, Goshen College has inaugurated a program to give scholarships to superior students for those who apply for admission to the freshman class. Over thirty scholarships have been announced for the coming year. They are called freshman scholarships, ten of them having the additional title "Elkhart County Scholarships". Their value varies from $50.00 to $150.00. There are three full tuition scholarships worth $150.00 each; twenty half tuition scholarships worth $75.00 each; and ten Elkhart county scholarships worth from $50.00 to $100.00 each. The Elkhart county scholarships are offered in cooperation with the local community organizations such as the Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, and similar civic groups.

All freshman scholarships are competitive. Candidates must rank in the upper third in their graduating class in high school. The awards will be made on the basis of scholarship, character, and achievement. The regular freshman scholarships are open to graduates of high schools anywhere in the Goshen College constituency. Elkhart County scholarships are open to graduates of high schools in Elkhart county and adjoining counties.

In addition to the above scholarships the College is putting regular student "jobs" on a scholarship basis and calling them Service Scholarships. About twenty of these scholarships are available. They are not competitive but awarded on the basis of need. There are also the usual number of student assistants. Altogether, scholarships will be available to fifty students of which thirty are available to freshmen alone. Alumni and friends may aid the College by making these scholarships known to prospective students.

The College has taken further steps to aid deserving students by establishing a loan fund. The size of this loan has not yet been determined.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

The annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education, which operates and controls the college, was held at the Forks Mennonite church near Middlebury, Indiana February 22 and 23. Twenty-nine members of the board were represented in person or by proxy. Among those present from a distance were J. D. Mininger of Kansas City Mo., Aaron Loucks of Scottdale, Pa., J. M Kreider, Palmyra, Mo., J. C. Gingerich of Local, Minn., J. L. Stauffer and Chester K Lehman of Harrisonburg, Virginia, Perry Blosser of South English, Iowa, A. J. Steiner of North Lima, Ohio, O. N. Johns of Louisville, Ohio, and others.

The usual routine business of the board was conducted. Annual reports of the two institutions controlled by the board, Goshen College and Hesston College, were given by the respective officials, and annual reports of the officers of the board were also given

A special item of business was the revision of the constitution of the board. The revised constitution was adopted in final form.

The election of members and officers resulted in no changes, the entire list of officers being re-elected: D. A. Yoder, president; S. F. Coffman, secretary; Aaron Loucks, treasurer, O. O. Miller, financial agent. The administrative officers of Goshen College were re-elected: S. C. Yoder, president; H. S. Bender, acting dean; Edwin Yoder, acting business manager. It was decided that Hesston College, Hesston, Kansas, should suspend its college department for one year. Chester K. Lehman, dean of the Eastern Mennonite school at Harrisonburg, Va., was given a call to the presidency of Hesston college, subject to release by the Eastern Mennonite school.

NECROLOGY

Menno C. Smucker, 73, former Elkhart county resident, died at his home in Smithville, Ohio, February 16. Death was caused by heart trouble. Mr. Smucker was the father of Vernon, '15, and Jesse, '18, who with their mother survive to mourn his loss.

Lewis J. Yordy, '31, died February 10, at the age of 26. He was a young man of great promise and sterling Christian character. The last two years he was elected superintendent of the Y. P. M. of the Roanoke, Illinois, church.

Dr. Menno H. Hostetler ex-'06, died in Topeka, Kansas, Sunday evening, April 10, aged 50. He is survived by two children, Ann and Max, and his wife (Mabel Yoder, ex-'07). Dr. Hostetler, head of the Sedgwick county health institute, had gone to Topeka from his home in Wichita to attend a meeting of the state health society, where he was to give the opening address Monday morning. Apparently in good heath, he suffered a stroke and died soon afterward.

John M. Yoder, ex-'10, passed away at his home, 423 South Fifth street, Goshen, Indiana, on April 21 after an illness which had confined him to his home since early in January. Death was due to a cerebreal hemmorhage. Mr. Yoder was president of the Goshen Milk Condensing company, vice-president of the City National Bank, of Goshen, and president of Elkhart Ice Cream company. He was held in the highest esteem by business associates and citizens of Goshen. He was an active member of the Eighth Street Mennonite church. Burial was made in Violet cemetery. During recent years Mr. Yoder has contributed annually one of the prizes for the annual discussion contest at the College.

Mrs. Joseph A. Hooley, mother of Mary E. Hooley, '16, instructor in English Bethel College, Newton, Kansas, died at her home, West Liberty, Ohio.

Charles, thirteen-month-old son of Howard Yoder, '22, and Mrs. Yoder (Ethel Good), died March 17.

Friday evening, March 4, John Phillip, three-year old son of Professor and Mrs. Guy F. Hershberger passed away in Boston, Massachusetts, where Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger had him under the care of a specialist. The funeral was held in Assembly Hall, March 10.

Mrs. Jay D. Brenneman (Alta Miller), Kalona, Iowa, died May 5. Mr. Brenneman was a member of the academy class of 1907.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Burtron David, second son of Raymond J. Schertz, '22, and Mrs. Schertz (Florence Landis, '15), Metamora, Illinois, was born March 19.

Kent, son of Rev. Payson Miller, '18, and Mrs. Miller (Cleora Basinger), Wayland, Massachusetts, was born March 24. Rev. Miller is pastor of the Parish Church in Wayland.

Patricia Ann, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Earle G. Hutchinson (Catherine Martin '27) Ovid, Michigan, was born April 14.

Harriett Ann, daughter of J. H. Warye, '17, and Mrs. Warye, was born April 19. Mr. Warye is superintendent of schools at Mingo, Ohio.

Genevieve Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Liechty, '27, (Helen Yoder, ex-'33), was born April 4.

Mildred Irene, fifth consecutive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graber, Wayland, Iowa, was born May 5.

WEDDING BELLS

On Sunday, January 10, at the Prairie Street Mennonite church, Elkhart, Indiana, occurred the marriage of Virgil David Good ex-'30, son of Preacher Jacob A. Good and wife of Perry county, Ohio, to Velma Levora Pletcher, J. S. Hartzler officiating. The bride's sister, Cleo, and Leonard Yoder of the Leo congregation in Allen county, Indiana, were married at the same time and place.

Ellis Mervin Martin ex-'33, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Martin, south of Elkhart, Indiana, and Clyda Geiser, daughter of B. F. Geiser, 1513 South Main street, Goshen, were married Sunday, March 27, by Bishop David Yoder at his home near Elkhart. Mr. and Mrs. Martin will make their home on the farm belonging to the groom's parents.

Albert R. Shellenberger, ex-'32, Limon, Colorado, and Arvella Teter, Flager, Colorado, were married Friday, February 19, in Goodland, Kansas. Before her marriage, Mrs. Shellenberger was a stenographer in the First National Bank at Flager. Mr. Shellenberger is teaching a rural school near Thur-

man. They are making their home in Flager, Colorado.

Hettie Mae Brenneman, ex-'30, Kalona, Iowa, and Harry Frey, Middlebury, Indiana, were married at the home of President and Mrs. Yoder, May 8. Mr. and Mrs. Frey will spend the summer in California. On their return they will locate in Iowa where Mrs. Frey will be engaged in teaching.

PERSONALS

Professor Bender, acting dean of the College, spent the Easter holiday vacation week on a trip through Ohio, speaking in behalf of the Russian Relief work of the Mennonite Central Committee and represented the College in student solicitation. He gave addresses at the Central church near Archbold; Beech church, near Louisville; Bethel church, near Wadsworth; Walnut Creek in Holmes county; Martins Creek, near Berlin; and Martins, near Orrville; South Union, near West Liberty. He also attended the annual meeting of the North Central Association of colleges and secondary schools in company with Dr. Hertzler.

Professor Enss gave two Passion Week addresses at the Oak Grove church, near Smithville, Ohio, and three addresses in the churches near North Lima, Ohio.

Dr. S. T. Miller, '02, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Elkhart County Medical association for the twelfth consecutive year at its recent meeting.

Dr. Harry G. Good, '08, professor of education at Ohio State university contributed an interesting article on "Invention and the Map", in *School and Society,* for April 30, 1932.

Alumni attending the February meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education held at the Forks church near Middlebury, Indiana were: H. S. Bender, '18, and Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, representing the Alumni Association; J. W. Shank, '10, representing the South American Mennonite Conference; Orie O. Miller, '15, representing the Lancaster Mennonite Conference; and A. J. Steiner, '00, proxy for M. C. Lehman, '04, representing the Indian Mennonite Conference.

J. W. Shank, '10, who has been teaching the junior and senior mission study class, gave an illustrated lecture on South America on Tuesday evening, May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hostetler, '29, (Ardis Ebersole, ex-'30) with their daughter, Esther Ruth, visited on the campus, April 17.

Amasa Kauffman, '28, is superintendent of the Forks Sunday school near Middlebury, Indiana.

Samuel Hershberger, ex-'34, is assistant superintendent of East Union Sunday school, near Kalona, Iowa. This Sunday school is one of the largest churches in Iowa, the enrollment being over 400.

Howard Sigrist, husband of Wilma Welty, '28, is coach and instructor in the junior and senior high school, Wolcottville, Indiana. They have a year-old son, David Ray.

Maurice A. Yoder, '27, has purchased the Yost Grocery in Hesston, Kansas, and has given the store a complete renovation. His latest improvement is the installation of a frigidaire display case.

Ellis Zook, ex-'27, and his wife, Mary Graber, '25, with their two children, Erma and John Mervin, are living on a farm near Noble, Iowa. Mr. Zook is minister in the Sugar Creek Mennonite church near Wayland. In addition to his farming and ministerial work, he conducts a tri-county male chorus.

Cecil K. Bender, '29, a student of medicine in Northwestern University, visited with his mother, Mrs. Elsie Bender, Goshen, Indiana, over the week-end of February 27-28.

A number of alumni and ex-students attended the Christian Life Conference. Those taking part on the program were: J. W. Shank, '10, Buenos Aires, Argentine; A. J. Steiner, '00, North Lima, Ohio; Orie O. Miller, '15, Akron, Pennsylvania; and Mahlon O. Krabill, '22, Louisville, Ohio. Other alumni from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Smucker, '28 and '29; Leahbelle Smucker, '30 and Dula Roth, '29, West Liberty, Ohio; Katie Smucker, '30, Smithville, Ohio; Ora Keiser, '31, Peoria, Illinois; Alta Brenneman, '30, Wellman, Iowa; Mary Widmer Wenger, '29, Wayland, Iowa; and Jonathan G. Yoder, '27, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Tilman Smith, is superintendent of the Metamora Sunday school near Roanoke, Illinois. He has been elected principal of the Roanoke schools for the coming school year.

Paul Kortemeier, ex-'31, is one of the superintendents of the Freeport, Illinois, Sunday school. Esther Meck, ex-'33, is chorister. Rozella Gramley, ex-'33, and Esther Meck are members of the Young People's Meeting committee.

Edwin I. Weaver, '30, of Hesston, Kansas, is attending Biblical Seminary of New York.

John L. Yoder, 11, West Liberty, Ohio, gave an address on herd improvement and breeding during the West Liberty Y. M. F. C. Dairying short course on January 26.

Raber Kennel, ex-'29, received a certificate from the Junior college of the George Washington University at the bicentennial convocation of that institution held in Constitution Hall, the auditorium of the Daughters of the American Revolution, on the evening of February 22.

Mrs. Lloyd W. Slagle (Fern Bontrager, '18), president of the American Legion auxiliary of Goshen, attended the child welfare conference of Aerie D, American Legion in Cincinnati in February. The Goshen auxiliary has over two hundred twenty members.

John G. Habecker, '27, 34 Henderson Terrace, Burlington, Vermont, is doing graduate work in the University of Vermont for the M. S. degree in Biology.

Lena Smucker ex-'30, is teaching the fourth and fifth grades in the Mingo, Ohio, public schools.

Arthur L. Sprunger, '22, Goshen artist and art instructor in Goshen high school and Goshen College, had a group of his work exhibited at the Eighth Hoosier Salon in Chicago. He exhibited three prints and two water colors.

Esther Leininger, '29, Elkhart, Indiana, visited on the campus over the week-end of February 8.

Mrs. Howard Y. Musselman (Ruth Miller, '30), Ortanna, Pennsylvania, visited friends on the campus during the first week in February.

Leonard Kreider, '31, Wadsworth, Ohio, graduate student at Ohio State University, visited friends in Goshen, Sunday, March 27.

Herman H. Kreider, ex-'23, treasurer of the American Board for Foreign Missions at Constantinople, contributed some natural color photographs for the April number of the National Geographic Magazine.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, has been honored by a "Who's Who in Genealogy" sketch of his work in the list of the leading active genealogical researchers in the United States, in The Hand Book of American Genealogy recently issued by The Institute of American Genealogy of Chicago. Dr. Hertzler is bringing the Hertzler Genealogy up to date.

Joseph Graber, '25, and Mrs. Graber (Minnie Swartzendruber, ex-'27) recently arrived in Goshen after spending seven years on the India mission field. They expect to spend the summer at their former home near Wayland, Iowa.

William Diephuis, ex-'31, is completing his work for the A. B. degree in Calvin College at Grand Rapids, Michigan, this June.

William Hallman '29, and Mrs. Hallman (Beatrice Hershey, '29) reside at 2470 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Mr. Hallman is field representative for Reading District Number Six, International Correspondence Schools.

The January number of the News Letter should have stated that Josephus W. Shank, '10, Mrs. Shank, and son, Paul, have returned from the South American mission field on furlough. They reside in the College Apartments on College Avenue. Mr. Shank's is a familiar figure in the College Library where he is reviving his former interests as a student of English Literature. According to present plans he will teach several English courses in the College during the first semester next year.

Jonathan G. Yoder, '27, junior in Indiana Medical School at Indianapolis, visited friends in Goshen, March 18.

Samuel A. Yoder, '28, instructor in English in the College is absent on leave for graduate work in English at Michigan University during the second semester. He expects to continue his work there during the next school year.

Ira Hoover, ex-'32, is Sunday school superintendent at the Yellow Creek congregation, southwest of Goshen.

Clarence Holloway, '31, is superinendent of the Sunday school at Nappanee North.

Galen Roose ex-'16, is superintendent of schools at Nappanee. He completed his work for the A. B. degree at Indiana University, some years ago.

Joseph H. Bontrager, ex-'08, owns and operates an up-to-date filling station and lunch room on route 19, one mile east of Wakarusa, Indiana. When motoring through, stop with Joe and fill your gasoline tank with "Phillips 66".

Professor Silas Hertzler attended the meeting of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars in Chicago, April 19-21.

Dr. L. E. Blauch, '16, gave an address before the April meeting of the American assocation of Collegiate Registrars on "A Means of Evaluating Catalogs of Educational Institutions.'

U. Grant Weaver, professor of elementary education, on leave of absence for graduate study at the University of Colorado during the first semester, has resumed his duties at the college at the mid-year. He has met all residence requirements for the M. A. degree and will receive that degree on completion of his thesis in August. During the summer session, in addition to regular teaching, he will be director of the "Model School', a new feature of the elementary teacher training program.

The Mission committee of the Y. P. C. A. has posted on the mission bulletin board a list of the alumni and ex-students who have given their services in missionary work in foreign fields. Twenty-one have gone to India, eleven to South America, two to Syria, one to Africa, one to Bulgaria, and one to Turkey.

D.. Albert Hershberger, '26, is a chemist for the Du Pont Cellophane Company, Buf-

falo, N. Y. His address is 4 Windspear Avenue, Buffalo.

Edna Oyer, '29, is teaching a rural school near St. Johns, Michigan. She is also superintendent of the primary department of the Mennonite Sunday school near Ashley.

Ada Thut, '30, who teaches near Doylestown, Pennsylvania, has arranged an interesting project for her seventh grade geography class. They exchange letters with Edna Oyer's geography class in Michigan.

Lydia Hershberger '28, teaches a rural school near Iowa City, Iowa. During the past summer she taught in the daily Vacation Bible Schools of Kalona and the East Union Mennonite Church.

David Leichty, '27, and his wife have moved from West Liberty, Ohio, to King's Creek, Ohio, where he will operate the flour mill he purchased some time ago.

F. S. Martin, '29, student of medicine at Northwestern university, spent the week-end of March 20 at his home in Goshen.

C. L. Graber, pastor of the college congregation, has moved to his former home in Wayland, Iowa, with his family. He has been chosen cashier of the Wayland State Bank. He will retain his connection with the College and the office of the Mennonite Board of Education at Elkhart, Indiana.

Silas Smucker, '30, graduate student at Purdue University, visited on the campus, Sunday, January 31.

Elmer D. Mast '29, for two years pastor of Trinity Evangelical Church, Louisville, Kentucky, has just been given charge of a congregation under the same conference at Carnie, Illinois. His new address is 702 North Third Street, Carnie, Illinois.

Ralph M. Holdeman, ex-'29, of New Paris, Indiana, was ordained to the ministry of the Evangelical church, in the closing session of the eighth annual Indiana conference. He was appointed to the Trinity Evangelical church in Louisville, Kentucky, where he will take up active pastoral work the last of May. He began his college work at Goshen College in 1925. He took his last two years and graduated with an A. B. degree from North Central College, Naperville, Illinois, in the class of 1929. The past three years he has been spending in graduate theological work at the Evangelical Theological Seminary, Naperville, Illinois, and will receive his B. D. degree May 31.

Leonard Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio, '31, student in chemistry at Ohio State university since last September, has been awarded a graduate assistantship in chemistry at that institution. He writes that the graduate from a small college is at no disadvantage in pursuing graduate study at a state school. There were two hundred applicants for the ten assistantships that the university offers to graduate students and Mr. Kreider feels that Goshen College should have due credit for his success. The assistantship in chemistry pays five hundred dollars in cash and exempts the recipient from the payment of all tuition fees and dues for one year including the succeeding summer session.

M. C. Lehman. '04, has just received appointment to the Edward S. Hume Memorial Fellowship at Yale university. This award is customarily made to a missionary to Asia, or native Christian leader of Asia, who seems particularly well qualified for graduate study in religion and missions. The fellowship pays five hundred dollars in cash. In addition to this cash amount, the university pays all the expenses of publishing the doctor's thesis and purchases any books that the holder of the fellowship needs for the completion of his study.

President Sanford Calvin Yoder spent the week end of April 26 at Manson, Iowa, where he filled appointments at the Mennonite church Sunday morning and evening. On May 9 he was called to Iowa to conduct the funeral of Mrs. Jay Brenneman, a member of the congregation where he was formerly pastor. Jay Brenneman was formerly a student at Goshen College.

Roy G. Stutzman, who graduated from the Academy in 1920, has since that time worked out his A. B. degree. He is now attending Illinois Normal University at Bloomington, Illinois.

Hannah Good, ex-'32, is chorister of the Mennonite Sunday school near South English, Iowa.

Early Bontrager, ex-'14, was ordained to the ministry at the Forks church near Middlebury, Indiana, Sunday, May 8.

The Heatwole sisters, Ruth and Lenna, ex-'31 and ex-'32 respectively, have nearly regained their health at the LaJunta Mennonite hospital.

Howard Y. Musselman, '29, under treatment at the LaJunta hospital is reported on the way to speedy recovery.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS LETTER

JOHN UMBLE ---------- Editor

THE COLLEGE and the Alumni office greatly appreciated the presence of such a large number of alumni on the campus for Commencement. The alumni reunion was by far the largest in recent years and the enthusiastic spirit of cooperation among alumni assisted materially in carrying through a highly successful commencement program.

After several years of agitation and maturing of a plan to extend membership in the Alumni Association to former students as well as graduates, the Alumni Association adopted an amendment granting unrestricted membership to all former students who have been in residence for one full year. When this plan was mentioned five years ago, it met with almost universal disapproval. The president, however, appointed a committee to investigate the practise in other institutions. When that committee reported that most alumni associations now extend membership to former students as well as to graduates and pointed out some of the supposed advantages, sentiment began to crystalize in favor of an amendment to the constitution to embody the proposed change. From year to year the matter has been postponed to bide "the ripening time."

At the 1932 annual business meeting the Association unanimously adopted an amendment to the constitution extending full membership rights to everyone who has been a resident student of the Elkhart Institute or Goshen College, for one full year and whose class has graduated.

As soon as the proper mailing lists can be prepared, it is proposed to send the NEWS LETTER to all alumni. And from henceforth "Alumni" will mean all persons who have attended these two schools for one year and whose class has graduated. Please assist the Secretary's office in compiling a complete mailing list of all alumni as soon as possible.

The Alumni Association welcomes the hundreds of new members who automatically became a part of the great band of loyal alumni on June 7, 1932. What are your rights? You have all the rights any other alumnus has. Can you hold office? There are no restrictions. You are a member; any member is eligible to hold office. Must you pay dues? Why say "must?" Some other members consider it a privilege to pay dues. We hope some of the new members will, too; but, frankly we don't know what we should do with all the money if every one of you would pay up right on the spot. When should dues be paid? Well, dues are one dollar a year. A convenient time to pay them is when you buy your ticket for the annual banquet in June. But the secretary will tell you that there is not a month in the year when some alumnus does not "obey that impulse." The editor saw the secretary open a letter from an Ohio alumnus this morning (July 13), and calmly extract a dollar bill without the least appearance of surprise. Nothing more than a look of pleased satisfaction!

To be sure the modest budget of the Association does not require much cash; but, if we had a little more money, we should print a somewhat larger NEWS LETTER including, occasionally, a cut or a special feature. Then too, the directors are looking forward to printing a new directory in a few years with a special section for the non-graduates. And we ought to be laying by a little nest-egg for that project.

In common with other denominational colleges Goshen College finds that the spectre known as economic depression deters many young people from venturing into student life. Her agents traveling among churches find however that there are many

who could enter college and who have sufficient funds, but do not realize the advantage of doing so. The prospects for students for the next year are as bright as they have ever been.

There is scarcely a congregation where there are not a number of Goshen College alumni now resident. These can be of much help to the College in approaching students who are contemplating going to college next year. Could not such hold a meeting of local alumni and invite in all high school graduates and others interested and explain the advantages of college training? This would be a most effective way of greatly increasing the number who enroll next year.

We would urge on alumni that they take this matter seriously and assume the responsibility of holding such a meeting and reporting their results to the executive secretary, M. C. Lehman, Goshen, Indiana. Any one desiring information along this line should write to him and information will be cheerfully furnished or any other help given.

CAMPUS NOTES

The following faculty members and students attended the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities held at Eureka, Ill., May 22-24. President Sanford Calvin Yoder, who is secretary of the Board, Dean H. S. Bender, '18, Mr. and Mrs. John Umble, '01, Miss Selena Gamber, '33, John Bender, '30, Wilbur Hostetler, '30, Fyrne Miller, '30, Ezra Beachy, '33, Bertha Nohejl, '33, Lilly Esch, '32, Alta Housour, '32, Irene Lehman, '32, Velma Lapp, '32, Gladys Burkhart, '32, Eva Yeackley, '32, Harold Burkholder '32, H. Clair Amstutz, '33, Ross Gerber, '33, John Baer, '33, Verna Enss, '33, Mary Gingrich, '35.

The annual meeting of the Northern Indiana Mennonite literary societies was held on the campus, May 28. They presented an admirable program of varied numbers in Assembly Hall in the afternoon and evening. The Y. P. C. A. of the College had charge of the entertainment features between sessions. Over eight hundred young people were present.

The College congregation held its first Vacation Bible School this summer. The five weeks session closed with an exhibition and public program, Friday evening, July 8. Eighty-eight boys and girls of Parkside were enrolled. Mary Royer, '30, (M. A., George Peabody College for Teachers, 1931), was director. The school opened with Olive Wyse, '25, Nellie Miller, '31, and Elva Gunden, '34 as teachers, but the enrollment soon doubled, then trebled and quadrupled making additional teachers necessary. Edwin Herner, '28, Mrs. Edwin Herner, (ex-'29) Mrs. Herman Andres (Joanna Sudermann, '30), and Waldo Lehman were added to the staff before the close of the school. The school was so highly successful that it will probably be made an annual feature.

Alumni are manifesting sufficient interest in the history of Mennonite churches and Sunday schools in Northwestern Ohio, to justify the inclusion here of a list of the histories published to date. The series has appeared in the *Mennonite Quarterly Review* printed by the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottdale, Pennsylvania.

The following histories have appeared: "Early Sunday Schools at West Liberty, Ohio." January, 1930, pp. 6-50; "The Blanchard River Congregation in Putnam County, Ohio," April, 1931, pp. 100-11; "The Bluffton (Zion) Mennonite Congregation", July, 1931, pp. 179-97; "The Hancock County Mennonite Settlement near New Stark," October, 1931, pp. 260-71; "The Fairfield County, Ohio, Background of the Allen County, Ohio, Mennonite Settlement, 1799-1860," January, 1932, pp. 5-29; "The Allen County, Ohio, Mennonite Settlement," April, 1932, pp. 81-109.

These articles present the early history of each settlement, pioneer experiences, biographies of early ministers, the trying first years of Sunday school work in the Mennonite church, and later developments. An effort is made to trace the emigrations of early settlers from eastern Pennsylvania to the new home in Ohio. Biographical sketches include Henry Stemen, John Thut, Christian Bare, John Blosser, C. P. Steiner, Christian Culp, Sr., John M. Brenneman George Brenneman, C. B. Brenneman, and others. The above-mentioned issues of the *Review* present, also, diaries of Russian Mennonites seeking a home in America in 1870, letters from American Mennonite ministers (1800 to 1850) to their friends in Europe, and several important contributions on the present Russian situation as it affects Mennonites.

The *Review* is issued in January, April, July, and October. The price per single copy is thirty-five cents and the subscription price per year, one dollar.

Faculty members who are not engaged in the Summer Session or who are not mentioned elsewhere in the notes are improving their time in various ways. Professor Willard H. Smith is continuing graduate work in history at the University of Chicago. He returns home over week-ends to take his place as superintendent of the College Sunday school. Professor G. H. Enss is doing research work in Christian theology. Dr. Paul Bender, newly-elected professor of physics, has not yet arrived on the campus. Miss Shenk, head of the department of French, is spending her vacation in the east. Professor Walter Yoder is continuing his work in vocal and instrumental music at Bradley Polytechnic Institute, Peoria

Illinois. Mrs. Sana Troyer Witmer spent the month of June visiting in Ohio. Professor Kreider left Goshen on Sunday morning, July 10, to spend the summer in California.

AN EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

At the May meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, M. C Lehman was elected executive secretary to promote the interests of the association and to keep in touch with the members. Although his duties as field worker and student solicitor for the College this summer will necessarily abbreviate the time that he can devote to his new task, it is hoped that in time this position may develop into one of broad service to our Alma Mater and to individual members of the Alumni Association.

THE AUGUST REUNION

Plans are maturing for the annual reunion held on the campus on the last Sunday in August. The committee on arrangements will meet soon after August 1. Detailed announcements will be mailed to all alumni who request them. Mrs. J. S. Plank, 623 South Eighth Street, Goshen, is secretary of the committee. Alumni present at previous meetings will receive announcements without request. Keep the last Sunday in August open and come to Goshen, everybody. Remember, that alumni are never asked to give money while they are visiting on the campus.

THE 1932 SUMMER SESSION

Thanks to the enterprise, ingenuity, and administrative ability of the genial director of the Goshen College Summer Session, the 1932 summer school is serving about eighty young people. In the face of well-nigh insuperable difficulties he has made it possible for Mennonite teachers in Illinois and neighboring states to do elementary and high school practise teaching at Goshen College this summer. In spite of its rich and varied offerings the school is on a self-sustaining basis.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, director of the Summer Session, is teaching courses in public school administration and educational psychology, and is supervising student teachers. Professor B. F. Hartzler is offering a course in public school music. Dr. Glen R. Miller has classes in inorganic and organic chemistry. Mrs. Willard Smith teaches academy courses in civics and world history. Mrs. G. H. Enss teaches a class in elementary German and does tutoring in French. Professor Arthur L. Sprunger is teaching public school art. Professor John Umble teaches freshman English composition, the literature of New England, and a course in the appreciation of literature featuring Chaucer, Spenser, and Marlowe. Principal O. L. Walter, of Goshen high school, lectures on the principles of secondary education. Professor Weaver teaches courses in the teaching of geography, tests and measurements, and teaching of arithmetic. Professor S. W. Witmer's offering consists of plant ecology, general zoology, and physiology. Professor Roland Yoder has three lecture periods per day — American history, European history, and economic history of Europe. Mrs. Elizabeth Horsch Bender teaches college algebra. Mary Royer conducts one course in the teaching of language. John Bender teaches an academy course in physical geography. Mrs. Glen R. Miller gives instruction in oral expression and literary interpretation.

THE 1932 COMMENCEMENT SEASON

From the time that President Sanford Calvin Yoder preached the baccalaureate sermon to a capacity audience of people from many states on Sunday evening, June 5, until he conferred the degrees on the class of 1932 on Wednesday evening, June 8, commencement events proceeded with more than their usual success. President Yoder's discourse on the text, "The Stone that the builders rejected is become the head of the corner," was sound, eloquent, and inspiring.

On Monday evening in the class day exercises the usual numbers were presented that tradition has prescribed as fitting for the occasion. Outstanding for its cleverness and originality was the class presentation by Ada Lapp. The class gift was a combination Orthophonic and radio, a valuable and useful help to the music department.

Tuesday was given over wholly to the alumni. At ten o'clock the old grads gathered in their respective literary society halls to make wise-cracks and tell tales on each other, to relive the past, and to give their undergraduate brothers or sisters many words of wholesome advice. Prominent speakers in the various societies were M. C. Lehman, Dr. Solomon Yoder, Joe Graber, Raymond J. Schertz, E. A. Meyer, Mrs. E. A. Meyer (Josephine Lehman), Minnie Kanagy, Margaret Anderson, Katie Smucker, Ethel Oyer, Joanna Sudermann Andres, Mrs. Delmar Hershberger, (Mary Martin), Mary Hess, Adelia Hostetler, Hazel Stauffer Amanda Frey, and others.

At two o'clock alumni had an opportunity to hear Professor Walter Yoder's chorus in Assembly Hall. The large audience was thoroughly pleased with the work of the three choruses, men's, ladies', and A Capella. By way of variety Professor Yoder introduced three solo numbers by his voice students accompanied by John Paul Yoder, Belleville, Pa., nephew of Dr. Solomon Yoder, Lancaster, Pa. At the conclusion of the program Professor Yoder played Beethoven's fifth symphony on the new orthophonic, prefacing each movement with a brief explanation of the themes and their development.

The crowning event of the day was the annual banquet and reunion in Kulp Hall dining room at six o'clock. More than two hundred alumni, old and young, were present. Dr. Samuel T. Miller, of Elkhart, vice president of the association, presided over the annual business meeting. Important business transacted by the association is mentioned editorially. The following directors were elected to serve for three years: F. S. Ebersole, '01, J. C. Meyer, '16, O. O. Miller, '15, Howard Yoder, '22, Melvin Gingerich, '26. The board member elected by the class of 1932 is Niemann Brunk.

The officers for next year were announced as follows: Dr. S. T. Miller, '05, president; Dean H. S. Bender, '18, first vice-president; J. D. Graber, '25, second vice-president; Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, secretary; C. P. Martin, '27, treasurer; M. C. Lehman, '14, executive secretary and associate editor of the NEWS-LETTER; John Umble, '01, editor of the NEWS-LETTER.

M. C. Lehman, who came over from Yale University, for the occasion, filled the position of toast master in a faultless manner. The toasters too were at their best. Dr. Walter B. Christophel, toasting for the class of 1902, simply surpassed himself and made a really remarkable speech. Ezra S. Mullet and Howard Yoder spoke for 1912 and 1922 respectively. J. D. Graber gave an admirable short talk on "Lions in India" that made alumni wish that he had more time. A. E. Kreider pastor of the First Mennonite church, Bluffton, Ohio, closed the program with the principal address of the evening using for his subject, "The Task of Christian Education."

The Goshen dailies reported his address as follows: "After expressing satisfaction at the growth of the college in material equipment and referring especially to the new dormitories, he dwelt at length on the more important spiritual background and heritage of the college. He called attention to the growing complexity of human life and civilization now as compared with that of one hundred years ago. In the midst of this complexity and the almost complete secularization of education, it is the task of the Christian college to show young people how to live the simple life, a life of spiritual values, amidst the increasing number of mere things with which civilization surrounds them. Christian education should enable the student to find early the direction which life should take and to hold it to the end. This direction must be in the line of spiritual values. To find this direction and to hold it needs the uplift and appeal of a great faith. This faith is supplied by making Jesus Christ the center of the circle of life, a circle whose concentric curves should expand in an ever-widening horizon leading the individual to see ever-opening avenues in which his culture can find expression in service."

On Wednesday the final chapel and devotional meeting were held in Assembly Hall with the usual absorbing interest. Several hundred students, alumni, and friends gathered for the college luncheon at twelve-thirty. Immediately after lunch the group assembled on the campus for a short program. Tilman Smith presided; a quartette — Arthur Roth, David Esch, Carl Hostetler, and Linus Eigsti — pleased the audience with several spirited numbers; short talks were given by Dr. Solomon Yoder, Lancaster, Pa.; J. D. Graber, missionary on furlough from India; J. W. Shank, missionary on furlough from South America; and President Sanford Calvin Yoder. The first three speakers, all alumni, spoke with pride of the recent achievements and progress of the college and expressed satisfaction with the present status and outlook. President Yoder, in his usual pleasing, informal manner, thanked the constituency for its loyal support during the present unrest, reaffirmed his confidence in the future of the school, and pledged his time, talents and energy to the cause of Christian education.

In the evening a capacity audience heard Dr. C. C. Ellis, president of Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, deliver an excellent address on "Education in a Changing World." Dr. Ellis is a vigorous, forceful speaker with a vivid pictorial style, replete with interesting anecdote and illustration and with numerous quotations from authors and statesmen, ancient and modern.

Following is a list of the class of 1932 including the graduates from the Goshen College Academy and from Goshen College. The following graduated from the academy: Harold L. Burkholder, Markham, Ontario; Esther Graber. Wayland, Iowa; Lois M. Gunden, Goshen; Maynard C. Wyse, Wayland. Iowa.

The following will receive their diploma August 10, 1932, on the completion of their work: Ada Burkhart, Elizabethtown, Pa., Gladys Burkhart, Elizabethtown, Pa., Violet Shantz, Preston, Ontario.

,The following is a list of the graduates from the College. Names, addresses and major and minor subjects are given in each case.

One student received the degree of bachelor of science in Home Economics: Velma Lapp, Roseland, Nebraska, home economics, English.

The following received the degree of bachelor of science in education: Ralph Beechy, Berlin. Ohio, history, biological science; E. Blanche Brenneman, Elida, Ohio, English, biological science; Emma S. Rohrer, Smithville, Ohio, home economics, English; Barbara E. Thut, Doylestown, Pa., history, English; Esther M. Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio, education, English; Grace L. Mast, Goshen, education, English.

The following will receive the bachelor of

science in education degree August 12, 1932 at the end of the summer session:

Marie E. DeBolt, Goshen, music, art; Alice M. Housour, Elkhart, Ind., English, biological science; Iverson E. Mishler, New Paris, Indiana, history, English; Samuel S. Miller, Middlebury, Indiana, history, biological science; Agnes M. Weaver, Goshen, home economics, biological science.

The following received the degree of bachelor of arts: Arthur J. Armstrong, Syracuse, Indiana, history, education; Robert L. Bender, Goshen, physical science, mathematics; Titus Books, Cleona, Pa., history, biological science; Niemann A. Brunk, Goshen, history, English; Niles H. Davis, Shipshewana, Ind., history, English; Lilly M. Esch, Mio, Michigan, home economics, English; Merle D. Hartzler, Goshen, physical science, mathematics; Alta M. Housour, Elkhart, Ind., home economics, biological science; Ada S. Lapp, South English, Iowa, English, biology; E. Irene Lehman, Dhamtari, C. P., India, biological science; Howard M. Nase, Blooming Glen, Pa., biological science, physical science; Earl L. Salzman, Topeka, Ind., history, English; Erma F. Schertz, Metamora, Ill., English, history; Dorothy C. Smith, Goshen, Ind., German, English; J. Harold Smith, Elida, Ohio, history, English; James A. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio, history, English; Jacob Sudermann, Goshen, Ind., history, German; Eva M. Yeackley, Milford, Nebr., English, German; John Paul Yoder, Belleville, Pa., modern languages, English.

The following will receive the degree of bachelor of arts, August 10, 1932: Lester O. Yoder, Goshen, Ind., history, English.

WEDDING BELLS

About fifty guests witnessed the marriage of Ferne Headings, ex-'32, and Irvin O. Baumgartner, which occurred at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Catherine Headings, at West Liberty, Ohio, Thursday, May 12, 1932, at 7:45 P. M. After the ceremony performed by Rev. Edgar E. Tows, Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner departed to visit some of the most important places of interest in the west, and also to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Baumgartner, of Aberdeen, Idaho, during their wedding trip. Mr. Baumgartner is a teacher in the Monroe township schools near West Liberty, Ohio.

Lucille Miller, '31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller of LaGrange, Indiana, and Perry J. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Miller, of Middlebury, were married, May 15, in the bride's home. Bishop D. D. Miller of the Mennonite church, uncle of the bridgroom, officiated. After the ceremony the couple left on a wedding trip to Washington. After September 1, they will be at home in Shipshewana where Mr. Miller will be an instructor in the Shipshewana high school. He received his B. S. degree from Manchester college this spring.

On Friday, June 3, 1932, Ray Schloneger of the Beech congregation, Louisville, Ohio, and Elsie Mellinger, ex-'30, of the North Lima congregation, North Lima, Ohio, were united in marriage by Paul Yoder.

The wedding of Miss Meredith Rupp, ex-'32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rupp, of Wauseon, Ohio, to William Yeager, ex-'31, son of Mrs. Edward Yeager of South Main Street, Goshen, took place at the home of the bride's parents, June 30. The Rev. Mr Amstutz read the ring service in the presence of about thirty guests. Miss Barbara Zook, ex-'31, of Goshen, served as maid of honor. After July 8, Mr. and Mrs. Yeager will be at home in Pettisville, Ohio, where Mr. Yeager has accepted a position to teach music in the public schools. He was graduated from DePauw University in 1931. There he was a member of the honorary music fraternity, Phi Mu Alpha. For the past year he has been music instructor at Lathan, Ohio. His bride has been teaching in the Pettisville, Ohio schools.

The wedding of Helen Long, '29, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Long, of West Burdick street, Goshen, Indiana, and Jesse Delcamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Delcamp of North Seventh street, took place at the home of Rev. Charles M. Arnold, near New Paris, June 29, the Rev. Arnold officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Delcamp will reside in Goshen, the former being assistant chief at the fire department. Mrs. Delcamp is dental assistant in the office of Dr. Paul D. Forney.

Fern Gardner, '22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Gardner of east of the city of Goshen, became the bride of Gabriel I. Stemen of Iowa City, Iowa, in the Rock Run Church of the Brethren near Millersburg, June 30. The Rev. J. S. Zeigler, church pastor, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Stemen left on a wedding trip to Chicago and Wisconsin. They will reside in Iowa City where Mr. Stemen is proprietor of the Stemen cafe. He is a brother to John Stemen, of Goshen. The bride has been a teacher in Rice school, Elkhart for the past few years.

The wedding of Miss Esther N. Miller, '26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Monroe Miller of R. R. 9, Goshen, to William Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Miller of Fair Oaks, Ind., took place Monday, July 4, at Mount Ayr, Ind. Floyd Weaver, pastor of the Burr Oak Mennonite church, performed the ceremony. The couple will be at home after October 1, in Renssalear, Newton county, Indiana.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Baby Byron Christian Snyder arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin V. Snyder (Mary Fretz), '27 and ex-'28 respectively, Trenque Lauquen, South America, May 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Roth are the parents of Donnabelle Lee, born July 13. Mr. Roth was a member of the class of 1929.

NECROLOGY

Mary Louise Greenwalt, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Greenwalt, (Carrie Plank) '08 and '09 respectively, died at Goshen Hospital Saturday, May 14. Death was due to non-epidemic meningitis, which followed pneumonia. Mary Louise was born in Goshen and was a pupil in the fifth grade of the Parkside school. She is survived by her parents, a brother, Leon, and her two grandmothers, Mrs. Hannah Plank and Mrs. Mary Greenwalt, both of Goshen. Funeral services were held May 16 at the Eighth Street Mennonite church. The Rev. G. T. Soldner officiated. Burial was made in Violett cemetery.

Mrs. Elvina Steiner Ebersole, wife of Professor Amos Ebersole formerly of Goshen, died at Tiffin, Ohio, June 14. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage. Funeral services were held at Tiffin, June 16, and at Bluffton, Ohio, later that day. Burial was made in Bluffton. The deceased's husband was formerly instructor in music at Goshen college. He was a member of the Rambler male quartet of Goshen College. Mrs. Ebersole was the sister of Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00, and aunt of James Steiner, '32.

Lewis H. Shank died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Bishop and Mrs. Daniel Kauffman, (Mollie Shank, ex-'02), June 8, 1932, in his eighty-third year. He was the father of John R., ex-'01, home missionary at Gravois Mills, Missouri; Josephus W., '08, missionary, Pehuajo, South America; and Charles L., '14, North Canton, Ohio, formerly missionary to India.

PERSONALS

J. W. Shank, '08, and family are at La Junta, Colorado. He preached at the East Holbrook church, June 26. On that date he preached in Spanish for the Mexicans. They desire him to hold a series of meetings for them in Spanish this summer.

Jesse B. Martin, '24, chairman of the Ontario young people's problems committee, is announcing in the columns of the *Gospel Herald*, a young people's institute to be held in Ontario, probably in September.

Dula Roth, '29, and Mabel Roth, '30, are spending the summer vacation with their parents at Goshen.

S. J. Hostetler, '23, writes from Darjeeling, India, April 26: "We will leave our son, John, up in the hills when we go down to the plains in June. This will be our hardest trial here."

Mrs. Amos J. Fett (Mary Speicher, ex-'08), is president of the women's missionary society of the Presbyterian church at Spring Hills, Ohio.

Sadie Hartzler, 26, Harrisonburg, Virginia, was one of the teachers in the Vacation Bible school held at Needmore, West Virginia, in June.

R. L. Hartzler, '18, Carlock, Illinois, is field secretary of the Central Mennonite Conference Sunday school association. He was also chairman of the Young People's Retreat held at the East White Oak church near Carlock, Illinois, in June.

Lena Stoltzfus, '21, was chairman of the twelfth annual district women's missionary meeting of the Mennonite sewing circles of western Ohio, held at Bethel church in West Liberty, July 13. Mrs. Chauncey Smucker (Pearl Detweiler, '29) conducted a round-table discussion.

On June 25, the *Goshen Daily Democrat* quoted the following "ten-years-ago" item from its issue of June 25, 1922: "An audience of moderate size heard the Collegian Singers assisted by Miss Kathryn Bower, reader, and Professor Otto Holtcamp, pianist, in concert at Goshen College. An excellent program was given, the first of a series to be presented during the summer session. The quartette was composed of Ray Schertz, John Thut, Glen Kropf, and Gaius Baumgartner."

For J. D. Graber, '25, missionary on furlough from India, the following proposed schedule has been arranged: East and West Fairview churches, Milford, Nebraska, July 17 and 18; at Woodriver, Nebraska, July 19 and 20; at Roseland, Nebraska, July 21 and 22; at Shickley, Nebraska, July 23 and 24.

From the *Goshen Daily News Times* "Twenty Five Years Ago" (June 13, 1907): "A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Greenwalt at Parkside Tuesday evening when their daughter Lulu May, was married to H. Frank Reist of Lititz, Pennsylvania. Rev. I. W. Royer was the officiating clergyman. Both Mr. Reist and his bride attended Goshen College. They will reside in the east."

R. R. Smucker, '28, reporting on the medical work in the Sankra district for 1931, states that 3984 leper treatments were given last year. Other treatments were 4119.

Esther Brunk, 27, is superintendent of the Vacation Bible school conducted at the Mennonite Home Mission in Chicago. Alta Hartzler, ex-'33, and Beulah Yordy, ex-33, are teachers in the school.

M. C. Lehman, '04, Fyrne Miller, '30,

Olive Wyse, '26, and Simon W. Sommers, '14, spoke before the annual Fourth of July mission meeting at Walnut Creek in Holmes county. I. W. Royer, '00, was moderator and Carl Hostetler, '33, chorister.

Fyrne Miller, 30, is assisting in the Vacation Bible school at Kitchener, Ontario.

Stanley Miller, '32, Ora Keiser, '31, Lilly Esch, 32, and Samuel Yoder, '28, are assisting in the Vacation Bible school at the Detroit Mission, Frank B. Raber, '29, superintendent.

Minnie Kanagy, '22, is booked to sail on the Steamer President Jefferson from Seattle, Washington, October 1, to arrive in Bombay, India, November 4.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, writes from Dhamtari, C. P., India, that the missionaries on the plains have all been wll and that the hot season has not been so severe as usual.

Mrs. Arthur Slagel (Vesta Zook, '15), and children visited her old home at Topeka, Indiana, early in July. Mr. Slagel, '19, motored down from Chicago over the week-end of July 10 to take them home. They were welcome visitors at morning worship on July 10 at the College where Mr. Slagel led the hymns for the church servce in his usual inspiring manner.

J. R. Shank, ex-'01, and wife, of Gravois Mills, Missouri, have been visiting friends in Pennsylvania for several weeks. He has been preaching in Southwestern Pennsylvania, Lancaster county, and in other places. He is secretary of the Missouri-Kansas conference scheduled to meet at Crystal Springs, Kansas, August 15-19.

I. W. Royer, '00, secretary of the Ohio Mennonite Sunday School conference, announces that the annual meeting will be held with the Salem congregation near Elida, Ohio, August 23-25.

Carl Kaser, '16, New Paris, has been elected treasurer of the Kosana Oil Corporation, organized recently by Goshen, New Paris, Milford, Syracuse and Warsaw men. The company has 18,000 acres under lease in Elkhart and Kosciusko counties and plans to start drilling near Milford in July.

George J. Lapp, '13, writes in the *India Mission News* for May that most of the two hundred members in his church at Shantipur are lepers.

A. C. Ramseyer, ex-'06, Smithville, Ohio, and C. B. Blosser, '07, Goshen, Indiana, attended the annual meeting of the trustees of Bluffton college in June.

Charles L. Shank, '14, North Canton, Ohio, spent the week-end over Sunday, May 29, visiting his father at Scottdale, Pennsylvania.

C. S. Swartz and wife (Lydia Stemen, ex-'07), of Elida, Ohio, attended commencement exercises at Eastern Mennonite School in June when their son, Samuel, graduated from the junior college.

C. Floyd Byers, eldest "Junior Alumnus", has resigned his position as treasurer of Bluffton College and instructor of economics and accounting to accept a position with the Goshen Milk Condensing Company, Goshen, Indiana, September 1.

At Ghatula, India, where M. C. Vogt, '27, and wife are stationed, the mission has just purchased fifteen acres of excellent farming land for the Girls' Industrial School. One of the objectives of this school is to teach the girls familiarity with tasks expected of the average woman living in an Indian village.

S. P. Unzicker, 12, contributes an article "A Study of Acceleration in the Junior High School," for *The School Review,* May, 1932, pp. 346-356.

Gladys Honderich, '30, instructor in home economics at Fairview (Michigan) high school for the past two years, will teach English and home economics in the Millersburg (Indiana) high school next year. She is taking several English courses in the summer session in further preparation for her work.

Agnes Nafziger, ex-'33, Route 5, Peoria, Illinois, has been teaching the Pleasant Hill school near Peoria for the past two years.

Raymond A. Yoder, '31, is represented in the Indiana Artists' Exhibition at Indianapolis, Indiana, with his painting "The Old Stone House," done in Pennsylvania in the summer of 1931. His "Sentinels of the Forest", also painted in the Pennsylvania mountains last summer, was accepted as the "picture of the month" for the month of May at the Tipton, Indiana, public library.

Elizabeth Graber, '27, teacher of the Sommers School near Wayland, Iowa, during the past two years is planning to return to Goshen next fall.

Melvin Schrock, ex-'32, is manager of the Larkin store at Lacon, Illinois.

Mabel Smith, ex-'31, teacher of the Price school two and one-half miles east of Eureka, Illinois, has been employed to teach the four upper grades in the Goodfield, Illinois, school for 1932-33.

Estella Yoder, ex-'33, is teaching at Bricktown, Illinois. Her address is Low Point, Illinois, in care of Peter Schrock.

William Weaver, '14, pastor of the North Danvers church, near Danvers, Illinois, preached the baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of the Eureka (Illinois) high school, May 29.

Gerritt Dykstra, '31, teacher in the Dutch Reformed parochial school of Patterson, New Jersey, was a visitor on the campus early in July. He is spending the summer at his home in Goshen.

C. B. Blosser, '07, county agricultural agent of Elkhart county, has won in his controversy with the county authorities over the payment of his salary. The county board decided to abolish the office as an economy measure, but the state authorities at Purdue ruled that the office could not be abolished and that Blosser's tenure did not expire until his successor was elected. The county court upheld Purdue.

C. P. Martin, '27, capable treasurer of the alumni association and an employee in the First Old State Bank at Elkhart, L. J. Martin, '29, popular painter and decorator in Goshen, and Niemann Brunk, '32, employed by the Purity Bakery, Goshen, spent the Fourth visiting friends (that is, a friend apiece) at Metamora, Illinois.

Nettie Glick, ex-'32, teacher near Sugar Creek, Ohio, has just completed a detailed history of the Walnut Creek congregation and Sunday school to be printed in the *Christian Monitor* at an early date.

The 1932 Central Conference Young People's Retreat was held at the East White Oak Mennonite church near Carlock, Illinois, June 11 and 12. Alumni who were scheduled to speak were I. R. Detweiler, '01, and W. B. Weaver, '14.

The Nappanee A Capella chorus conducted by Professor B. F. Hartzer, '29, rendered a sacred concert at the Topeka Mennonite church Sunday evening, April 10, and at the Eighth street Mennonite church in Goshen, May 15.

E. S. Mullet, '12, Nappanee, is a member of the program committee arranging for the meeting of the Middle District Mennonite Conference to be held at Berne, Indiana, August 17-21. W. W. Miller, '22, is conference president, and will preach the conference sermon. A. E. Kreider, '15, will speak on "Our Educational Task."

The following alumni will offer courses in the 1932 Shipshewana (Indiana) Young People's Retreat, August 8-16: A. E. Krieder, '15, Bluffton, Ohio; P. E. Whitmer, '05, Pandora, Ohio; Raymond Hartzler, '18, Carlock, Illinois; and Lester Hostetler, '11, Sugar Creek, Ohio. Earl Salzman, '32, Topeka, Indiana, is a member of the Retreat Committee.

Arthur Schertz, ex-'18, directed a chorus of fifty voices that rendered the cantata "The Carpenter of Nazareth," at the Calvary Mennonite church, Washington, Illinois, on May 15.

On May 15 during the morning services, Benjamin Eash, '11, assisted Elder Valentine Strubhar in conducting the baptismal services for a class of eleven young people at the Calvary Mennonite church, Washington, Illinois.

Merle Hartzler, '32, Goshen, Indiana, attended the Young People's Retreat at Carlock, Ill., in June.

Benjamin Gerig, '17, receives mention in the "Preface" to Walter Lippman's *World Affairs in* 1931 for gathering the information for the chapter on the League of Nations.

H. S. Bender, '18, acting dean of the college, is meeting with gratifying success in his summer campaign in Ontario in the interests of the financial program of the college. He has delivered addresses on Mennonite church history in various parts of Canada, New York and Pennsylvania.

Orvan D. Brunk, '27, receiving clerk at the Logansport store of the Woolworth Company, spent his vacation, July 3-10, visiting friends in Goshen.

Rachel Weaver, '31, instructor in Latin and English, at the Roann, Indiana, high school, spent several weeks during July visiting friends in Ohio.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Fanscher (Emma Lambert, '00), are stationed at Gettysburg, Ohio.

Clara Schertz, ex-'31, is teaching the Four Corner's school near Bradford, Illinois.

Mrs. Ella Stutzman Hartzler, '01, was present at the alumni reunion in June for the first time since her graduation. She and her daughter, Martha, were on their way to visit her sister, Lydia Belle (Mrs Reuben Miller), at Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Reschley (Esther Roth, '29), Wayland, Iowa, were commencement visitors.

Forrest King, ex-'32, teacher of the Bunker Hill school near Orrville, Ohio, was present for commencement and remained for the summer session.

Leahbelle Smucker has been re-employed to teach home economics and English in the Salem Township high school at King's Creek Ohio, for 1932-33.

Mabel Wyse, ex-'31, teaches the Eicher school near Wayland, Iowa.

Orrin Beechy, Walnut Creek, Ohio, ex-'34, teaches the Troyer Ridge School in Holmes county.

A. L. Sprunger, '23, won the Lawrence A. Downs prize for an industrial scene at the Hoosier Salon at Marshall Field and Company, Chicago, with his picture of the steel mills.

Esther Good, ex-'30, route 2, Sterling, Illinois, teaches the Talbert school near Sterling.

Ed. Schertz, ex-'07, Metamora, Illinois, with his wife and three daughters, Luella, ex-'31, Alverda, ex-'34, and Gladys, spent the commencement season in Goshen. Their daughter and sister, Erma, graduated from the college.

Professor D. S. Gerig, with his son, Daniel, Jr., and daughter, Alice, arrived at Cherbourg, France, July 1, They intend to spend the summer in England, France, Switzerland, Italy, and Germany.

John L. Yoder, '11, is making plans to attend the August Reunion with his family on the last Sunday in August.

Willard Richer, ex-'33, teacher in the Fulton county, Ohio, schools for the past two years and teacher-elect for the Lena school in Clinton township, is enrolled in the summer session.

Alverda Schertz, ex-'34, Metamora, Illlinois, is one of the Illinois teachers doing practise teaching in the elementary teacher training department of the summer session.

The class of 1922 was represented at its first ten-year reunion by Margaret Anderson, Chicago; Florence Bender, LaFayette, Indiana; Fred Bryner, Goshen; Raymond J. Schertz, Metamora, Illinois; Arthur Sprunger, Goshen; Minnie Kanagy, Dhamtari, India; and Howard Yoder, Smithville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Litwiller (Ruth V. Yoder), '29 and '30, respectively, spent Sunday, June 5, on the campus.

Glenn Hershberger, '23, visited friends in Goshen during the last week in May and the first week in June and again over July 4.

Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, junior at Illinois University during the past year and teacher-elect for the Mount Pleasant school four miles east of Metamora, Illinois, for the year 1932-33, is availing himself of the practise teaching facilities of the Summer Session to prepare for his position. He is one of eight cadet teachers doing practise teaching as part of their summer school course at Goshen College.

Luella Miller, ex-'33, teacher in the Wayne county elementary schools for the past year, and employed to teach at Number Nine in Green township next year, is enrolled in summer school at Goshen.

Vesta Nafziger, ex-'33, employed as first grade teacher at Pettisville, Ohio, next year, is continuing her college work during the Summer Session.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hershberger, (Mary Martin, '27), New Jersey, visited Mrs. Martin's parents near Elkhart in May and spent several days renewing old acquaintances on the campus.

Tilman Erb, '27, principal of the Swink, Colorado, schools, is attending Kansas University this summer.

Silas Smucker, '30, was granted the degree of master of arts by Purdue University, LaFayette, Indiana, in June.

Alta Good, ex-'32, Rantoul, Illinois, employed to teach the four upper grades at Ludlow, Illinois, next year, is enrolled in summer school at Goshen.

Fourteen members of the class of 1930 met at the home of Professor and Mrs. Umble on Sunday afternoon of commencement week. Not only is this the largest college class yet graduated, but it usually succeeds in sending the largest representation to any gathering at the college. Eighteen members were present at the 1932 commencement season: Mary Hess, Gladys Honderich, Adelia Hostetler, Fyrne Miller, Mrs. Howard Musselman (Ruth Miller), Wilbur Hostetler, Ada Thut, John Bender, Allen Ebersole, Merle Eldridge, Mary Royer, Katie Smucker, Leahbelle Smucker, Silas Smucker, Mrs. Herman Andres (Joanna Sudermann), Edwin I. Weaver, Martha Yoder, and Icie Steiner ex-'30.

Mrs. Newton Yoder (Mary Yoder), ex-'30, West Liberty, Ohio, visited the H. S. Roth family during commencement week.

Isaac S. Roth, ex-'29, enterprising manager of the East Lincoln Avenue store of the Kroger Grocery and Baking company in Goshen has been transferred to that company's large Main Street store.

Harry Leatherman, ex-'33, Doylestown, Pennsylvania, spent several days in Goshen during the commencement season, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Ulrich (Luella Yoder, ex-'32, formerly of Bellefontaine, Ohio), reside on Mr. Ulrich's large farm two miles east of Eureka, Illinois.

L. C. Schertz, '05, and Peter Schertz, ex-'08, are each raising one hundred and sixty acres of corn on their fine black Illinois land east of Metamora, Illinois.

Raymond J. Schertz is chorister at the Roanoke Mennonite church southwest of Roanoke, Illinois. He has been re-employed as principal of the Metamora schools for the coming year.

Fannie Brunk, ex-'32, has been assisting her sister, Mrs. Dorsa Yoder, at 2106 Vance Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana, during the past year.

Joanna Bontrager, '10, 705 South Eighth Street, who is employed at the Salem Bank and Trust Company, spent her vacation at Madison, Illinois, in July.

Mrs. J. D. Brunk and daughter, Mary, who have spent the past year at Bluffton, Ohio, have returned to Goshen.

L. C. Miller, ex-'09, Limon, Colorado, attended the annual Mission Board Meeting at Eureka, Illinois, in May.

Prominent figures well-known to large groups of alumni, who were present at the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Eureka, Illinois, in May include: Bishop Daniel Kauffman, editor

of the *Gospel Herald,* Bishop and Mrs. D. D. Miller, Bishop J. S. Shoemaker, C. Z. Yoder, Bishop S. E. Allgyer, Bishop E. L. Frey, Bishop and Mrs. J. A. Ressler, (Lina Zook, '01), Pastor and Mrs. J. S. Hartzler, Bishop and Mrs. P. A. Friesen (Florence Cooprider, '10), Bishop S. F. Coffman, Bishop D. A. Yoder, Leidy Hunsicker, Bishop L. J. Miller, Oscar Burkholder, Levi Mumaw, J. D. Mininger, Bishop Ezra Yordy, Bishop Abner Yoder, Bishop Simon Gingerich, Bishop C. A. Hartzler, Clayton F. Yake, editor of the *Youth's Christian Companion,* John L. Horst, editor of the *Christian Monitor,* Bishop Abram Metzler, A. C. Good, and Chester K. Lehman.

Prominent alumni present at the May meeting of the M. B. of Missions and Charities at Eureka, Illinois, included, I. W. Royer, '00, O. O. Miller, '15, I. E. Burkhart, '26, Ira Eigsti, '23, Dr. Lillie Shenk, '20, J. W. Shank, '08, Minnie Kanagy, '22, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graber, (Minnie Swartzendruber), '25 and ex-'27, respectively.

Nathan Reiff, ex-'29, employed at the First Old State Bank in Elkhart, with Mrs. Reiff (Frieda Imhoff, ex-'30), spent his vacation in May at Mrs. Reiff's former home seven miles north of Eureka, Illinois.

Immediately after commencement, President Sanford Calvin Yoder left for an extended trip west in the interest of the College and the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. On the way he stopped at Chicago, Illinois; Milford, Nebraska; and Thurman, Limon, and Colorado Springs, Colorado. At all these places he filled speaking appointments. At La Junta, Colorado, he attended a meeting of the board of directors of the Mennonite Hospital, of which he is a member. On his return he stopped at Hesston, Kansas, and Pryor, Oklahoma. President Yoder reports good interest in the College throughout the Church and is hopeful of a good attendance this coming year. He is enrolled in the Winona Lake School of Theology for the summer.

C. L. Graber, Wayland, Iowa, preached for the College congregation in the morning service July 10.

Mrs. Robert G. Marshall (Claire Kennell) and daughter, Shirley Jane, from Evanston, Ill., visited in Goshen in July. Mr. Marshall is in the Direct by Mail advertising business of which he is the owner and is located in the Merchandise Mart Building in Chicago. The Marshall's were married in August 1918 and have a daughter seven years old.

Dr. Lillie S. Shank, '22, is employed for the year 1932-33 as physician in the state institution for girls at Laurelville, Pa.,

In addition to those mentioned elsewhere in the NEWS LETTER the following former students are attending the 1932 Summer Session:

Adeline and Agnes Eschliman, Reginald Brinklow, Allen B. Christophel, Esther Eberly, Mrs. Ruth W. Fogelsonger, Anna Hoover, Esther Leininger, Glen Mast, Nellie Miller, Bertha Nohejl, Katheryn Royer, Alverda Schertz, and Samuel H. Welty.

Dean Bender has completed his work in the interests of the College in Ontario and Pennsylvania and spent the week end of July 17 in Goshen. On July 22 he will leave for Stark county, Ohio, to begin his work of visiting Ohio Mennonite communities.

Rhoda Ressler, ex-'33, Scottdale, Pennsylvania, completed the normal training course at Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf in June and has accepted a position as teacher of speech in that institution for the coming school year. The school is located at 300 Swissvale Avenue, Edgewood, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Fannie Rupp Zook, '12, Route 2, Copley, Ohio, teacher in the Akron public schools is enrolled in Ohio State university this summer.

Frank Umble, ex-'31, official test cow milker in the dairy department of A. and M. college at Stillwater, Oklahoma, has just brought two, two-year-old Jersey heifers through a twelve-month's test period to break the state record and win the coveted silver medal, with butter fat records of 500.43 and 514 pounds respectively.

Mary Emily Kauffman, '26, bookkeeper at Keller's clothing store in Goshen, spent her vacation, June 12-25 with her parents, her brother Paul and her sister Dorothy, on a thirty-four hundred mile motor trip through Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklanoma, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, and Kentucky.

Katie Smucker, '30, superintended a rural vacation Bible school at the Oak Grove church in Wayne county that had an enrollment of two hundred and twenty with an average attendance of eighty-five per cent.

J. Edward Roupp, '30, is assisting his father-in-law in managing a large dairy at Minot, North Dakota.

Mrs. John Bauer (Esther Burkhard, '20), will move to Urbana, Ohio, next September. Her husband has resigned his position at Middleburg, Ohio, to accept a teaching position in the Urbana Township schools.

John I. Byler has accepted the pastorate of the Brethren church at Lititz, Pennsylvania.

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THE NEXT event is Home-Coming. Plan to come. Bring your friends. There will be the usual religious exercises on Thanksgiving Day, classes on Friday, and the best lecture course number of the year on Friday night. Athletic contests will be arranged for Saturday afternoon. On Sunday you can meet with us in the regular Sunday services. Those who have been here in years past know what a treat this week-end will be.

The editor was deeply chagrined on reading in a Mennonite publication soon after the last issue of the NEWS LETTER was mailed, that the moderator of the Middle District Conference of Mennonites was W. W. Miller, of Nebraska, and not W. Wilbur Miller, '22, as the NEWS LETTER incorrectly stated. To substitute inference for fact is, of course, wholly inexcusable.

The College Administration and the Alumni Office greatly appreciate the hearty cooperation of alumni during the past summer. In several sections alumni promoted reunions. In numerous instances they wrote to officials of the College and the Association calling attention to student prospects. They responded also to President Sanford Calvin Yoder's appeal for funds to pay the tuition of deserving students unable to pay their tuition. Fern Umble, '21, Cleveland, Ohio, was the first to respond to that appeal. Her check for twenty-five dollars reached the office of the President soon after the appeal went out. This encouraging interest and cooperation on the part of the alumni has had much to do in increasing the size of the student body this fall. And a fine group they are, too. A large percentage were salutatorians or valedictorians of their high school classes last spring.

CAMPUS NOTES

Another good reason why everything is moving so smoothly on the campus this fall, is that last year's competent cooks are back: Mary and Emma Shumaker, daughters of A. E. Shumaker, West Liberty, Ohio.

Seven graduates and former students of Eastern Mennonite School are enrolled in Goshen College: Menno Miller, '33, Middletown, Pennsylvania; Samuel Swartz, '34, (E.M.S., Junior College, '32), Elida, Ohio; John C. Wenger, '34, (E.M.S., Junior College, '31) Telford, Pennsylvania; Ellrose D. Zook, '34 (E.M.S., Junior College, '29) Allensville, Pennsylvania; Marie Bender, '36, (E.M.S., Academy, '28) Springs, Pennsylvania; Luella Amstutz, Dalton, Ohio, and Helen Oesch, '34, Kent, Ohio.

Allen Erb, superintendent of the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta, Colorado, will conduct the annual series of revival meetings to be held at the College, Nov., 5-13.

President Sanford Calvin Yoder was very busy between the close of the Winona Lake Summer School of Theology in August and the opening of the first semester at the College in September. August 16-19 he attended the Indiana-Michigan Conference at Leo, Indiana; the Illinois Conference at Fisher, Illinois, August 22-26; and the Iowa-Nebraska Conference at Wayland, Iowa, September 6-9. He delivered one or more addresses at each of these meetings and visited a number of congregations in Kansas and Nebraska between these dates.

Dean Bender spent the latter part of July and the first half of August in Ohio, soliciting funds and students for the College visiting practically all of the congregations and giving addresses on conditions in Russia and on Mennonite Relief Work. He reports a warm interest in the welfare of the institution and very good support considering the state of the country at the present time. He spoke on the Ohio Sunday School Conference program at Elida, Ohio, the third week in August, and later attended a reunion of alumni of Goshen College and other Mennonite schools held near Kitchener, Ontario, on Labor Day.

THE EASTERN OHIO REUNION

A brand new "Goshen reunion" sprang up this summer in Eastern Ohio, when a few aggressive alumni arranged for such an event to be held Sunday, August 14, 1932. The plans were made and invitations distributed by Mrs. Emma Rohrer, '32, Katie Smucker, '30, and Ellis Hostetler, '31. Helen Moser, '33, also served on the committee. All "Goshenites," past, present and prospective, of Wayne, Medina, Holmes, Columbiana, Mahoning, Stark and Portage counties were invited to bring their lunches to the "Center School" near Smithville. There, after even the latest wanderers had arrived, the lunch was served in cafeteria style under the trees, to about 150 people. An informal program followed the meal. James Steiner, '32, acted as chairman, and a number of brief talks were given. Among the alumni and ex-students who spoke on

the "Good Old Days" were I. W. Royer, '00, Jesse Smucker, '15, Alvin Rameseyer, ex-'06, Howard Yoder, '22, Mrs. Adin Miller, '22, Mrs. A. L. Smucker, (Lydia Kurtz, '05). A few who were acquainted with "Goshen More Recently" also spoke: Mary Royer, '30, Paul Swope, '31, Lucille Kreider, '33. J. S. Gerig gave a brief address, a men's quartet sang two numbers, and the Orrville ladies' quartet sang one selection. A very animated and old-fashioned sociable "visit" followed the program, and there seemed to be a universal wish that such an event become annual.

THE ONTARIO REUNION

A very interesting alumni reunion was held on Labor Day, September 5th, on the farm of Titus Kolb, along the Grand River near Kitchener, Ontario. The reunion was for all Ontario Mennonite students, not only alumni of any of the Mennonite church schools, including the Ontario Mennonite Bible School at Kitchener, but also of other institutions of higher learning in Ontario. It was the first meeting of its kind ever held in Ontario, but promises to become an annual affair. A large and enthusiastic gathering of between 80 and 100 persons met in the afternoon for a short program and a picnic lunch. As far as could be determined all of the Goshen alumni living in Ontario were present. A committee was appointed to arrange for the next annual meeting. J. B. Cressman, Goshen '21, who was one of the prime movers of the reunion, serves as one of the members of the committee. Goshen alumni interested in attending the meeting should write to him at 38 Chapel Street, Kitchener, Ontario.

SUMMER CONVOCATION

An interesting innovation in connection with the Goshen College Summer Session was the graduation exercise held at the close of summer school. Dr. Leander S. Keyser of the Hamma Divinity School, Springfield, Ohio, instructor in the Winona Lake Summer School of Theology, delivered the Convocation address on the subject, "Right and Wrong Motives in Securing an Education". President Sanford Calvin Yoder presented academy diplomas to Ada and Gladys Burkhart, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania; Ada Bender, R. 3, Wauseon, Ohio; and to Frieda Enss, Goshen, Indiana. He presented the diploma for completion of the two-year elementary teacher training course to Vesta Nafziger, Wauseon. Ohio; and Luella Miller, Smithville, Ohio. He conferred the bachelor's degree on the following: Marie E. DeBolt, Goshen, music, art; Alice M. Housour, Elkhart, Indiana, English, biological science; Iverson E. Mishler, New Paris, Indiana, history, English; Samuel S. Miller, Middlebury, Indiana. history, biological science; Agnes M. Weaver, Goshen, home economics, biological science.

Oswin Gerber, Dalton, Ohio, completed his work since the close of summer school and received his academy diploma as of the class of 1932.

AUGUST TWENTY-EIGHT, 1932

The 1932 August Reunion proved to be of that "bigger and better" variety. The largest number that had so far appeared for that event gathered on the campus on the usual date, the last Sunday in August. The threatening weather interfered with meeting in the grove at the rear of the administration building, but the energetic committee on arrangements, Professor J. M. Kurtz, '01, Mrs. J. S. Plank, (Olive Nafziger, '12), and Mrs. Alvin P. Shetler, (Sadie Yoder, ex-'08) with the cooperation of Dr. Silas Hertzler of the College faculty, arranged the spacious new dining room in Kulp Hall for the reception of the homecomers. Alumni and friends were present from New Jersey and Washington, D. C., in the East, to California in the West, and also from India and South America.

A number of relatives and friends of the Edwin J. Yoder family at Topeka were obliged to leave early in order to attend the funeral of Mrs. Yoder. All in all, however, the 1932 August Reunion goes down in history as the most interesting yet held. In order to prove to the absent ones how much they missed by failing to be present, the NEWS LETTER prints the names of those who wrote their addresses in the secretary's book:

From Elkhart: Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, 1230 Prairie St.; Alice G. Treuschel, 1511 W. Lexington Ave.; C. A. and Fannie Shantz, R. 5; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stutzman, 1301 Prairie St.; Emma Wenger, Ella S. Wenger, 1209 Prairie St. From Goshen: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver, 1419 S. Ninth; Ann Burkhard, Grace Kennell Miller, Howard Miller, Mrs. D. W. Kennell, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole,, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bender and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Byers and son, Lynn Reid; Silas Hertzler, S. W. Witmer, Mrs. Hannah Plank, Mrs. Mary Y. Burkhard, Anna Stalter, Mrs. Eri Yoder, Sadie Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hauder, Anna E. Yoder, Mrs. Ada L. Martin, F. S. Martin, L. J. Martin, C. P. Martin, John E. Bender, D. W. Kennell, Mrs. G. Rich Beck, J. B. and Mae Detweiler, C. K. Bender, A. P. Shetler, H. Bohn, Jr., Mrs. Harry Hartzler, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Blough, Roberta Hauder, Clarence Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Plank, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Greenwalt, Dorothy Smith, S. E. Weaver, Rachel Weaver, Paul Zook, Leon Greenwalt, Merle D. Hartzler, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stemen, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Landis, Martha Martin, L. S. Nafziger, Harry Hartzler. Mrs. Ruth Umble, Elizabeth Kurtz, Mrs. Menno Wenger, Mrs. Clarence E. Lehman, Elizabeth Yoder, John Plank, Mrs. A. P. Shetler, Mrs. J. M. Yoder and Mary E. Hooley, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Rheinheimer and family, and H. B. Weiler of Elkhart. Alice Good, Columbus, Ohio; J. J. Rychener, Pettisville, Ohio; Mary E.

Byler, Newton, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Compton, Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brunk and family, Chesterton, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Byers, Bluffton, Ohio; Charles L. Shank, North Canton, Ohio; Mrs. W. S. Gehman, Rush Lake, Saskatchewan; Mrs. P. E. Brunk, Elida, Ohio; Mrs. J. W. Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentine; Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Good, 342 20th Ave., Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Homer A. Yoder, 912 Osceola, Glendale, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gerber, Wakarusa, Indiana; Dr. and Mrs. C. D. King, Fremont, O.; Florence E. Neff, New Paris, Indiana; C. F. Brunk, Detroit, Mich.; Eli and Amelia Whirledge, Syracuse, Indiana; L. B. Greenwalt, Sturgis, Mich.; Vernon S. Culp, 837 Berwyn St., Akron, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kreider, Robert and Gerald Kreider, Bluffton, Ohio; Professor and Mrs. Russell A. Lantz, Bluffton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Driver, Findlay, Ohio; Mary Elizabeth Reed, Hays, Kansas; Dr. Homer B. Reed and family, Hays, Kansas; Mrs. Lucinda Hartzler, Bluffton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, 7500 Luella Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Frank Kurtz, Chicago, Ill.

NEW FACULTY MEMBERS

Florence Bender, '22, is the new head of the department of home economics. After her graduation from Goshen College in 1922 Miss Bender taught home economics courses in the Elkhart high school until the spring of 1930 when she entered nurse's training at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio. A year ago she entered the graduate school in Purdue University. She has completed the residence work for the master's degree with material for the thesis accepted.

The College faculty has been further strengthened by the addition of Dr. Paul Bender, formerly of Hesston College. Dr. Bender's special field is physics, but he has had considerable experience in teaching other sciences and mathematics also. He received the degree of bachelor of arts at Hesston College in 1921. Since that time he has taught in Hesston College except for three years spent in graduate study at the University of Iowa where he was granted the degree of master of science in 1925 and doctor of philosophy in 1931. Mrs. Bender will be remembered by students of a few years ago as Miss Bertha Burkholder, whose pleasing personality and ability as an instructor endeared her to her French classes. Dr. and Mrs. Bender have rented the house formerly occupied by Professor and Mrs. Umble on College Avenue.

THE STUDENT BODY

By September 29 one hundred ninety-four students had registered. Of these, four were in the academy, one hundred sixty-four were regular day students in the College, and twenty-one were registered "Special" in various types of day and evening college classes. Students are registered from various countries and states. Ontario, three; India, three; South America, three; and from ten states of the Union: Indiana, eighty-nine; Pennsylvania, sixteen; Ohio, forty-four; Illinois, seventeen; Colorado, three; Kansas, two; Iowa, nine; Maryland, two; Michigan, one; and Missouri, two.

Of the one hundred ninety-four students, ninety-seven are men and ninety-seven are women, distributed among the various groups as follows: seniors, sixteen men and twelve women; juniors, fourteen men and nine women; sophomores, seventeen men and twenty-one women; freshmen, thirty-eight men and forty-one women; academy, four women; specials, twelve men and ten women. The majority of the students expect to engage either in elementary or high school teaching. Nineteen of the seniors state that they are preparing for that profession; sixteen of the juniors; twenty-six of the sophomores; and forty-two of the freshmen; fifteen of the special students are either teaching or preparing to teach. Thirty freshmen declare that they do not expect to teach. Seven are undecided. States in which students expect to teach include Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Kansas, Iowa, and Pennsylvania.

A study of the geographical distribution of students indicates that while Indiana furnishes nearly half of the freshmen, over one fifth are from Ohio, over one-eighth from Illinois, and one-eleventh from Pennsylvania. The sophomore and junior classes each have more than half as many students from Ohio as Indiana, while more than one-third of the senior class give Ohio as their residence. The number of Pennsylvania students in the senior class nearly equals the number from Indiana. The classification of seniors by states is as follows: Ohio, ten; Indiana, five; Pennsylvania, four; Iowa, three; Illinois, two; and one each from Ontario, Colorado, India, and Kansas. It must be remembered, however, that a number of the special students are Elkhart county teachers who are completing the work for a college degree by attending Saturday and evening classes and that some of these have already reached upper class standing and may be ready to come up for the bachelor's degree within a year or two. All but one of the special students registered are from Indiana. Following is the classification of the freshmen by states; Indiana, thirty-four; Ohio, sixteen; Illinois, ten; Pennsylvania, eight; Iowa, four; Missouri, two; Maryland, two; and Michigan, Colorado, and South America, one each.

JUNIOR ALUMNI ENROLLED

No more enconuraging sign of the loyalty of alumni and their confidence in their Alma Mater has appeared than that evidenced by their entrusting of their children's education to Goshen College. Following is a list of students whose father or mother (or both) are alumni. The name of the parent or parents who have attended the Elkhart Institute or Goshen College follows the name of the student in each case.

Freshmen:

Neff Ball, Elkhart, Indiana; Mrs. Truman P. Ball (Lydia Neff).

Geneva Brunk, Poplar Bluff, Missouri; J. B. Brunk, '15.

Ivan W. Brunk, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk (Abbie Yoder), ex-'10.

Harold Cripe, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Cripe, (Edith May Swartz) ex-'09.

Amy, Frieda, Justina Enss, 1237 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Professor and Mrs. Gustav H. Enss.

Lloyd E. Hartzler, Harrisonville, Missouri; Mrs. L. J. Hartzler (Minnie Hauder, ex-'08).

Inez Hauder, 1303 South Main Street, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hauder, (Wilma Smoker), '08 and '10.

Mary Carolyn Hershberger, 1111 West King Strtet, Decatur, Illinois; Mrs. E. S. Hershberger (Fannie Stutzman), ex-'08.

Lester T. Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, F. C. O., Argentina; T. K. Hershey, ex-'11.

Lloyd H. Hess, Goshen, Indiana, R. 4; Mrs. Wilson F. Hess (Maggie Culp), ex-'10.

Retha Hostetler, Goshen, Indiana, R. 4; Mrs. Charles A. Hostetler (Inez Eash), ex-'11.

Gladys Johns, Canton, Ohio; Bishop and Mrs. Otis N. Johns (Margaret Rickert), ex-'07 and '09.

Carl Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider (Adelia Stover), special student 1906.

Jeanette Landis, R. 7, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood E. Landis (Ruth Lehman), '08 and ex-'09.

Angelina McPhail, 360 South Depot Street, Constantine, Michigan; Mrs. Theresa E. Mc Phail (Theresa E. Thorne), ex-'09.

Lewis Powell, Jr., South English. Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Powell (Ida E. Hertzler), '07 and ex-'09.

Jerald Sommer, Metamora, Illinois; Joseph D. Sommer, ex-'02.

John M. S. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio; Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00.

Grace Thornton, Elkhart, Indiana; John E. Thornton, ex-'05.

Lowell Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, ex-'01.

William H. Yoder, 514 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Hon. J. S. Yoder, '05, attorney-at-law.

Sophomores:

Orie M. Schlatter, Wayland, Iowa; Mrs. William Schlatter (Lydia Slagel), ex-'08.

Ferne Smith, Eureka, Illinois; Mrs. S. E. Smith (Emma Drange), ex-'08.

Roy Umble, 1134 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. John Umble (Alice Landis), '01.

Robert Welty, 1304 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor S. H. Welty, '23.

Naomi Fogelsonger, New Paris, Indiana; Mrs. Ruth Whitehead Fogelsonger.

Robert Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank (Emma Hershey), '10 and '09, College Apartments, Goshen, Indiana.

Juniors:

Leland Brenneman, R. 7, Lima, Ohio; Mrs. R. R. Brenneman (Elnora Hilty), ex-'10.

Carolyn Lehman, Dhamtari, C. P., India; M. C. Lehman, '04, Room 283, Sterling Divinity Quadrangle, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut — Mrs. M. C. Lehman (Lydia Liechty, '05), 1225 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana.

Elsie Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, South America; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, (Emma E. Hershey), College Apartments, Goshen, Indiana.

Vera Snyder, R. 2, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. J. S. Snyder (Bessie Stouffer), ex-'09.

Samuel Swartz, R. 1, Elida, Ohio; Mrs. Sherman Swartz (Lydia Stemen), ex-'08.

E. LaVerne Yoder, 1139 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; President and Mrs. Sanford Calvin Yoder.

Paul D. Zook, 1133 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. E. J. Zook (Mary Thut).

Seniors:

Verna Schertz, Metamora, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Schertz (Ellen Schertz), '05.

Sarah Esch, Dhamtari, C. P., India; Mrs. Mina (Brubaker) Esch, ex-'09 (widow of Dr. C. D. Esch), 913 South Third Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

Special:

Alice Gerig, 1137 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana, Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Bessie Landis, '02, deceased).

Robert Bender, R. 7, Goshen, Indiana; Deacon George L. Bender, ex-'98, deceased.

SCHOLARS FOR 1932

Elkhart County Scholars: Retha Hostetler, Concord; Harold Cripe, Millersburg; Blanche Luke, Middlebury; Lucille Weaver, New Paris; Inez Hauder and Janet Miller, Goshen.

Half-scholarships (half scholarships pay one-half of the tuition for each semester): Ivan Brunk, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; Lester Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, Argentina, South America; Idella Zuercher, Dalton, Ohio; Marion Wisseman, Grantsville, Maryland; Bertha Risser, Hershey, Pennsylvania; Vera Roth, Manson, Iowa; Caroline Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio; Rollin Krabill, Louisville, Ohio; Mary Frey, Sterling, Illinois; Geneva Brunk, Poplar Bluff, Missouri; Gladys Schertz, Metamora, Illinois; Laura Metzler, Columbiana, Ohio; Lloyd Hartzler, Harrisonville, Missouri; Raymond Troyer, Cable, Ohio; Carolyn Hershberger, Decatur Illinois; Carl Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Karl Massanari, Fisher, Illinois; Angelina McPhail, Constantine, Michigan; Bonita Birkey, Stanford, Illinois; Leta Springer, Hopedale, Illinois; James Clemens, Lansdale, Pennsylvania.

Full Scholarships (a full scholarship pays all tuition expense for one year): Gladys Johns, Louisville, Ohio; Bertie Baer, Hagerstown, Maryland; Glen Guengerich, Kalona, Iowa; Carl Showalter, La Junta, Colorado;

Evelyn Burkholder, Newville, Pennsylvania.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. M. T. Yoder, mother of Ida Yoder, ex-'33, and of Dr. Edward Yoder, Hesston, Kansas, died at her home near Kalona, Iowa, Saturday, September 17, 1932.

Complications developing after an illness of influenza which began August 8 caused the death, August 25, of Mrs. Mollie Mae Yoder, 44, wife of Edwin J. Yoder, business manager of the College. Mrs. Yoder was the daughter of Bishop Eli and Ella Stoltzfus and was born June 7, 1888, at Huntsville, Ohio. She had served as primary superintendent and Sunday school teacher at the Maple Grove Mennonite church, Topeka, Indiana, of which her husband has been pastor for seven years. Surviving are her husband and five children. Her oldest daughter, Genevieve graduated from the Topeka high school with highest honors last May, and was awarded one of the newly established freshman scholarships.

Byron Christian, son of Elvin V. and Mary Fretz Snyder, was born in Trenque Lauquen, Argentina; died July 29, 1932, aged 2 months, days. He leaves father, mother and one little brother, Marion Ozias. Trenque Lauquen had an epidemic of whooping cough this winter, Mrs. Snyder and Marion both taking it and later Byron took it also. Although he seemed a strong child, his little body could not resist the disease and complications developed. Funeral services were conducted in the Trenque Lauquen church (this being the first funeral in the new church), by T. K. Hershey, ex-'11, assisted by N. J. Litwiller, '25. Four of the Children's Home girls were pallbearers. Interment in Trenque Lauquen Cemetery.

Allen B., son of Bishop Jacob and Anna Christophel, was born near Wakarusa, Indiana, July 31, 1892; died July 20, 1932. For number of years he suffered from neuritis, but the last few months apparently had shown some improvement. On the morning of his death he took water to the field for the harvest hands. While waiting for one of the men who had not yet arrived, Allen decided to help shock oats until he came. He had set up only a few shocks of grain when he was stricken with heart failure and death followed almost immediately. In the year 1916 he went to work in the Publishing House at Scottdale, Pa., which position he held until he was called to camp during the World War. While there he was one of those who stood for the principle of nonresistance and suffered imprisonment for his convictions. In March, 1924, the Yellow Creek congregation called him to the work of the ministry which position he faithfully filled until his death. He was frequently called on to preach at the College where he was highly esteemed and his preaching greatly appreciated by both the local congregation and the student body.

Frederick Page, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, was born at St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri, August 2, 1932, and died there on August 9. The cause of death was pneumonia, with acute dilation of the heart. Interment at the Hesston, Kansas, Cemetery, where Milo Kaufman conducted an appropriate service.

Miriam Hostetler, ex-'31, passed away at her home in Elkhart, Indiana, September 20. During her student days she served as secretary to the late Dean Oyer. Her pleasing personality and self-sacrificing spirit enabled her to render a fine type of service in that position.

WEDDING BELLS

On Tuesday evening, July 12, 1932, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wenger, Warren H. Kratz and Mrs. Mary (Wenger) Martin, '25, were united in marriage, the father of the bride officiating.

Alvin Schloneger, ex-'33, Louisville, Ohio, and Gladys Hostetler, ex-'32, Walnut Creek, Ohio, were united in marriage August 18, 1932 at the home of Bishop Otis N. Johns, Canton, Ohio. They will reside near Louisville on the groom's father's farm.

Saturday morning, August 27, at eight-thirty, Glen Hershberger, '23, of Maywood, Illinois, and Miss Dula Roth, '29, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roth, ex-'02, were married at the home of Bishop S. C. Yoder, South Eighth Street, Goshen. Mr. Hershberger has for a number of years been in the radio service of the federal government and at present is radio supervisor of a large district in connection with the airways service. Mrs. Hershberger was formerly engaged as a teacher in the Monroe township high school near West Liberty, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger will make their home in Maywood, Illinois.

Mary Nafziger, ex-'31, of Metamora, Illinois, was married to Ralph Imhoff, of Cazenovia, Illinois, on August 17. Mr. and Mrs. Imhoff will reside at Low Point, Illinois, where Mr. Imhoff is engaged in farming.

The wedding of Miss Helen A. Yoder, ex-'31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Yoder, 1130 South Eighth Street and Russell F. Schnell, 4327 South Tilman street, Chicago, was solemnized Sunday afternoon, September 25, in the Eighth Street Mennonite Church. The Rev. G. T. Soldner officiated at the ceremony before a large group of relatives and friends. The couple will leave about the first of November for the Belgian Congo, Africa, to serve as missionaries. The bride is a graduate of Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio. The groom attended North Park College, Crane College and Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

Professor Samuel A. Yoder, '28, of the

College, and Ethel Oyer, ex-'29, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Oyer, Roanoke, Illinois, on September 10. They will be at home at 927 Mary Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, where Mr. Yoder is continuing his graduate study in English.

Dr. Harry Franklin Weber, '20, author of the *Centennial History of Illinois Mennonites* and Professor of sociology at the State Teacher's College, Lockhaven, Pennsylvania, and Clara Jeanette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Underwood, were married at Philadelphia, September 2.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Yoder, (Estie Miller), Hesston, Kansas, announce the birth of a son, Vergil Edward, on August 28.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kennel (Bessie Birkey, ex-'32) reside on a farm at Eureka, Ill.

Leonard Kreider, '31, Wadsworth, Ohio, holder of a graduate assistantship in chemistry at Ohio State University for the year 1932-33 spent the week end, September 24-25, on the campus (and in the country east of Goshen) visiting friends.

Tilman Smith, principal of the Roanoke, Illinois, schools, was granted the master's degree in history at the University of Iowa in August.

Rachel Weaver, '31, popular Latin teacher in the Roann, Indiana, high school spent the week-end of September 24-25 at the home of her parents east of Goshen.

From the *Goshen Daily News Times*, "Twenty-five Years Ago", September 24, 1907: "The schools of Elkhart township reopened today with the following corps of teachers: high school, Waterford, George W. Ellis, principal; Iverson Mishler, assistant principal; Romaine Rohrer, intermediate; Josephine Ellis, primary; district No. 1, Wilma Smoker; No. 2, John Hoover; No. 3, Lenora Leer; No. 4, Carrie McCullough; No. 5, Lottie Inbody; No. 6, Cora Kercher; No. 9, Fannie Stutzman." Mr. Mishler now has his A. B. from Goshen College and is principal of the Centennial (Consolidated) School east of Goshen. Wilma Smoker and Fannie Stutzman have become, respectively, Mrs. P. A. Hauder and Mrs. E. S. Hershberger. Both have daughters who are freshmen in Goshen College.

Mrs. H. F. Reist, (Lulu Greenwalt, '04), is visiting her mother at 1225 S. Eighth St.

Rev. J. B. Brunk, '11, who has been engaged in evangelistic work for the past few months, now is pastor of the Church of God congregation at Poplar Bluff, Missouri. His daughter, Geneva, is a freshman.

Olive Wyse, '25, former instructor in home economics in the College will spend the year at the State University of Iowa in graduate study in home economics, working for the master's degree.

Ann Burkhart, ex-'26, Rachel Weaver, '31, and Merle Hartzler, '32, attended the Mennonite Young People's Retreat at Shipshewanna, Indiana, August 8-16.

William B. Weaver, '14, Danvers, Illinois, is president of the Central Mennonite Board of Home and Foreign Missions. Both he and I. R. Detweiler, '01, Bluffton, Ohio, are members of the Foreign Mission Committee of that conference.

Raymond L. Hartzler, '18, Carlock, Illinois, is secretary of the Central Conference of Menonnites.

M. E. Miller, ex-'07, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writer of the words of the Goshen College song, is seriously ill at his home. Mr. Miller is a brother of Mrs. B. J. Kauffman of the College congregation and a former Aurora. His wife is Ada Kennard.

As we go to press we learn of Mr. Miller's death at his home, October 3. Funeral, Thursday, October 6.

Anna Yoder, '12, superintendent of the junior department of the Sunday school of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, Goshen, attended the summer camp at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, for ten days in August.

Irene Zook, '29, is teaching in the Glenwood, Delaware, Conservative Amish school founded in 1928, after the Amish children had been expelled from the public schools for their refusal to comply with the law requiring the children to salute the flag. This is her fourth year in this school. The Amish community is erecting a new school building near Glenwood.

Edwin Weaver, '26, who has been teaching English in the junior high school at West Allis, Wisconsin, visited on the campus in August.

J. R. Allgyer, '15, is scheduled to speak October 3, at 8:05, from the Ohio State University radio station, WEAO, 570 Kilometers, on "The Farmer's Dilemma and Organization."

C. B. Blosser, '07, who has given valuable service to the farmers of Elkhart county for the past four years, has so far yielded in his controversy with the county board that he has agreed to resign on January 1. It is to be regretted that purely partisan considerations should put an end to the service of so able, efficient, and self-sacrificing a public servant as County Agent Blosser has proved himself to be. The dairy organizations that he built up in Elkhart county have in a number of cases, increased the profits of individual dairymen and breeders several thousand dollars during his term of office.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hostetler, '21 (Gladys Stoltzfus) with Mr. Hostetler's father, Abram Hostetler, visited friends on the campus in August. Mrs. Hostetler had charge of the College dining hall in the fall of 1924.

Orie J. Eigsti, '32, of Morton, Illinois, has been appointed to a half time scholarship in the department of biology at the University of Illinois where he was registered last year as a graduate student in botany. His appointment to an assistantship in one of the foremost state universities is further evidence that Goshen College graduates are

vell prepared for graduate work. Professor Buchholtz, who has been directing Mr. Eigti's studies, speaks very highly of his undergraduate preparation for advanced work n the university.

Milton Smith, '28, visited friends in Gohen, August 10. He is teaching near Philaelphia.

E. J. Camp, '28, spent a few hours on he campus, August 10. He received the naster's degree at the University of Chicago ast year and has accepted a position as eacher of mathematics in the Junior College t St. Joseph, Missouri.

John Warye, '17, Mingo, Ohio, is superntendent of the young people's division of he Champaign county council of religious ducation. He, with his aged father, Deacon amuel Warye, attended the Ohio Mennoite Sunday School Conference at Elida, Ohio, in August.

John F. Slabaugh, '18, has been promoted o the principalship of the DeMotte, Indina, schools. He is also director of the igh school band, choruses, and orchestra.

The July NEWS LETTER incorrectly tated the address of Estella Yoder, ex-'33, s Low Point, Illinois. It should have been Roanoke, Illinois, Route 1.

Jonathan G. Yoder, '27, senior in Indina Medical School, Indianapolis, was presnt on the campus for the summer convoation, August 10.

Rev. E. D. Mast, '31, pastor of the First Evangelical Church at Carmi, Illinois, enoyed a three weeks vacation late in July nd early in August. He was present at the ummer convocation, August 10.

Abner D. Zook, ex-'12, 1202 Riverside Boulevard, Akron, Ohio, has been elected member of the Akron city council.

Robert M. Stemen, '14, and his wife and mall daughter, moved from Kendallville to Goshen, August 3, to assume management of "Stemen's Cafe," popular South Main street estaurant. He and his two brothers, Gabiel and John, operate cafes in Iowa City, owa, and in Kendallville and Goshen. Mr. temen had been manager of the Kendallville afe for the past two years.

Clark Croop, ex-32, 912 South Sixth Street, Goshen, graduated from the Commerce School at Tri-State College, Angola, Indiana, n June, receiving the degree of bachelor of cience.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook (Lena Landis), 02 and '03, respectively, 807 North Howard Street, Akron, Ohio, visited friends in Gohen in August. Mrs. Zook's mother, Mrs. abina Landis, 1134 South Eighth Street, Goshen, was seriously ill at that time but s recovering satisfactorily at present.

Dr. I. C. Keller, formerly instructor in English in Goshen College for three years, ow head of the English department in State Teacher's College, California, Pa., ddressed the summer session students on the ubject, "Education During the Depression," n Assembly Hall, August 9. Dr. Keller nd his family visited Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Piatt, in Goshen.

Dr. Walter Gordon, '12, has had charge of a boy's camp and "Dude Ranch," as he calls it, on Route 2, Edwardsburg, Michigan, during the past summer.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '10, former president of Whitmarsum Seminary, returned to his home in Bluffton, Ohio, in July after spending a year in the Orient teaching in the American University at Beirut. He is teaching in Bluffton college this year.

Bishop P. A. Friesen and wife (Florence V. Cooprider, '10) missionaries on furlough from Jamgoon, India, are in charge of the Home Mission, 1907 South Union Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, during the convalescence of Mrs. Simon Kanagy at Hoover's Point, near Selkirk, Ontario.

Grace Schwary, '31, toured eastern Pennsylvania with her parents and sister in August, visiting Goshen students and other friends. They spent some time in New York, also, returning through New Jersey and Washington, D. C. Miss Schwary is reemployed in the Louisville, Ohio, schools for the year 1932-33.

Ruth Brunk, '32, Winchester, Kentucky, is employed as instructor in a private boarding school for girls at Pineridge, Kentucky.

Mrs. Homer Yoder (Effie Ganger, '19), visited her parents and friends in Goshen during August. Her husband has been in the Government hospital in Denver for treatment since last December. He was formerly in the treasury department of the city of Los Angeles.

Alvin Yordy, '22, superintendent of schools at Zook, Kansas, with his wife and baby, visited friends at Eureka and Chicago, Illinois, during August.

The *Gospel Herald* "Mission Supplement" for September 15, 1932, contains a large number of articles about our work in India, well-illustrated with maps and pictures. Alumni on the field include: J. N. Kaufman, '17, Elsie (Drange) Kauffman, '08, G. J. Lapp. '13, A. C. Brunk, 08, R. R. Smucker, '28, Alma (Albrecht) Smucker, ex-'11, Mary M. Good, ex-'19. E. E. Miller, '17. Ruth (Blosser) Miller, '17, M. C. Vogt, '27, S. J. Hostetler, '18, Ida (Miller) Hostetler, ex-'14, and Dora Shantz, '27. India missionaries on furlough who are alumni are: M. C. Lehman, '04, Lydia (Leichty) Lehman, '05, Minnie Kanagy, '22, J. D. Graber, '25, Minnie (Swartzendruber) Graber, ex-'27, and Florence (Cooprider) Friesen, '10.

Delton Schrock, ex-'30, 1234 S. Eighth St., Goshen, is head of the radiator hose department of the Western Rubber Works.

Dr. H. B. Reed, '07, professor of psychology, Ft. Hayes State College, Haves, Kansas, visited friends at the College, August 8.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, attended the Indiana State Mennonite Sunday School Conference at Leo, Indiana, in August.

Walter Loucks, ex-'10, 611 Walnut Street, Scottdale, Pennsylvania, is linotype machinist at the Mennonite Publishing House.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Plank, '09, (Olive Nafziger, '12), and daughters, Clara Marie and Elaine, have moved to 1131 South Eighth

Street, Goshen. Mrs. Plank is secretary of the committee on arrangements for the August Reunion of Goshen College alumni.

H. S. Bender, '18, was re-elected a member of the executive committee of the Indiana Mennonite S. S. Conference in August.

Lena Graber, ex-'35, took up the nurse's training course at the Sterling hospital, Sterling, Illinois, in September.

A. J. Regier, '08, professor of education at Bethel college, Newton, Kansas, was inducted as superintedent of the Sunday school of the Bethel college church,, September 7.

The July-August number of the *Congo Missionary Messenger*, published at Scottdale, Pennsylvania, gives a short account of seven missionaries who are under appointment to take up work in the Belgian Congo, Africa, as soon as conditions permit. Helen Yoder, ex-'30, 1130 South Eighth Street, Goshen, is among the number.

Professor and Mrs. Paul Erb (Alta Mae Ebv. '12), spent the summer in Canada.

Charity Yoder, ex-'35, entered training in the Mennonite hospital at La Junta, Colorado, in September.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Long, ex-'99, spent August and September in western Colorado. Bertha Nohejl, ex-'34, accompanied them and will teach near Thurman again this year.

C. Warren Long, '29, superintendent of the Peoria Mission, 1101 Ann Street, Peoria, Illinois, announces revival meetings to be held at the mission by I. W. Royer, '00, October 2-16.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Snyder, '29, (Mary Fretz, ex-'31) assumed charge of the mission work at America, Meridiano Quinto, and Cuenco in the Argentine during the first week in August.

John F. Bressler, ex-'02, and Stanford Mumaw, ex-'31, were visiting ministers in attendance at the Virginia Conference, in Augusta county, Virginia, August 3 and 4.

Dora Shantz, '27, Landour, Mussoori, U. P., India, is hard at work studying Hindi. Miss Shantz is a grand-daughter of Lewis Kulp, gratefully remembered by the older generation of instructors and students for his unselfish and generous financial support of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College. Lewis Kulp's widow, now ninety-two years old, still enjovs comparatively good health. She lives with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Moyer, at her old home in Elkhart.

I. E. Burkhart, '26, professor of Church history and Bible, Hesston College, Hesston, Kansas, has been elected assistant moderator of the Missouri-Kansas Mennonite Conference. Professor Burkhart spent the early part of the summer in Canada, New York, and Pennsylvania in the educational interests of the Church and stopped in Goshen for a few days in August.

Esther Schott, '19, R. N., 1539 South Springfield Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, is doing Jewish settlement work.

A. R. Hayes, ex-'16, 8044 Paxton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, certified public accountant, is taking up the study of law to broaden his business interests.

J. W. Shank, '10, continued his graduate study in the Illif School of Theology at Denver, Colorado, during the past summer.

Wilbur Hostetler, '30, is teaching in the senior high school in the Flandreau school, Flandreau, South Dakota, an Indian school under the U. S. civil service, at a salary of sixteen hundred dollars a year.

J. R. Shank, ex-'01, Versailles, Missouri, was re-elected secretary of the Missouri-Kansas Mennonite Conference at the last annual meeting held near Harper, Kansas, August 15-19.

Rev. Hilbert S. Berger, ex-'19, assumed the pastorate of the Evangelical Church at New Paris last May.

Rev. C. L. Haney, '12, 32 Gebhart Street, Dayton, Ohio, is pastor of the Wayne Avenue Evangelical Church for the seventh year.

The following alumni and ex-students are teaching in Holmes county, Ohio: Glen Mast, ex-'34; Olive Mast, ex-'33; Earl Miller, ex-'33; John Bender, '30; Titus Weaver, '31; Warren Miller, ex-'34; Ralph Sundheimer, ex-'34; Fern Miller, ex-'35; Willard Miller, ex-'35; and the whole family of Beechy brothers: Orrin, ex-'34; Atlee, ex-'35; and Ralph, '32.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, wife (Ruth Blosser, '17), and family, Dhamtari, C. P., India, are now living in the recently completed Academy Bungalow.

Alumnae are active in the home missionary and benevolent work of the Church. The following are members of the General Sewing Circle Committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities: Mrs. J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook, '01) president, Scottdale, Pa.,; Mrs. Chauncey Smucker (Pearl Detweiler, '29) assistant secretary, Wes Liberty, Ohio; and Mrs. M. C. Lehman (Lydia Liechty, '05), literature secretary 1225 South Eighth Street, Goshen.

Weddell Berkey, ex-'31, 101 Gra-Roy Drive, who was married to Dorothy Compton of Elkhart, Indiana, June 11, was admitted to practice before the Indiana Supreme Court in July. He received the degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence at the Northwestern University School of Law, Chicago Illinois, in June, 1931. Mrs. Berkey received the degree of bachelor of arts at Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts, in 1927.

Professor D. A Lehman was in residence at the University of Michigan last summer. He is teaching courses in mathematics and astronomy with his usual interest and vigor.

Fred Brenneman, ex-'31, completed his course at Kansas University medical college in Kansas City, Kansas, last June and is an interne at St. Mary's Mercy Hospital in Gary, Indiana. He attended church services at the College on Sunday, August 7.

R. W. Litwiller, '31, teacher at Morton last year, was granted graduate standing at the University of Chicago in September.

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JOHN UMBLE ---------- Editor

The editor regrets the tardy appearance of this issue of the NEWS LETTER. He hopes that he may be permitted to plead an overcrowded schedule and a generous portion of extra-curricular activities. He owes it to the ready pen of Lucille Kreider, '33, Wadsworth, Ohio, that the delay is no longer. Miss Kreider wrote this entire issue of the NEWS LETTER.

Minister's Week and Christian Life Conference

TOO MANY of those who attended, this year's Minister's Week and Christian Life Conference was the most inspirational series of meetings of its kind ever held on the campus. Minister's Week began at the close of the Special Bible Term (in which 29 students had been enrolled) Tuesday, January 31, and continued until Friday evening, February 2. An unusually large number of ministers, deacons, and others attended these meetings — so large a group, in fact, that Aurora Hall was several times scarcely able to accommodate the crowds. The chief speakers at these sessions were: Bishop Daniel Kauffman, C. F. Yake, I. W. Royer, '00, Bishop C. F. Derstine, and Dean H. S. Bender. Professor Enss also contributed two very interesting addresses on "Fundamental Principles of the Mennonite Church in the Light of History." It seemed appropriate that these days of study and devotion should reach their climax in the Christian Life Conference which followed, beginning Friday evening, February 3, with "The Church and the Christian Life" as its theme. Those who spoke on various phases of this subject were J. K. Bixler, Elkhart; J. D. Hartzler, Gridley, Illinois; C. F. Yake and Daniel Kauffman, Scottdale, Pennsylvania; A. C. Good, Sterling, Illinois; P. A. Friesen, Dhamtari, India; S. F. Coffman, Vineland, Ontario; C. L. Graber, Wayland, Iowa; O. O. Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania; and C. F. Derstine, Kitchener, Ontario. Music for every session was furnished by one of the College choruses or a quartet. The session devoted to "The Church and Her Young People" seemed to fill a peculiarly vital place, and to knit more securely the bonds of understanding and harmony between young and old. The many friends and former students who shared the abundance of these days with us brought added encouragement to those on the campus, and we sincerely hope that the succeeding years may continue to bring us like and even greater blessings.

HOMECOMING

There is something about a Homecoming in a year like the past one has been that means even more than it usually does. To the students now on the campus, many of whom are overcoming very real obstacles in order to continue their college work, it is indeed heartening to meet alumni who are living successful and fruitful lives of unselfish service. They are convinced, of course, of the worth of the ideals which their college upholds, and of the usefulness for the future of the training they are receiving; nevertheless to meet old friends and former students who are living proof of this, does much to strengthen those convictions. Much the same is true, from a slightly different angle, of the Homecomers themselves. Those who are perhaps teaching for minimum salaries (we almost said "wages") or those who are being much more Scotch than their Pennsylvania Dutch ancestry would warrant, must be encouraged when they see their Alma Mater staunchly carrying on in the face of great difficulties. This Homecoming served to remind many of us that the fundamental things for which Goshen College stands are not those which can be deeply affected by even such a crisis as we now face. This, added to the usual

joy of renewed friendships accompanying this event, made the Homecoming of 1932 rich in pleasant experiences. The Thanksgiving service was conducted by President Yoder. Samuel Yoder was an interesting and enlivening toastmaster at the Dinner, and those who toasted — Lilly Esch, Ada Lapp, Harold Buzzard, and Paul Horsch — responded very cleverly to his stimulating remarks. The chorus program was well-rendered, perhaps because those who sang were blissfully ignorant of the alumni basketball victory which was destined for the next day. But the varsity girls won their game. The Lecture Course number, a program by the Utica Jubilee Singers, was very well received. For the Saturday evening program the Social Committee chose from among the best talent of the College. There were vocal solos and quartettes, instrumental numbers, readings, talks, and sketches. The Sunday morning worship seemed even more inspiring when shared with members of our great family who had returned home. Below is a partial list of the Homecomers:

Indiana: Allen B. Ebersole, Elkhart; J. W. Shank, Goshen; Viveron Hoffman, Goshen; Lucille McLaughlin, Elkhart; Jonathan Yoder, Goshen; Rachel Weaver, Roann; H. A. Mumaw, Elkhart; C. B. Blosser, Goshen; L. S. Eash, Goshen; Ellis Martin, Elkhart; J. F. Slabaugh, DeMotte; Esther Brunk, Goshen; Nellie Miller, Middlebury; Paul Miller, Elkhart; Harold Buzzard, Elkhart; C. P. Martin, Goshen; L. J. Martin, Goshen; Marguerite Yoder, Goshen.

Ohio: Katherine Royer, Orrville; Nettie Glick, Sugar Creek; Forrest King, Orrville; Ernest E. Frey, Pettisville; Ronald Schenk, Lima; J. Harold Smith, Elida; Mary Royer, Orrville; Paul Swope, Columbiana; John Bender, Glenmont; Ralph Beechy, Berlin; Atlee Beechy, Berlin; Wilbur D. Shenk, Elida; Leonard C. Kreider, Columbus; Orin Beechy, Berlin; Irvin Bauman, Columbiana; Fyrne Miller, Sugar Creek; Vesta Nofziger Archbold; Willard Richer, Archbold.

Illinois: C. K. Bender, Chicago; Vernon Rocke, Tiskilwa; Martha Plank, Eureka; Lulu Smith, Eureka; Mabelle Smith, Eureka; Mary Grove, Cullom; Thelma Oyer, Roanoke; Dorothy Smith, Roanoke; Pauline Oyer, Roanoke; William B. Weaver, Danvers; Mrs. William B. Weaver, Danvers; Tilman Smith, Roanoke; Glenwood Schertz, Roanoke; Beulah Yordy, Flanagan; Alverda Schertz, Metamora; Erma Schertz, Metamora; Ada Lapp, Sterling; Estella Yoder, Metamora.

Pennsylvania: Leah C. Risser, Hershey; William Hallman, Lancaster; Beatrice Hershey Hallman, Lancaster; George Bishop, Doylestown; Howard Nase, Blooming Glen; Rosa Gish, Lancaster; Gertrude Bishop, Doylestown; Paul Horsch, Scottdale; Rhoda M. Ressler, Pittsburgh.

Michigan: Elizabeth Smith, St. Johns; Milton Gascho, Imlay City; Samuel Yoder, Ann Arbor; Ethel Oyer Yoder, Ann Arbor; Lilly Esch, Mio.

Iowa: Ida Yoder, Kalona; Esther Graber, Wayland; Olive Wyse, Wayland.

Others: John M. Baer, Hagerstown, Maryland; Stanley Miller, Harvard, New York; Sharon Brunk, Gulfport, Mississippi; Delmar Hershberger and Mary Martin Hershberger, Ocean City, New Jersey.

CAMPUS NOTES

The many duties which devolve upon President Yoder, resulting from his executive position, his work as a pastor and his membership of various committees in the church, have kept him quite busy in the past months. He conducted two series of evangelistic meetings, one at Kouts, Indiana, from October 1 to 10, the other at North Lima, Ohio, December 4 to 11. On November 27 he spoke at the Austin Baptist Church in Chicago on "Migratory Movements Among the Mennonites as a result of the World War." He attended the meeting of the Foreign Missions Conference of North America at Briarcliff on the Hudson, New York, December 19 to 22. On this trip he stopped to visit Miss Edith Witmer, former instructor in Home Economics at Goshen College, who has been ill for some time. During Christmas vacation he made a western trip, stopping at Chicago Home Mission, December 26, and proceeding to La Junta for a meeting of the Hospital Board. Thence he went to Hesston, Kansas, to make final arrangements for Dr. Edward Yoder to join the staff of Goshen College. On January 1 he filled a preaching appointment at Harper, Kansas. January 2 he met the members of the Board

of the Children's Welfare Home in Kansas City, and the following day he returned home. On January 13 he stopped for a brief call at Iowa City en route to Milford, Nebraska, where he was called on account of interests of the Mission Board, and on Saturday and Sunday he preached at the Mennonite Church at Milford. He spent January 31 at Indianapolis in the interests of the College, and January 28 he attended a meeting of the Appraisals Commission of the Layman's Foreign Mission Inquiry at LaSalle Hotel, Chicago.

Early in November, Dean Bender made a trip to the east, spending four days in a visit at the Eastern Mennonite School. During his stay there he gave two addresses, one on "Mennonite Relief Work and Conditions in Russia," and one on recent American Mennonite History under the title: "The Great Awakening in the Mennonite Church." He also spent some time in gathering historical material relating to the Mennonites of Virginia. During Ministers' Week he gave two addresses on "Mennonite Church Government and Organization in the Light of the New Testament and History."

In company with Dr. Hertzler, Director of Teacher Training, he conferred with certain Indiana educators, February 16, in working out details of the Elementary Teacher Training program at Goshen College. Over the week end of February 18-20, he spent a day at Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, attending the annual convention of the League of Evangelical Students, and becoming acquainted with the organization, program and spirit of Calvin College, an institution similar in many ways as a staunchly Christian college to our own institution at Goshen.

Dr. Hertzler attended the State Conference on Student Teaching held at DePauw University Thursday and Friday, December 8th and 9th. At that time plans were completed with the State Department of Public Insruction so that Goshen College may now offer the first year of the Indiana elementary teacher training course. Dr. Hertzler also attended the meeting of the Indiana State Teachers Association at Indianapolis on Thursday and Friday, October 20th and 21st.

The Mennonite Board of Education held its annual meeting at the Clinton Frame church near Goshen, February 6 and 7. In the election of officers, D. A. Yoder was re-elected president, S. F. Coffman secretary, and H. R. Schertz, treasurer. J. B. Smith was elected vice-president, and C. L. Graber, assistant treasurer.

WEDDING BELLS

Anna Ruth Schrock, ex-'31, of Sterling, Ohio and Dayton D. Steiner, Orrville, Ohio, were united in marriage January 10, 1933. J. N. Smucker officiated.

Katherine Gerig, ex-'31, Smithville, Ohio, and Lester J. Hostetler, Orrville, Ohio, were united in marirage December 25, 1932, at the home of the bride's father, J. S. Gerig, who officiated at the ceremony.

Bill Abshire, '29, of Goshen, Indiana and Miss Rachel Wade of Fort Wayne, Indiana, were married December 26, 1932, at the St. James Episcopal Church in Goshen. Both Mr. and Mrs. Abshire are students at the University of Alabama.

Violet E. Bender, ex-'23, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and James Sheldon Turner, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, were united in marriage October 9, 1932, at Swarthmore, the groom's father officiating. They will reside in Philadelphia.

Mary Roth, academy '29, Goshen, Indiana, was married Sunday morning, November 6, by S. C. Yoder at his home to Perry G. Miller, Shipshewana, Indiana. They reside in Goshen. Mr. Miller teaches near Shipshewana.

Joseph R. Buzzard, ex-'30, Goshen, Indiana, and Nellie Mae Nussbaum, Middlebury, Indiana, were united in marriage, October 25, 1932, at Newton, Kansas, by Paul Erb of Hesston, Kansas.

Mable Wyse, ex-'29, was united in marriage to Vernon Gerig, of Wayland, Iowa, at the home of the bride's parents, September 14, 1932, Simon Gingerich officiating.

Bishop and Mrs. S. E. Allgyer, of West Liberty, Ohio, parents of J. Roy Allgyer '15, Anna Allgyer '20, Ruth Allgyer, ex-'25, Maurice, ex-'27, and John M., ex-'29, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, January 18. With the exception of one, all children were present, and all but three of the seventeen grandchildren. Over one hundred guests called during the day to offer their congratulations.

On Sunday afternoon, February 5, 1933, Amos Basinger, of Dalton, Ohio, and Icie Steiner, '29, of Orrville, Ohio, were united in marriage at the home of the officiating bishop, Otis Johns of Canton, Ohio.

On October 16, 1932, Leland A. Bachman of the Pleasant Grove congregation, Tremont, Illinois, and Elsie Mae Springer, ex-'29, of the Hopedale, Illinois congregation, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Springer, Minier, Illinois, Simon Litwiller officiating. Mr. Bachman was ordained to the ministry a year ago and, with C. Warren Long, was elected a member of the Sunday School Executive committee at the Illinois Mennonite Conference.

A recent issue of the *Goshen Daily News Times* in its "Twenty-Five Years Ago" column carried the announcement of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Miller whose daughter Janet is a freshman in the College.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Catherine Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brunk, ex-'30 (Elsie Yoder, ex-'31), Goshen, Indiana, was born Nov. 6, 1932.

Richard Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Shank (Mary Yoder, ex-'33), of North Lima, Ohio, was born October 26, 1932.

James Lowell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kauffman (Dorcas Yoder, ex-'30), West Liberty, Ohio, was born Dec. 14, 1932.

Stanley Silas, first son and third child of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Albrecht, ex-'23 (Alma Miller, ex-'25), Tiskilwa, Illinois, was born March 30, 1932.

Iretta Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford, ex-'34, of South Main Street, Goshen, Indiana, was born January 19, 1933.

James Daniel, first son and third child of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Martin, ex-'26, 187 W. Erb Street, Waterloo, Ontario, was born November 26, 1932.

John Edrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lehman, '29, Whitmer, West Virginia, was born September 22, 1932.

Naomi Jeannette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Kauffman, '28, Route 8, Goshen, Indiana, was born October 22, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roupp, ex-'29, Wichita, Kansas, are the parents of a third child, a daughter, born in the autumn of 1932.

NECROLOGY

Naomi Hartzler Steiner, sister of Professor B. F. Hartzler, and daughter-in-law of Bishop A. J. Steiner, passed away November 24, 1932 at her home near North Lima, Ohio.

Rufus E. Culp, brother of Vernon S. Culp, '13, died at his home in Elkhart, Indiana, November 16, 1932.

Mrs. Nancy Kulp, widow of Lewis Kulp, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Moyer, in Elkhart, December 22, 1932, at the age of 93 years. Mrs. Kulp was well known in the vicinity of Elkhart, and it was through means donated by her husband that Kulp Hall was erected. Her husband was the founder of the Prairie Street Cemetery, near Elkhart.

Bishop A. I. Yoder, pastor of the South Union Mennonite Church, West Liberty, Ohio, died at his home near West Liberty, on November 27, 1932, at the age of 66 years. Bishop Yoder was very prominent in the church, and served on the Executive Committee of the Board of Education for a number of years. A number of his daughters are alumni and ex-students of Goshen College: Ruth, ex-'25; Mary, ex-'30; Elsie, ex-'30; Esther, '32; and Estella, ex-'32.

Ten years ago, December 27, 1922, the Goshen News-Times carried the following item: "Paul Kauffman, 16, son of Daniel Kauffman, president of Goshen College, was drowned when he fell through the ice while skating at the southwest end of the dam."

Her many friends were grieved to hear of the death of Mildred Welty, '28, at her home on South Eighth Street, Goshen, January 8, after an illness of several weeks, due to heart trouble. Miss Welty had made for herself a great many friends and acquaintances in this community and among the student body during her residence here. The funeral was held at the Yellow Creek Mennonite Church, President Sanford Calvin Yoder officiating.

THANK YOU

The following contributed to the Current xpense Fund in response to the appeal sent ut by the officers of the Alumni Association. ontributions ranged from one to one hunred dollars. Faculty members especially are rateful for the unselfish interest represented y these generous gifts.

Orie O. Miller, L. E. Blauch, C. F. Brunk, uth E. Rasmussen, Anna Hoover, Irvin G. auman, Jay H. Eberly, Mary C. Musselan, Earl E. Miller, Dr. S. T. Miller, J. orrest Kanagy, C. B. Shoemaker, D. L. Iiller, Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Musselman, Paul Iorsch, Dr. A. C. Yoder, J. E. Brunk, Elma . Uhletzech, Hazel E. Stauffer, Dr. S. E. oder, C. L. Shank, Emma Smucker Rohrer, atie M. Smucker, Amanda Frey, Leahbelle mucker, Leah C. Risser, Elizabeth Hauck nyder, Harold Buzzard, H. A. Mumaw, delia Hostetler, M. C. Landis, John Hershrger, Alice Trueschel, Eva Yeakley, F. S. bersole, Mrs. J. A. Ressler, Frank Yoder, V. D. Hershberger, Mrs. Martin Moore, . C. Fretz, M. O. Krabill, Glen Hershber-er, Ira D. Yoder, J. L. Brenneman, Bessie . Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunk, A. ay Grassmyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smuckr.

PERSONALS

Lucille King, ex-'30, Orrville, Ohio, who ad been bed-fast for eleven weeks last fall, uffering from endocarditis, is now improvng.

An interesting reunion of the descendants f Elias Ebersole occurred at the home of Ir. and Mrs. Frank S. Ebersole, '01 (Lona Berkey, '01), on Christmas Day, 1932. hose present were Reuben R. Ebersole, '05, hicago, Illinois, and Miss Ella Yoder, Benon Harbor, Michigan, formerly of Leo, ndiana; Mr. and Mrs. Boyd D. Smucker Mary Ebersole) and their four sons; Mr. nd Mrs. William C. Ebersole, ex-'18, and vo children, South Bend, Indiana; Mr. and Irs. Ben B. Ebersole, and three children, lkhart, Indiana; and Mr. and Mrs. Amos app. Mr. Lapp is a son of the eldest daughr of Elias Ebersole.

In the public programs of Homecoming Veek reference was made a number of mes to those of our number who were unble to be with us on account of illness, especially Ruth and Lenna Heatwole, Pauline Herr, Miss Witmer and Howard Musselman.

N. A. Lind, ex-'03, Albany, Oregon, has bishop oversight of the congregation at Nampa, Idaho.

An article by Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, on "Attendance at Mennonite Schools and Colleges in 1930-31," was published in the October, 1932 issue of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review*.

Ora M. Keiser, '31, is doing part-time graduate work at the University of Iowa.

Eugene Harbaugh, ex-'32, is spending the winter in Florida managing the orange groves and other agricultural projects on the farms owned by D. S. Yoder, of West Liberty, Ohio.

Loren King, '31, is cooperating with his brother in the managing of a feed mill at West Liberty, Ohio.

Raymond Litwiller, '31, was given graduate standing at once upon his entrance to the department of biology, University of Chicago. He was a student there during the summer of 1932.

William Jennings, Jr., '31, is principal of an elementary school near Concord, Tenn.

A. J. Eby, '15, C. P. A., 37 Sanhican Drive, N. J., who has been teaching part time at Beckley College, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, is doing graduate work at Rutgers University in connection with his work as certified public accountant.

Eli Stolzfus, '12, 5679 Beacon Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, is teaching automobile mechanics in the Washington Trade School, Pittsburgh.

At the reorganization of the Sunday School at the Roanoke congregation, Eureka, Illinois, Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, and Walter Zook were elected superintendents, and Mabelle Smith, ex-'31, a chorister.

Minnie Kanagy, '22, spoke on "Why Choose the Life of a Missionary?" at the 85th Pacific Coast mission meeting held in October at the Hopewell church near Hubbard, Oregon.

James Steiner, '32, was elected superintendent of the adult department at North Lima, Paul Swope, '31, superintendent of the adult department at Midway, and Mrs. Paul Yoder (Elva Lehman, academy ex-'23) of the primary department at Midway, at the reorganization of the Sunday Schools of

North Lima and Midway congregations.

Among those appearing on the program at the 97th Quarterly meeting held at the Peoria Mission October 9, 1932 were Lester Litwiller, '30, Moderator, Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, I. W. Royer, '00, and Esther Smucker, '25.

Bishop O. N. Johns, Academy, ex-'18, and Lina Z. Ressler, '01, were instructors at the Johnstown Bible School this winter.

Laura Troyer, ex-'33, was elected secretary of the Sunday School in the re-organization at the Central Mennonite Congregation, Elida, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. King, (Nellie Zook, '27) of Tugegarao, Cogayan, P. I., expect to leave there after the close of school, April 1, 1933, and to come to the United States via China, India, and various interesting points in Europe. They plan to reach home sometime near the close of 1933.

C. Warren Long, '29, was re-elected a member of the Illinois Sunday School Executive Committee at the Illinois Mennonite Church Conference held at the East Bend Church near Fisher, Illinois, August 23 and 24, 1932. At the same conference, Ora Eigsti, '31, was elected one of the two additional members of the Young People's Session of the Sunday School Conference.

Adelia Hostetler, '30, was elected librarian of the Sunday School at Nampa, Idaho.

Fyrne Miller, '30, was elected assistant primary Sunday school superintendent at the Walnut Creek congregation, Sugar Creek, Ohio. Nettie Glick, ex-'33, was elected librarian at the same place.

Esther Brunk, '27, was one of the three instructors in the School of Religious Education held in Goshen this winter. Miss Brunk is teacher of Religious Education in the Millersburg schools.

William H. Haarer, '13, is assistant superintendent of the Sunday school at the Shore congregation, Shipshewana, Indiana.

John L. Yoder, '11, agriculturist of West Liberty, Ohio, owns a herd of 25 registered Holstein cows which led the Clark-Champaign-Logan-Union County Cow Testing Association in the production of butterfat during the month of December.

Floyd S. Martin, '29, has been appointed to a position on the house staff of the Metropolitan hospital in New York City and has been granted a two-year general rotating interneship, beginning July 1, 1933.

Benjamin Gerig, Ph. D. (A. B. '17) participated on December 17, 1932, in the broadcast from Geneva, Switzerland of the appeal of the League of Nations for a peaceful settlement of the war between Bolivia and Paraguay, according to a New York Times Dispatch of that date. The original plan for the broadcast was Mr. Gerig's suggestion, in collaboration with an American friend, Mr. Sweetser.

I. E. Burkhart, '25, preached the dedicatory sermon at Greensburg, Kansas, where an entire congregation united with the Mennonite church last year under the pastorate of E. M. Yost.

Allen Y. King, '22, 11718 Cromwell Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, teacher of history at the John Adams High School in Cleveland is finishing his residence work for the Master's Degree at Western Reserve University.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stalter, '27, Goshen, Indiana, recently made a ten-day trip to Washington, D. C., New York, and other eastern points where Mr. Stalter transacted business.

Harry J. Kauffman, ex-'13, Route 1, West Liberty, Ohio, is tenant-manager of the James L. Funk farm south of West Liberty.

Rhea Yoder, '24, formerly of the Portland Mission, Portland, Oregon, left there to be at home with her parents at Goshen, Indiana, this winter.

J. W. Shank '10, missionary on furlough from South America, is in attendance at Bethany Biblical Seminary, Chicago, Illinois. While in the city he is actively engaged in working among Spanish-speaking Mexicans in connection with the Chicago Mennonite Mission. Mrs. Shank, with their son, Paul, lives in Goshen, where their son Robert and daughter Elsie are registered in the College. Mr. and Mrs. Shank expect to erturn to South America in September, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Litwiller, '25, missionaries to South America, have left the Argentine on furlough and expect to arrive in the United States in March, 1933.

Gaius Baumgardner, ex-'23, is teaching special classes in voice and directorship at the Westminster Choir School, Princeton University. Mr. and Mrs. Baumgardner (Ruth Allgyer) have been singing with the

estminster Choir for about ten years.

Paul E. Steiner, M. D., ex-'24, is doing aduate work in the department of path- ogy at the University of Chicago.

I. W. Royer, '00, was a speaker at a nday School Workers meeting at Breslau, ntario, November 6, 1932. He was also a gular instructor in our Short Bible Term.

Jesse B. Martin, ex-'26, Waterloo, Ontario, as secretary of the Ontario Mennonite Bible hool in January at Kitchener, Ontario.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '10, and Mrs. Hartz-r, (Mamie Yoder, ex-'10), Bluffton, Ohio ve been presenting pictures of Palestine d the Passion Play. Dr. Hartzler has also en delivering Bible lectures.

J. S. Lehman, 825 Columbia Avenue, Lan-ster, Pennsylvania, formerly business man-er of the Mennonite Publishing Company Elkhart, Indiana, and a minister in the khart congregation, underwent a serious eration in December. He is now in his th year, and stood the operation very ell for one of his age. Just two weeks prior the operation he had taken his last com-union at East Chestnut Street Mennonite urch.

Bishop O. N. Johns, Academy ex-'18, con-ucted a series of meetings at the Canton ission, Canton, Ohio, in December.

Mrs. Lloyd W. Slagle (Ferne Bontrager, cademy '18) was installed as district presi-nt of the American Legion Auxiliary at dianapolis, October 12, 1932.

Minnie Kanagy, '22, and Ada Hartzler, issionaries to India, arrived at Bombay, ov. 5, 1932, to begin a new term of service.

Delmar Hershberger, '27, presented an vited paper on "The Supersonic Intra-rometer for Absorption Measurements" at meeting of scientists sponsored by the hysics Department of the University of lichigan, the last week in November.

A. L. Smith, '23, received the Master of cience degree in biology at Chicago Uni-ersity in December, 1932. He is at present teacher in Central High School in Soutl end, Indiana, and is a frequent visitor at e College over week-ends.

Raber Kennel, ex-'02, is Senior Statistical lerk of the Federal Penitentiary Depart-ent, 227 Senate office building, Washington, . C. He lives with Mr. and Mrs. George ompton at 208 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E.

Dean W. H. Smith, '28, and Edwin Yoder, ex-'08, appeared on the program at the Sunday School meeting of Middlebury, Clinton Brick, Clinton Frame, and Goshen Congregations, held at Goshen College, November 20, 1932.

S. C. Plank, Arlene Yoder, '31, I. W. Royer, '00, Eli D. Yoder, ex-'06, appeared on the program of the Quarterly Mission Meeting held at the South Union Church, West Liberty, Ohio, November 23 and 24, 1932.

Goshen Alumni and ex-students have become quite prominent in New Paris, Indiana. Carl Kaser, '16, is president of the Chamber of Commerce, cashier in the New Paris State Bank, and treasurer of the New Paris Mutual Telephone Union. Ezra Hoover, '32, is principal of the New Paris High School, and Arthur Saylor, '11, is secretary-treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce and postmaster.

The Goshen Choral Society, directed by Professor B. F. Hartzler, '29, presented "Elijah" before an audience of 500 people at the First Brethren Church, December 13, 1932. L. B. Greenwalt, '11, and Edgar Frey, '33, sang solo parts.

Dr. Fred Brenneman, ex-'29, is taking his interneship at St. Mary's Mercy Hospital in Gary, Indiana.

Sharon D. Brunk, is employed at the ranch of A. C. Gingerich, the "Turkey King," near Iowa City, Iowa. This ranch furnished the turkeys for the Homecoming banquet in 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yoder, '22, (Ethel Good, ex-'23) visited on the campus Saturday, November 26, 1932.

Dr. J. M. Kauffman, ex-'27, was elected President of the St. Joseph Valley Osteopathic Association, at a meeting held in South Bend, December 15, 1932.

Mayor Clell E. Firestone, '19, and Mrs. Firestone spent ten days in Indianapolis in January, in the interests of Goshen's fine new municipal light and power plant.

E. S. Smoker, '13, manager of the Elkhart County Farm Bureau Cooperative Association, attended a meeting of county Farm Bureau Managers at Fort Wayne, November 11, 1932.

Alice G. Trueschel, '16, teacher of Religious Education in Goshen schools, has been doing very valuable work in her field. Resolutions supporting her work were passed by the Goshen Ministerial association in a

meeting, October 15, 1932. An outline of Miss Treuschel's work showed that she is stressing the advisability of school children remaining after Sunday School classes to attend the regular church services.

Charles A. Croop, former Elkhart County Auditor, announced in January the opening of a new firm composed of him and his son, Clark, ex-'32, and to be known as C. A. and C. D. Croop.

Dr. S. T. Miller '05, was elected treasurer of the Elkhart County Medical Society, Friday, December 2, 1932.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, of Dhamtari, C. P., India, writes in the *Mission News Bulletin,* October 18, 1932, that plans for touring and work in the villages for the cool season are under way, and that the seriousness with which the Indian brethren share in the work is very encouraging.

The "Mission Supplement" of the *Gospel Herald,* October 6, 1932, contains the tenth annual report of the South American Mennonite Mission established April, 1919, at Pehuajo, Argentina. The sixteen pages of the "Supplement" contain, among others, interesting articles by the following alumni: T. K. Hershey, ex-'10; J. W. Shank, '10; Nelson Litwiller, '25; E. V. Snyder, '27; and L. S. Weber, '27. There is also a discussion of the question, "Just what is Mission work", by G. J. Lapp, '13.

Dr. W. B. Christophel, '02, of Mishawaka, Indiana, was named councilor of the Thirteenth District Medical Society, Nov. 6, 1932.

Mrs. Elwood Landis (Ruth Lehman, ex-'12) was elected treasurer, and Mrs. A. P. Shetler (Sadie Yoder ex-'12), president of the Goshen Farm Home Economics Club at a meeting in December.

Frederick A. Conrad, '12, associate professor of sociology, was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by Stanford University, Palo Alto, California, at the end of the summer session, 1932. His thesis was entitled "Agrarian Discontent, a study in class conflict."

Dora Schantz, '27, wrote an interesting letter on "Language Study" in the India Mission News Letter for October, 1932.

Glenn Kropf, '22, was granted the M. A. degree in education at the University of Chicago in August, 1932.

A. Fay Grassmeyer, '21, Greenwood, Delaware, requests a correction regarding the item concerning the Conservative Amish parochial school at that place. He states that the Amish children were not expelled. One of the boys spoke unadvisedly regarding the flag salute. His statement aroused considerable feeling and led to the exertion of pressure to enforce the rule requiring the salute. Then the Amish children withdrew from the public school.

The Goshen Daily News-Times carried the following in its "Twenty Five Years Ago" column, January 12: "Noble Kreider arrived home from Kansas City and St. Joseph, Missouri, where he played in concerts.

"President Byers of Goshen College returned from a business trip to Indianapolis."

"WHERE DO YOU LIVE?"

The following poem was sent in by Agnes H. Anderson, ex-'22, 430 S. Ashland Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois:

"How can you live in Goshen?"
Said a friend from far.
"This wretched country town
Where folks talk little things all year,
And plant their cabbage by the moon?"

Said I:

"I do not live in Goshen —
I eat here, sleep here, work here;
I *live* in Greece,
Where Plato taught, and Phidias carved,
And Epictetus wrote.
I *dwell* in Rome,
Where Michael Angelo wrought
in color, form and mass;
Where Cicero penned immortal lines,
And Dante sang undying songs.

"Think not my life is small
Because you see a puny place;
I have my books; I have my dreams;
A thousand souls have left for me
Enchantment that transcends
Both Time and Place.
An so I *live* in Paradise,
Not here."

Edgar Funk, Goshen, Indiana

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

JOHN UMBLE ---------- Editor

The editor is glad to acknowledge the valuable assistance of Lucille Kreider, '33, in writing and editing this issue of the NEWS LETTER. None of you school administrators happen to need a teacher of high school English and French who can direct various student activities and supervise the publication of the school column in your local paper, do you?

This is the time of year when alumni naturally expect the treasurer's announcement that their annual dues are payable and an announcement from the secretary's office regarding time, place and program of the annual reunion and business meeting. You will soon receive both.

Remember! It is a settled policy of the Association not to solicit funds from alumni while they are on the campus. Nothing is allowed to disturb the perfect spirit of fellowship. Come back for your class reunion this year, especially you Naughty Threes!

The last Elkhart Institute graduates are celebrating the thirtieth anniversary of their graduation this year. Who is the class secretary? Why not stir up a one hundred per cent attendance? By letter, if not in person?

Don't forget the annual banquet. The cost has been cut in two. The secretary, assisted by Florence Bender, '22, and C. P. Martin, '27, is arranging an interesting program. Toasts will be given by the ten-year classes: '03, '13, '23, and '33. Come in time for the class day program and the annual reunion of your literary society. Following are the principal dates for Commencement week.

June 4 ---------- Baccalaureate Sermon

June 5 ---------- Senior Class Day

June 6 -- Alumni Day, Literary Society Reunions, 10:00 a.m.; Musical program by the College Choruses, 2.00 p.m.; Annual Reunion and Banquet 6:00 p.m. D.S.T.

June 7 ---------- Commencement Day

Goshen City runs on daylight saving time — one hour faster than Central Standard Time.

At a called meeting of the Board of Directors of the Association held at Elkhart on the evening of April 22, the subject of financial support of the College came up for discussion. The directors passed a resolution recommending that the annual meeting in June adopt a definite plan for alumni support of the College educational program. They agreed that the Association should accept and sell as widely as possible the proposition that a liberal arts college needs, and has the right to solicit from its friends, funds for raising and maintaining its educational standards and efficiency. Unless we accept the alternative that all education should be controlled and supported by the state, the privately owned and operated liberal arts college still has a place in American educational life.

But, if the small liberal arts colleges are to continue to serve the young people of their constituency, they must have funds. There are not many sources from which such funds may be derived. Not from the state. Not from those who do not appreciate the value of the liberal arts college. Not entirely from student fees. It is a long accepted principle that if the students were required to pay the entire cost of their education, only a favored few could attend college.

Ordinarily the students' tuition pays about one-half or less of the cost of his instruction. In times of financial uncertainty, such as the present, even this source of income is, to a large extent, cut off. A large nearby university is carrying accounts for two-thirds of its students. Give the average student of today the alternative of paying his bills within a month or leaving school, and you will set more than half of American college students hitch-hiking home before the end of the semester. And not because the system of credit has pauperized the student, but because closed banks pay no deposits and because jobless factories have robbed him of vacation opportunities for paying his debts and earning money for the coming year's tuition.

Two possible sources of revenue for operating the liberal arts college remain: income from endowment, and, cash donations. With such schools as Northwestern University and

other privately-owned schools frankly admitting, richly endowed as they are, that they are in desperate need of cash donations to assist worthy students who must have help or leave college, it is no reflection on the smaller colleges to be obliged to make the same admission.

Hence the Directors of the Association feel that the time has come to state frankly, and to sell the idea widely, that, if Goshen College is to continue to serve her constituency well, ten to fifteen thousand dollars in cash donations must be provided by the friends of the college every year. This is not an emergency call. It must be a part of the regular program so long as the College continues to be a privately-owned institution. In plain words, fellow-alumnus, it is your duty and privilege as a friend of the College to set aside a small annual sum to be given to the College. Not this year only, nor next year, but for the entire span of your earning period or until your sons and daughters take up the burden.

But the need is more pressing now than in normal times. With thirteen thousand dollars in unpaid student accounts for the current year and with members of the faculty receiving less than one-third of their salary, a salary that is already computed on a missionary basis, well — why should it be necessary to speak of an urgent, present need? These conditions cannot continue. Don't think of this as a threat to close the College or as a faculty threat to leave a sinking ship. As many of the faculty as can afford to do so are prepared to remain.

But the time has arrived when it is no longer wise to speak of emergency measures. We alumni, first of all, and then the whole constituency need to face the fact that our entire program of higher education through the liberal arts college, even the very life of our own College, is threatened unless we accept the duty of contributing regularly to the support of the College. Last year and this year some of you did nobly. One alumnus has already given two hundred and fifty dollars as an outright cash donation this year for current expenses with no strings attached. Others have given smaller, much-appreciated gifts. But right now we need one thousand alumni who will give five to ten dollars before the end of the current fiscal year, September 1, and who will then go on duplicating that gift every year for the next twenty-five years or "until their successors are elected and qualified."

THE "SUPERIOR" MAPLE LEAF of 1933

All year long we knew it was coming! The clicking of inquisitive cameras, however formally or informally received, began early. Page after page of small, well-worn notebooks grew full with abbreviated jottings, on events scheduled and unscheduled. Whether your particular encounter was with a college life editor clutching calendar in hand, a lone artist sketching along the river's edge, a perplexed Junior in search of a highly complimentary adjective to bestow on an unsuspecting classmate, or a mere Freshman gingerly carrying a "Brownie", all these and many other diverse activities were to be shaped, by the spring of the year, into no less a masterpiece than the *Maple Leaf* of 1933. So much sounds little different from the making of any other *Maple Leaf,* and it is true that the book which is this year to be the expression of Goshen College contains virtually the same interesting departments it always has, brightened and changed by a novel touch here and there. The "Calendar" is a stranger with whom you will have to become acquainted anew. The former "view section" has become a series of beautiful pen sketches that will keep alive for you, indefinitely, the charm of the most picturesque campus vistas. It is the theme of the book, "The two hundred fiftieth anniversary of the coming of the Mennonites to America," that gives it a message, and imparts the atmosphere that makes the work "belong" to Goshen College. In the art work are beautifully expressed the strength, the persevering courage, the warm love and spiritual ardor which are Mennonite heritage. The pen drawings alone, perhaps the most distinguishing feature of the book, would make it a priceless possession. If you belong with the scattered hundreds whose thoughts persist in harking back to Goshen, you will want to own the 1933 *Maple Leaf.*

CLASS OF 1933

The faculty of Goshen College is recommending thirty-eight young people to the Mennonite Board of Education to receive the bachelor's degree in June or at the close of the Summer Session in August. This will be the largest graduating class in the history of the institution, the largest number in any preceding year being thirty-four in 1930. Following is a list of the graduates of the class of 1933 with the degree, home address and major and minor subject of each student:

Bachelor Of Science In Education, June 7, 1933

Esther Irene Eschliman, R. R. 1, Dalton, Ohio, Home Economics, English.

John Boyd Hartzler, Belleville, Pa., Biological Science, French.

Ross L. Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio, History, English.

Merle Devoe Hartzler, 1422 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Physical Science, Mathematics.

Edwin Benjamin Herner, 1410 S. Eighth

Street, Goshen, History, English.

Anna Mary Hertzler, Hesston, Kansas, Home Economics, Art.

Lucille Catherine Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio, English, French.

Helen Ruth Moser, R. D. 2, Orrville, Ohio, Home Economics, Biological Science.

Herbert Blough Rieth, 624 South Fifth Street, Goshen, History, English.

Hazel Elizabeth Stauffer, 406 North George Street, Millersville, Pa., Ancient Language, English.

Bachelor of Science In Education
August 9, 1933

Ralph Yoder Blosser, 1013 South Eleventh Street, Goshen, Biological Science, English.

Verna L. Enns, LaJunta, Colorado, Economics and Commerce, Bible.

Edgar Elias Frey, Archbold, Ohio, Economics and Commerce, English.

Lena Elizabeth Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio, Home Economics, English.

Walter E. Yoder, 1101 South Eighth St., Goshen, Music, Education.

Bachelor of Science in Home Economics, June 7, 1933

Mary Catherine Musselman, Ortanna, Pa., Home Economics, English.

Bachelor of Arts, June 7, 1933

Henry Clair Amstutz, Dalton, Ohio, Biological Science, Physical Science.

Ezra Beachy, Sherwood, Ohio, Bible, English.

Otto Binkle, Krozingen, Germany, Modern Language, English.

Frederick S. Brenneman, Tofield, Alberta Canada, Physical Science, Biological Science.

Earle Rodney Brilhart, Scottdale, Pa., Economics and Commerce, Bible.

Georgia Virginia Brown, R. D. 6, Goshen, English, Modern Language.

John Ezra Coffman, Vineland, Ontario, Canada, History, French.

Linus John Eigsti, Tiskilwa, Illinois, English, Biological Science.

Sarah Esther Esch, 913 So. Third Street, Goshen, Biological Science, Physical Science.

Selena Neff Gamber, R. D. 2, Manheim, Pa., Biological Science, Modern Language.

Carl Milton Hostetler, Barrs Mills, Ohio, Biological Science, Physical Science.

Menno Ebersole Miller, R. D. 2, Middletown, Pa., Physical Science, Biological Science.

Orie Allen Miller, Wayland, Iowa, Biological Science, Physical Science.

Omar Jason Rhodes, Kalona, Iowa, History, English.

Verna Lurene Schertz, Roanoke, Illinois, Home Economics, English.

Florence Edna Shirk, R. D. 1, Mishawaka, Indiana, Home Economics, Biological Science.

Joseph Weaver Swope, Columbiana, Ohio, Economics and Commerce, Biological Science.

Mrs. Millie Page Brenneman, Hesston, Kansas, English, Bible.

Bachelor of Arts, August 9, 1933

Ralph Beechy, Berlin, Ohio, History, English.

Arthur W. Roth, Wayland, Iowa, History English.

Samuel Owen Thomas, R. D. 8, Goshen, Biological Science, Physical Science.

Ellrose Durr Zook, Allensville, Pa., English, Bible.

Herbert Rieth received the degree of bachelor of arts from Ohio State University at Columbus, Ohio, last June. Since that course did not prepare him for high school teaching in Indiana, he is spending the current year in the local institution to qualify for the Indiana high school teacher's license. He will now be prepared to teach History and English in any first-class high school in Indiana.

Ralph Blosser, A. B., graduate of Bluffton college, Bluffton, Ohio, is also completing his work for the Indiana high school teacher's license. Hazel Stauffer, who received the degree of bachelor of arts in the class of 1930 is doing additional work in preparation for a broader field of teaching and will receive the degree of bachelor of science in education in June, 1933. Dr. Fred Brenneman and Mrs. Brenneman took the first years of their college course at Hesston college, Hesston, Kansas, and completed the course at Goshen. Mrs. Brenneman who already has the degree of bachelor of science in education from Kansas State Teachers College is in residence now. Dr. and Mrs. Brenneman are volunteers for the foreign mission field and will probably sail for India in the fall of 1933. Dr. Brenneman has the degrees, bachelor of science and doctor of medicine, from Kansas State University.

Two of the members of this year's class are bachelor of arts graduates of Goshen college who are continuing their work in further preparation for teaching. They will receive the degree of bachelor of science in education in June. Edwin Herner of the class of 1929 engaged in business after graduation and spent a year in graduate study in History at the University of Iowa. He will have excellent preparation for teaching History, Social Science and English after graduation. Merle Hartzler is spending the

year in broadening his teaching field. When he graduates in June he will have unusual preparation for the teaching of high school sciences and mathematics. He will be licensed to teach chemistry, physics, botany, zoology, geography, general science, geometry, trigonometry and algebra.

Nineteen students have been recommended for the elementary teacher training diploma and three for the academy diploma. These with the thirty-eight candidates recommended for the degrees of bachelor of science in education and bachelor of arts raises the total number of graduates to sixty for the class of 1933.

The faculty is recommending thirteen students to receive the diploma for the elementary teacher training course on June 7, 1933, on the completion of requirements. Following are the names and addresses of the graduates with the name of the school where each is doing practice teaching in conformity with the exacting requirements of the course:

Mary Evelyn Brenneman, Elida, Ohio, Rensberger; Dorothy Detweiler, West Liberty, Ohio, New Paris; Grace Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio, Waterford; Ellen S. Hertzler, Hesston, Kansas, Parkside; Wilma Lehman, North Lima, Ohio, Pike Street; Ferne Irene Smith, Eureka, Illinois, Parkside; Leona Belle Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio, Chandler; Edward Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio, New Paris; Mildred Risdon, Goshen, Indiana, Chandler; Vera Lucille Snyder, Wadsworth, Ohio, Chandler; Edgar Elias Frey, Archbold, Ohio, Senior High; Lena Elizabeth Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio, Junior High; Ross L. Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio, Junior High.

Two students will be granted the diploma from the elementary teacher training course on August 9, 1933, on the completion of requirements:

Mary Alice Jones, La Junta, Colorado, Waterford; Arthur Jerel Risser, Hershey, Pennsylvania, Waterford.

The following who are not now resident students of Goshen College but who have expressed their intention of enrolling for the summer session to complete work begun in former years, will be granted the diploma for the elementary teacher training course, August 9, 1933, on the completion of requirements:

Esther Eberly, Dalton, Ohio; Orrin Beachy, Berlin, Ohio; Forrest King, Orrville, Ohio; and Nettie Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio.

Goshen College is fully accredited for elementary teacher training in Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, and several other surrounding states. Graduation from this course qualifies for the elementary teaching license without examination and leads eventually to a professional life-license.

The faculty is also recommending that the diploma from the Goshen College Academy be granted to Adeline Aeschliman, La Junta, Colorado, on June 7, 1933, and to Margaret Irene Bates, Goshen, and Arline Benner, Iron Springs, Pa. on August 9, 1933 on completion of requirements.

CAMPUS NOTES

Officers for the Y. P. C. A. Cabinet for the coming year were elected at separate meetings of the association, March 9. The Y. M. C. A. officers will be: president, John C. Wenger, '34; secretary, Harold Burkholder, '35; treasurer, Rollin Krabill, '36. The Y. W. C. A. officers will be: president, Elsie Shank, '34; secretary, Elva Gunden, '34; treasurer, Mary Gingrich, '35. These officers with their appointed cabinets will be installed April 6.

Appointments have been made for the principal offices of the college publications for the coming year of 1933-34. Leland Brenneman will act as editor of the *College Record* and LaVerne Yoder as associate editor. Samuel Swartz has been appointed editor of the *Maple Leaf*, with Carolyn Lehman as associate editor.

Edwin Schmucker, Irene Eschliman, Mildred Risdon, Helen Moser, Levi Hartzler, and Samuel Swartz gave a program at the Chicago Home Mission, Sunday, March 12, under the auspices of the Y. P. C. A. Extension Committee.

At a meeting of the Foreign Volunteer band Sunday morning, April 9, the following officers were elected for the year 1933-34; president, Carolyn Lehman, '34; secretary, Mary Gingrich, '35; third member of the executive committee, Rollin Krabill, '36.

President S. C. Yoder has engaged President McLeod M. Pearce of Geneva College, Beaver Falls, Pennslvania, as commencement speaker in June.

A friend of the college at Kalona, Iowa, has given an annuity of $3,000 to Goshen College. After his death this sum is to become a part of the permanent endowment of the institution and the income is to be used for the support of the Bible department.

At a meeting of the Christian Worker's Band, Sunday morning, April 2, the following officers were elected for the coming school year: president, Levi Hartzler, '36; secretary, Helen Oesch, '34; two members of executive committee, Mildred Risdon, '34, Marvin Hostetler, '35.

Irene Eschliman, '33, Dorothy Detwiler '35, Ross Gerber, '33, Menno Miller, '33 Lester Hershey, '36, and Ezra Beachy, '33 gave a program, under the auspices of the Y. P. C. A., at the Fort Wayne Mission

Sunday, April 2.

President Yoder spent the week-end of March 1 in Iowa City. On Sunday he preached at the East Union church. During the Easter vacation he preached at Manitou, Colorado, where he stopped to arrange for a girl to take over the work in the Business Office next year. He also preached at La-Junta, where he met with the Hospital Board, and at Holbrook. At Kansas City he met with the Children's Welfare Board. At Pryor, Oklahoma he looked after the interests of the Mission Board, and filled an appointment at the Pryor church. Along the way he investigated various college interests, met a number of students, and found prospects quite promising for a number of students from the west.

Dean Bender spent the Easter holidays in Ontario in the interests of the college, soliciting students and funds.

Professor Silas Hertzler, Registrar of the College attended the twenty-first annual meeting of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars held at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago, April 18-20. He also attended the annual meeting of the North Central Association held at the same place, April 20-22. Other alumni in attendance at the North Central Association were Willis E. Tower, assistant superintendent of schools, in charge of seven high schools, Chicago, formerly pirncipal of the Elkhart Institute; and Glen Kropf, instructor in one of the high schools of South Bend, Indiana; also L. E. Blauch, executive secretary of the committee on survey of the Dental Curriculum of the American Association of Dental Schools, Chicago.

WEDDING BELLS

Esther Schott, '17. and Louis Lamse were united in marriage January 27 at the home of the bride's parents in Hammond, Indiana, the bride's father officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Lamse are both working at Marcy Center. a Jewish Mission Settlement House, 1539 South Springfield, Chicago.

Luella M. Schertz of Metamora, Illinois, and Tilman R. Smith, '28, of Roanoke, Illinois, were united in marriage December 24, 1932 at the home of the bride's parents, H. R. Schertz officiating.

Veryl Hostettler, and Raymond Yoder, '31, both of Wakarusa, Indiana, were married Sunday, February 26, at the Methodist church at Wabash, Indiana, Rev. A. G. Simmons officiating.

Doris Burnstein, ex-'33 and George J. Niemeyer of Chicago were married at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burnstein, in Goshen, Sunday, March 26.

Marion Hamm, ex-'35, and Chris Emmert, both of Goshen, were united in marriage by Rev. Dillon on April 16 at the Presbyterian church in Goshen. They will reside at 118 South Seventh Street.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Melva Jean, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schloneger (Essie Mellinger, ex-'32) was born April 1.

Lois Catherine, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mann (Helen Ebersole, ex-'32) was born April 3.

NECROLOGY

Melinda Ebersole, of Sterling, Illinois, a pioneer Mennonite mission worker connected with the early days of the Home Mission in Chicago and remembered by many of the older alumni, passed away March 7.

Mrs. J. M. Smucker of Orrville, Ohio, mother of Mrs. Harold Good (Wilma Smucker, '21) died as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident when she and Mr. Smucker, with their son Welker, were motoring to St. Petersburg, Florida. Mr. Smucker was also injured.

Mary Yoder, '05, died at the home of her brother, M. S. Yoder, at Barberton, Ohio, February 23. Miss Yoder held a position in the library at Wooster College for nearly ten years, after her graduation from the Western Reserve School of Library Science in 1914. She is the daughter of Bishop C. Z. Yoder, and aunt of Howard, Mary, Ruth V., and Martha Yoder of Smithville, Ohio.

Joseph Klopfenstein, grandfather of Mrs. Glen Miller, (Pearl Klopfenstein) instructor in Oral Expression at the College, died February 26, at Garden City, Missouri, at the age of eighty-three years.

Mrs. David J. Schwary, mother of Grace Schwary, '31, died at her home in Canton, Ohio, February 25, at the age of fifty-four years.

Abraham J. Shenk, son of Bishop J. M. Shenk and father of Lydia Shenk, ex-'20, teacher of French at Goshen College, and Lillie Shenk, M. D. of Laurelton, Pennsylvania, passed away at his home near Harrisonburg, Virginia, March 6, at the age of sixty-one years.

Abner S. Neuhauser, son of Christian B ther of Mrs. I. W. Royer, and an uncle moderator of the 97th Quarterly meeting held of Mary Royer, '30, and Katherine, ex-'33, died at his home in Slidell, Louisiana, March 7, 1933. The funeral was held at Concord, Tennessee, where he had lived for a number of years, and where he had many friends.

Mrs. Amos W. Geigley (Ella Musselman, '05,) Iron Springs, Pennsylvania, died of blood poisoning on Friday, April 28, and was buried at Groffsdale, Lancaster county, on Monday, May 1.

PERSONALS

Lenna Heatwole, ex-'31, who has been confined to the La Junta (Colorado) Sanatarium for the past three years, recently underwent a serious operation at Glockner Sanatarium, Colorado Springs, Colorado. Since that time her condition is considerably improved.

Agnes Weaver, '32, who has been managing a sandwich shop in the court-house at Akron, Ohio, since last summer, visited on the campus, March 22 and 23.

Ralph Beechy, '32, Atlee Beechy, ex-'35, and Orrin Beechy, ex-'34, all of whom are teaching in Ohio, visited on the campus March 17, 18, 19.

Leonard Kreider, '31, graduate student in Chemistry at Ohio State University, visited on the campus, March 23 and 24.

Jonathan G. Yoder, '28, has been appointed to an interneship at the Fort Wayne hospital where he will receive fifty dollars per month and expenses for one year. Dr. Yoder will graduate from Indiana Medical School at Indianapolis in June.

Cecil K. Bender, '29, has been appointed to an interneship at the Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Ohio. Dr. Bender recently completed his course at Northwestern Medical school and will assume his new duties on April 1. His appointment is for one year at twenty-five dollars a month and expenses.

The following appeared in the *Goshen Daily Democrat,* March 23: "Mr. and Mrs. Bill Abshire, students at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, who have been spending several days with his parents, will return to Tuscaloosa the latter part of the week."

Rachel Weaver, '31, busy high school teacher of Latin at Roann, Indiana, finds time to write the "Christian Endeavor Notes for Seniors" in "The Christian Endeavor Department" of the March number of *The Christian Evangel.* And the notes are so helpful, so well-written that any college instructor might feel glad to have had any part in Miss Weaver's education.

Bishop N. A. Lind, ex-'03, was elected assistant moderator at the Twelfth Annual Mennonite conference of the Pacific Coast District, held near Albany, Oregon, May 31 to June 3. 1932, and reported in the *Gospel Herald,* March 9, 1933. He is also chairman of the colonization committee and a member of the district school board.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Salzmann, '32, (Vinora Weaver, '18) Topeka, Indiana, visited Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Weaver, '14, (Fannie Stoltzfus, ex-'12) Danvers, Illinois, on March 2.

P. A. Hauder, '08, was elected vice president of the Goshen District Council of Religious Education, at its annual convention held March 14. Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '10, gave the address of the evening; his subject was "The Place of Religious Education in the Present Crisis."

G. E. Compton, and C. A. Moffat recently purchased at public sale the entire machinery, equipment and stock of Barger Brothers Box factory, Elkhart, Indiana. Mr. Compton and Mr. Moffat have formed a corporation under the name of Barger Box, Inc., and manufacture all types of set up paper boxes.

Bishop O. N. Johns, ex-'18, was elected moderator of the Eastern Ohio Annual Minister's meeting, held at the Sonnenberg Church, Wayne County, Ohio, February 24 and 25. Bishop C. Z. Yoder. I. W. Royer, '00, Stanford Mumaw, ex-'31, and Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00, were among those who appeared on the program.

Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, was elected moderator of the 9th Quarterly meeting held at the Metamora (Illinois) Mennonite Church, February 19. Among those who spoke at the meeting were C. Warren Long, '29. and Tilman Smith, '28.

Luella Troyer, ex-'32, West Liberty, Ohio, visited her brother, Raymond, on the campus February 12.

Orrin Smucker, ex-'32, visited on the campus February 12.

Professor B. F. Hartzler, '29, has charge of three choirs: the Methodist Church choir of Goshen, the choir of the First Mennonite Church of Nappanee, Indiana, and one at Sturgis, Michigan. He has also organized a choral society in Goshen which recently rendered the "Elijah" before large audiences at Sturgis, Michigan and at the Methodist Church in Elkhart. L. B. Greenwalt, '11, and Edgar Frey, '33, sang solo parts.

J. D. Graber, '25, missionary on furlough from India who is attending Princeton University, visits neighboring Mennonite churches as opportunity affords. On Sunday, March 12, he preached to the Plain and Souderton congregations in Montgomery County, Pennthat T. K. Hershey, ex-'08, is again in Transylvania.

A news letter from South America states que Lauquen, after two weeks in the British Hospital in Buenos Aires for medical examination found necessary because of an attack of laryngitis. The same letter mentions a successful series of evangelistic meetings conducted by N.J.Litwiller '25,Tres Lomas. The Litwillers' furlough is due, and they plan to sail from Buenos Aires April 4.

The *Mission News Bulletin* recently contained the following excerpts from letters from E. E. Miller, '17: "The strain of de-

creased budgets hits all of us. It is very difficult for the Indian people to understand these things. We rejoice in the service and only hope it will be possible for us all to carry on. His grace is sufficient for every need. . . . . We hope the Board will have sufficient funds to send Dr. Brenneman and we shall pray that you and they may be directed by the Holy Spirit in this important decision."

According to a note in the *Mission News Bulletin* for March 22, from Frank B. Raber, '29, Detroit, Michigan, Mrs. Raber, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, February 28, is recovering quite satisfactorily. Mr. and Mrs. Raber are in charge of the Detroit Mission.

Mrs. R. R. Smucker, (Alma Albrecht, '11), writes in a "News Letter from India" to the *Gospel Herald,* February 16, that she and Mr. Smucker, '28, are in camp six miles from their home, for the sake of her health and in order that Mr. Smucker may assist in the work at Balodgahan. The letter states also that Mr. and Mrs. S. Jay Hostetler, '23, have moved to Mohadi to take over the work of Mr. and Mrs. Lloy Kniss so that they can prepare for their furlough, which is due. Miss Dora Shantz, '27, has begun her work at Mohadi in charge of the medical work there. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vogt, '27, intend to move from Ghatula to Balodgahan in the near future.

The following missionary appointments in India have been made for 1933:

Sunderganj — J. N. Kaufman, '17, and Elsie Drange Kaufman, '08; Ernest E. Miller '17, and Ruth Blosser Miller, '17.

Shantipur — G. J. Lapp, '13, and Fannie Hershey Lapp.

Balodgahan — M. C. Vogt, '27, and Esther Vogt; Mary Wenger, ex-'29; Mary Good, '19.

Sankra — R. R. Smucker, '28, and Alma Albrecht Smucker, Ada Hartzler.

Dondi — A. C. Brunk, '12, and Eva Harder Brunk.

Mahodi — S. J. Hostetler, '23, and Ida Miller Hostetler, ex-'26.

Ghatula — P. A. and Florence Cooprider Friesen, '10, Minnie Kanagy, '22.

Robert Bender, '32, has been admitted without condition, to Harvard Medical School where he will enter in the fall of 1933. He will be a member of a class of 125 freshmen chosen out of from eight to ten hundred applicants.

In one of those little letters to the *Words of Cheer,* a ten-year-old Greenwood, Delaware girl writes: "My day school teacher is Matilda Irene Zook. I like her for a teacher." This is our Matilda Irene Zook of the class of 1929.

A pupil of Ralph Beechy, '32, who is a teacher of History and English in Holmes County, Ohio, won the all-county original short story contest. and another pupil won the declamation contest.

Mrs. John Plank (Olive Nafziger, '12) and Mrs. M. C. Landis (Orpha Hostetler, ex-'12), sing in the Euridyce Chorus of Goshen, directed by Professor D. W. Boyer, which has given a number of concerts at churches in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Miller (Mary Roth, '29) have moved from Goshen to Shipshewana, Indiana.

Mrs. Glen Hershberger (Dula Roth, '29) of 709 South Seventh Avenue, Maywood, Illinois, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Roth, in Goshen, while Mr. Hershberger's government position in connection with the Airways radio has called him to the Northwest.

John Searer, ex-'15, teacher in North Manchester (Indiana) High School, visited on the campus March 11.

Wallace Miller, '27, is a candidate for the degree of doctor of philosophy in botanical sciences at the State University of Iowa this spring.

Paul Horsch, '29, who teaches Physics at Norwin High School, Irwin, Pennsylvania, was on the campus April 1, on committee work. He drove to Chicago the next day where he met his mother who accompanied him on the return trip to Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Roth, ex-'32, have moved from the College Farm to 1237 South Seventh Street, Goshen.

Professor and Mrs. J. F. Slabaugh of DeMotte, Indiana entertained ten members of the College congregation at dinner, Sunday, April 2. Mr. Slabaugh is principal of the DeMotte school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Roth, ex-'31, (Lillian Schrock, ex-'32) have moved to Nappanee, Indiana, where Mr. Roth has charge of a Kroger store.

I. W. Royer, '00, and his daughter Mary '30, visited on the campus April 1 and 2.

Bernice Zook, ex-'35, student at Manchester College, visited with friends on the campus March 28.

Harriet Lapp, daughter of G. J. Lapp, '13, missionary to India, Sarah Lapp, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloy Kniss with their three children arrived at New York on Easter Sunday, April 16.

Minnie Kanagy, '22, of Dhamtari, C. P. India, is kept quite busy with her work at the Girls Industrial School. She is hoping, she writes in the *Mission News Bulletin,* to

put up at least two houses, with the help of the girls, this season.

John Thut, '24, member of the faculty of the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago, gave a concert in the College auditorium, April 6. His program was sponsored by the French Club.

Raymond J. Schertz, '17, superintendent of schools at Metamora, Illinois, directed the cantata, "Jesus Lives," given at the Roanoke Mennonite Church on Good Friday evening.

Melvin Gingerich, '26, assistant principal of the high school at Washington, Iowa, and president of the Washington Teachers Association, an organization of about sixty teachers, made two trips to Des Moines this year as the representative of the organization. He appeared as a speaker at a conference on International Relations held at Grinnell College, April 7 to 9.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '04, of Bluffton, Ohio was scheduled to conduct Bible lectures and evangelistic services at the First Mennonite Church, Philadelphia, April 2-9.

Frank Umble, ex-'31, has developed two more silver medal winners in the Jersey herd at A. and M. College, Stillwater, Oklahoma. He has another prospect in his herd that seems likely to complete the year's test in May with a butterfat record that will entitle her to silver medal honors.

Bertha Nohejl, '29, teacher at Thurman, Colorado, this past year, returned to Goshen in April to spend the vacation in further preparation for teaching.

Abram Hallman, '31, Blooming Glen, Pennsylvania, and a few other enterprising alumni in the Keystone state are arranging for an informal gathering of Goshen College alumni residing in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, New York and New England. They are planning to hold the meeting at Doylestown, Pennsylvania, May 13.

Professor I. R. Detweiler, '01, Bluffton, Ohio, is acting as pastor of two congregations at New Stark, Ohio. He preaches in the Mennonite Church (Chapel) just west of New Stark and in the New Stark Presbyterian Church on alternate Sundays.

Orie Eigsti, '31, has been chosen assistant instructor in biology for the 1933 Summer session at Illinois State University, where he has been half-time assistant this year.

Ora Keiser, '31, has been elected to teach a rural school in Johnson county, Iowa, near Wellman.

L. J. Martin, '29, has been invited to speak before the Farmers' Holiday Association, May 3-5, when representatives of twenty-two states meet at Des Moines, Iowa. He left for Iowa, May 2.

Jacob Sudermann,, '32, is completing the work for his Master's degree at Kansas State University in June. He has been appointed to a German university exchange fellowship.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHICAGO ALUMNI GROUP

Lydia Shenk, ex-'20, M. A., L. J. Martin '29, with Marie Bender, '36, and Verna Schertz, '33, students at the college, motored to Chicago Saturday, February 25, to attend the Chicago Branch of Goshen College Alumni and Friends, held at the Chicago Home Mission. Sixty-seven were reported present, the largest number in the history of this group. Noah Roeschley, ex-'27, of Chicago, president of the organization, was chairman of the meeting. Mrs. Lydia Belle (Stutzman) Miller, '05, J. W. Shank, '10, Rev. William Brenneman, Dr. Charles Hershey, ex-'19, gave interesting accounts of the history of the organization. The address of the evening was given by Dr. L. E. Blauch, '16; his subject was "The Liberal Arts College." David Landis, '07, Samuel Burkhard, '20, John Thut, '23, and Miriam Leaman, ex-'25, furnished music for the evening. Mrs. J. M. Kurtz (Mabel Miller, '11) was elected president for the coming year. The meeting was appropriately closed with the singing of the Alma Mater.

THE SPRING TERM

The Spring term, organized two years ago by Dr. Hertzler to accomodate public school teachers who wish to improve more of the summer vacation than is possible in the Summer Session, seems to be filling a real need. Fourteen teachers are registered: Warren Miller, ex-'34, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Atlee Beechy, ex-'35, Berlin, Ohio; Glen Mast, ex-'34, Millersburg, Ohio; Ralph Sundheimer, ex-'33, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Orin Beechy, ex-'34, Berlin, Ohio; Fern Lucile Miller, ex-'35, Millersburg, Ohio; Eldon W. Evans, ex-'24, New Paris, Indiana; Alice M. Housour, '32, Elkhart, Indiana; Evan Amstutz, ex-'33, Dalton, Ohio; Dorothy Zook, 1123 South Eighth Street, Goshen; Stanley L. Miller, '32, Elkhart, Indiana; Bertha Nohejl, '29, 110 Burdick Street, Goshen; Hazel Stauffer, '30, Millersville, Pa.; John F. O'Hara, 3222 North Notre Dame Street, South Bend, Indiana.

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Editorial notes must be very short in his issue. Much important news has been greatly condensed and some omitted altogether for lack of space. All Commencement news was crowded out.

Remember August Twenty-seven, 1933, the date of the August Reunion! It seems to be growing "bigger and better" every year. Even if you are several hundred miles away and you were not able to trade in your car for a new one this year, highways leading into Goshen are so good that you will enjoy the drive anyway. Bring your basket, eat your lunch here, and plan to put in a big afternoon visiting. Mrs. J. S. Plank, 1131 South Eighth Street, Goshen, is secretary of the committee on arrangements. J. M. Kurtz, '01, 7550 Luella Ave., Chicago, Ill., is chairman.

Second generation students are increasing in number. Every year scores of alumni are faced with the problem of selecting a college for the son or daughter just out of high school. Many of them would like to send their young people to a school with the Christian spirit and social ideals that they found on the campus of Elkhart Institute and Goshen College a third or a quarter of a century ago. We believe that such a college still exists, that your Alma Mater has preserved the ideals which you learned here to cherish, and that your son and daughter will feel grateful to you for placing them under the same influence that played so large a part in the formation of your life and character. But are Goshen college credits good, you ask? Read the record of achievement of your fellow alumni as it appears in issue after issue of the NEWS LETTER. Are not the recent graduates making an even better record than you and your classmates were at their age? That more and more of the older alumni are finding an affirmative answer to these and similiar questions is proved by their sending their sons and daughters to Goshen College in increasing numbers. The best way for an alumnus to increase the importance and prestige of his Alma Mater is to send her promising students.

CAMPUS NOTES

Immediately after the close of school on June 7, President Yoder left for an extended trip west in the interests of the school. He stopped in Chicago and Kansas City in the interests of the Mission Board.

He assisted in the ordination of a deacon at the East Union Church near Kalona, Iowa, and filled preaching appointments at the Portland Mission and at the Zion, Hopewell, Albany, Fairview and Sheridan Churches in Oregon, and at Nampa and Filer, Idaho, and at Chappell, Nebraska.

Since July 5, he has been in attendance at the Winona Lake School of Theology from which he will receive the Master of Arts degree (in Theology) on August 11. The subject of his thesis is "Migratory Movements Among the Mennonites as a Result of the World War".

After his graduation President Yoder plans a trip west to General Conference at Hesston, Kansas. He expects to spend some time in Kansas and Colorado in the interests of the school.

Dean Harold S. Bender spent the week following commencement in field work in Eastern Ohio, chiefly in Holmes County. He reports good prospects for the largest group of freshmen in years from that section. On June 24, he gave an address before the Northeastern Ohio Mennonite literary convention, which was held in the Dalton high school auditorium at Dalton, Wayne county, Ohio. Following that he spent two weeks in a tour of the Mennonite communities of Pennsylvania, soliciting students, going as far east as Doylestown. He found a great deal of interest in the College and reports a splendid number of prospects for new students from Pennsylvania. One of the encouraging factors is the warm support given by the alumni and former students in Pennsylvania.

During the trip in the East, he also spent a day in Washington together with O. O. Miller, '15, on business for the Mennonite central committee conferring with officials of the State Department and of the Paraguyan Legation relative to the project of moving additional Mennonite refugees from Harbin to Paraguay.

During the last two weeks of July, he spent some time in Eastern Ohio and Ontario in the interests of the school, and took part in the program of the Ohio Mennonite Sunday school conference at Beech

church near Canton, Ohio, July 25-27.

From July 12-14 he attended the Institute for Administrative Officers of Institutions of Higher Education, held on the campus of the University of Chicago.

The following alumni and former students are enrolled in summer school at the College. Fern Lucile Miller, ex-'35, Millersburg, Ohio; Delmer Yoder, ex-'32, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Edgar E. Frey, '33, Archbold, Ohio; Ross Gerber, '33 Sugarcreek, Ohio; Forrest King, ex-'32, Smithville, Ohio; Orin Beechy, ex-'34, Berlin, Ohio; Ruth Hertzler, ex-'33, Belleville, Ohio; Harvey Frederick, Nappanee, Indiana; Esther Leininger, '29, Elkhart, Indiana; Betty Stout, Goshen; G. A. Haberstick, ex-'19, Goshen; Wendell Compton, ex-'35, Elkhart, Indiana; Stanley Miller, '32, Elkhart, Indiana; Alice Housour, Elkhart, Indiana; Vesta Nafziger, ex-'34, Wauseon, Ohio; Ralph Beechy, '32, Berlin, Ohio; Nettie Glick, ex-'31, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Esther Eberly, ex-'32, Dalton, Ohio; Rhoda Ressler, ex-'33, Scottdale, Pennsylvania; Edna Oyer, ex-'32, St. Johns, Michigan; Lena Smucker, ex-'31, West Liberty, Ohio; Glen Mast, ex-'34, Millersburg, Ohio; Elizabeth Whitehead (summer, 1930, A.B., Oberlin) Goshen; Bertha Nohejl, ex-'31, Goshen; Olive Mast, ex-'32, Millersburg, Ohio; Mary Emma Adams, Goshen; Dorothy Smith, '32, Goshen.

The annual outing by students and faculty of the Summer Session, July 14, included a tour of the Milse Nursery and wild gamebird preserve, lunch at the Kankakee State Forest and Game Reserve and a visit to the Bass Lake Fish Hatchery at Winona on Bass Lake.

Professor Silas Hertzler visited the director of teacher training of the state department of public instruction in Indianapolis on May 14 in the interest of the teacher training work offered at Goshen College. At this time he also called on Dean H. L. Smith of the School of Education of Indiana University for the same purpose.

Dr. Glen R. Miller's doctor's dissertation, "Behavior of Mixed Halogenated Phenols in the Zincke Method of Nitration", prepared for the department of chemistry in the graduate college of the university of Iowa, June, 1930, appears in the current issue of the *Journal of the American Chemical Society.*

ALUMNI CONTRIBUTORS TO THE CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1932-33

Names of alumni who made cash donations to the Current Expense Fund of the College in response to an appeal of the President of the College and of the officers of the Alumni Association:

Jay H. Eberly, Route 1, Steubenville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Litwiller, Morton, Illinois; A. Fay Grassmyer, Greenwood, Delaware; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunk, Dondi via Rajnandgaon, C. P. India; Bessie C. Moyer, Route 2, Perkasie, Pennsylvania; J. L. Brenneman, Manhattan, Kansas; Ira D. Yoder, Barberton, Ohio; Glen Hershberger, 709 South Eighth, Maywood, Illinois; Orie O. Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania; M. C. Krabill, Louisville, Ohio; C. B. Shoemaker, Scottdale, Pennsylvania; J. Forrest Kanagy, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Musselman, co Sanitarium, La Junta, Colorado; D. L. Miller, Fentress, Virginia; Paul Horsch, Irwin, Pennsylvania; J. E. Brunk, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; A. C. Yoder, 816 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana; S. E. Yoder, 610 Race Avenue, Lancaster, Pennsylvania; Hazel E. Stauffer, 460 North George Street, Millersville, Pa.; Elma A. Uhlitzsch, 1111 Franklin Street, Wilmington, Delaware; Katie M. Smucker, Smithville, Ohio; C. L. Shank, 123 Wise Street, North Canton, Ohio; Emma Smucker Rohrer, Smithville, Ohio; Leahbelle Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio; Amanda Frey, 142 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Leah C. Risser, Route 2, Hershey, Pennsylvania; Elizabeth Hauck Snyder, Estacada, Oregon; Henry A. Mumaw, 1300 Prairie Street, Elkhart, Indiana; Adelia Hostetler, Nampa, Idaho, P. O. Box 133, 611 North 12th Ave; M. C. Landis, 801 South Seventh Street, Goshen, Indiana; Alice G. Treuschel, 151 W. Lexington Avenue, Elkhart, Indiana; John Hershberger, Route 2, Box 417, Tucson, Arizona; Eva Yeackley, Milford, Nebraska; Clifford F. Brunk, 7815 E. Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan; Ruth E. Rasmussen, North Tonawanda, New York; Irvin G. Baumann, Columbiana, Ohio; Jay H. Eberly, Route 1, Steubenville, Ohio; L. E. Blauch, 311 E. Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois; Orie O. Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania; Earl E. Miller, Berlin, Ohio; S. T. Miller, Elkhart, Indiana; Anna Hoover, Goshen, Indiana; Mary C. Musselman, Orrtanna, Pennsylvania; J. C. Fretz, Baden, Ontario; Mrs. Martin Moore, Lititz, Pennsylvania; Fran Yoder, Orrtanna, Pennsylvania; F. S. Ebersole, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. J. A. Ressler, Scottdale, Pennsylvania; W. D. Hershberger, Box 232, Oceanport, N. J.; Milton Smith, Eureka, Illinois; Jacob C. Meyer, 3306 East Scarborough Road, Cleveland, Ohio; Orie O. Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania.

Donations were larger this year than last year but the number of contributors is smaller. Donations ranged from one dollar to two hundred dollars. More than half of them were ten dollars or over.

EASTERN ALUMNI REUNION

The reunion of eastern Alumni arranged by William Hallman and other enterprising Keystone alumni was held near Doylestown, Pa., on May 13. Fifty alumni and friends were present from a half dozen eastern states. Addresses by M. C. Lehman '04, O. O. Miller, '15, Joseph D. Graber

'25, and others were important features of the meeting. The editor of the NEWS LETTER planned to print the names of all present but lack of space forbids.

Eastern Alumni are to be congratulated for their loyalty and enthusiasm. One third of the contributors to the Current Expense Fund of the College live east of the Ohio-Pennsylvania line and nearly one-fourth of those whose annual dues are paid for the year 1933-34 hail from the same region.

ANNUAL DUES

The treasurer, beginning with this issue of the NEWS LETTER, intends to acknowledge receipt of annual dues by printing the names and addresses in these columns instead of mailing post cards as heretofore. He does this for two reasons: first, he feels that the names of those who carry the financial burden of the work of the association should become a part of the printed records of the association; and, second, he thinks the officers should share with the entire membership the pleasure, encouragement, and inspiration that comes to them from knowing the names of those who, in unobtrusive, perennial loyalty, support the work of the association even though they may not be able to visit the campus for years at a time.

Following is a list of names of those who sent in their annual dues of one dollar each since the treasurer decided on this method of acknowledgement. Several sent two dollars. It is interesting and encouraging to see the names of several non-graduate alumni on the list. Some are paying annual dues for the first time. Unfortunately, however, the amount in the hands of the treasurer is not large enough, as yet, to finance the NEWS LETTER for the coming year.

Mrs. Leland A. Bachman, Morton, Ill.; Irvin Bauman, Columbiana, Ohio; Ralph Beechy, Berlin, Ohio; Mrs. Rich Beck, (Mable Kennel) Goshen; Ruby Beery, Lima, Ohio; Jos. E. Brunk, Biglerville, Pa.; C. F. Brunk, Detroit, Mich.; W. C. Brunk, Detroit, Mich.; Ada Burkhart, Goshen; Fred Bryner, Goshen; Fred Burkey, Oak Park, Ill.; W. A. Bender, Denver, Pa.; Ernst Correll, Washington, D. C.; J. B. Cressman, Kitchener, Ontario; Niles Davis, Shipshewana, Ind.; Etta Gilliom Davis, Detroit, Mich.; A. D. Diller, Toledo, Ohio; Harvey Driver, LaJunta, Col.; Jay H. Eberly, Dalton, Ohio; W. H. Ebersole, Newton, Kansas; A. S. Ebersole, Tiffin, Ohio; Ruth Leamon Erb, Lancaster, Pa.; F. S. Ebersole, Goshen; Allen Ebersole, Elkhart, Ind.; Nellie (Miller) Ebersole, Elkhart, Ind.; Grace Schwary, Canton, Ohio; C. L. Shank, Canton, Ohio; Lillie S. Shenk, Laurelton, Pa.; C. B. Shoemaker, Scottdale, Pa.; Katie M. Smucker, Smithville, Ohio; R. Alice Snyder, Hastings, Neb.; Helen M. Stauffer, Elkhart, Ind.; Esther Smucker, Tiskilwa, Ill.; James Steiner, North Lima, Ohio; Tilman Smith, Roanoke, Ill.; J. W. Shank, Buenos Aires, S. A.; W. H. Smith, Goshen; Erma Schertz, Metamora, Ill.; John H. Warye, Mingo, Ohio; Agnes Weaver, Akron, Ohio; Edwin Weaver, Wakarusa, Ind.; Ella Wenger, Elkhart, Ind.; H. C. Yoder, Smithville, Ohio; S. E. Yoder, Lancaster, Pa.; O. R. Yoder, Ypsilanti, Mich.; Walter Yoder, Goshen; J. S. Yoder, Goshen; Forrest King, Smithville, Ohio; J. F. Kanagy, Biglerville, Pa.; Esther (Schott) Lamse, Chicago, Ill.; Austin Landis, Detroit, Mich.; Ada Lapp, Sterling, Ill.; Nelson Litwiller, Trenque Lauquen, S. A.; Esther Leininger, Elkhart, Ind.; Elmer D. Mast, Carmi, Ill.; Stanley L. Miller, Harvard, New York; Payson Miller, Wayland, Mass.; D. F. Miller, Fentress, Virginia; A. J. Miller, Springs, Pa.; Samuel T. Miller, Elkhart, Ind.; Anna (Holdeman) Miller, Elkhart, Ind.; Edna Oyer, St. Johns, Mich.; Mrs. Emma Rohrer, Smithville, Ohio; Edna (Cook) Summers, Lansing, Mich.; John J. Fisher, Bloomsburg, Pa.; J. C. Fretz, Baden, Ontario; A. Fay Grassmyer, Greenwood, Del.; Melvin Gingerich, Washington, Iowa; Rosa Gish, Lancaster, Pa.; C. J. Gerber, Wakarusa, Ind.; Anna Hoover, Goshen; Abraham P. Hallman, Blooming Glen, Pa.; Pauline Herr, Lancaster, Pa.; Lydia Hershberger, Kalona, Iowa; W. D. Hershberger, Oceanport, New Jersey; James Hostetler, Middlefield, Ohio; Wilbur Hostetler, Goshen; Velma (Lapp) Hostetler, Goshen; Merle Hartzler, Goshen; Charles Hershey, Chicago, Ill.; Paul Horsch, Scottdale, Pa.; Adelia Hostetler, Nampa, Idaho; S. Lloyd Johnson, Catonsville, Maryland.

WEDDING BELLS

At the Eighth Street Mennonite church, Sunday, June 25, Lucille Lehman, daughter of Mrs. Julia A. Lehman, 805 South Main street, Goshen, became the bride of Ralph Bowman Shenk, ex-'29, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Simon G. Shenk, Continental, Ohio. Rev. I. R. Detweiler, Bluffton, Ohio, was the officiating minister. The bride attended kindergarten college in Chicago and has been employed as a kindergarten teacher in the South Bend schools. They will make their home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Shenk is studying music.

On June 11, at the home of the bride's parents near Smithville, Ohio, Ellis M. Hostetler, '32, and Bernice Gerig, ex-'33, were united in marriage, Bishop J. S. Gerig, uncle of the bride, officiating. Mr. Hostetler is teaching history in the Louisville, Ohio, high school and the bride has been teaching in the elementary schools of Wayne county, Ohio, for several years.

On June 20, at the home of the bride's parents southeast of Goshen, the marriage of Leonard C. Kreider, '31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio, and Rachel Weaver, '31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Weaver, was solemnized, the Rev. Earl Salzman, '32, uncle of the bride, reading the single ring ceremony. The bride has been teaching Latin and English in the Roann, Indiana, high school for the

past two years. Mr. Kreider received the M.S. degree from Ohio State University this June for research in carbohydrates. He has held a teaching assistantship in general chemistry and will return to the university next September to resume his teaching duties on the junior staff and to continue his graduate study. Mr. and Mrs. Kreider will be at home at 112 East Sixteenth street, on the campus at Columbus, Ohio, after school opens in September.

Ora M. Yoder, '31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellas Yoder of the Shore congregation near Shipshewana, Indiana, and Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smeltzer, of the Holdeman congregation, Wakarusa, were united in marriage on June 1, at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. Ray F. Yoder of the Salem congregation, near New Paris, officiating. Mr. Yoder is employed at Keller's store in Goshen.

On Tuesday. June 20, occurred the marriage of Melvin C. Schrock, ex-'31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schrock, Low Point, Illinois, and Estelle M. Yoder, ex-'32, daughter of Mrs. Salome A. Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. Milton Brunk, (Elsie Yoder, ex-'30) South Main street, Goshen. The Rev. H. R. Schertz, Metamora, Illinois, uncle of the groom, performed the ceremony. The groom is manager of the Larkin Company store at Lacon, Illinois. The bride has been teaching school in Illinois since spending two years in Goshen College.

Allen Bennett Ebersole, '30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ebersole, Elkhart, Indiana, and Nellie May Miller, '31, daughter of Mrs. Katie (Miller) Hostetler, Middlebury Indiana, were united in marriage, May 14, at the home of the bride's mother and stepfather. Bishop D. D. Miller was the officiating minister. The bride has been teaching at the Honeyville school since her graduation and the groom taught at La-Junta, Colorado, during the past year.

On Saturday, June 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Emanuel Swope, Jr., Columbiana, Ohio, and Nola Leinbach, ex-'30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leinbach, North Lima, Ohio, were united in marriage, the Rev. Paul Yoder, ex-22, officiating.

Ernest E. Frey, ex-'35, Wauseon, Ohio, and Mabel Conrad were married in Wauseon, Sunday, July 9.

Murl O. Eldridge, '30, Goshen, grandnephew of Preacher John S. Coffman, and Theresa Foss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foss, Lagrange, Indiana, were united in marriage on March 17. They reside on the farm owned by Mr. Eldridge's mother northeast of Goshen and operated by Mr. Eldridge since his graduation from the College.

On May 28, Wilbur Hostetler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah J. Hostetler, Goshen, Indiana, and Velma Lapp, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. Daniel G. Lapp were united in mrriage at the home of the bride by her father. Mr. and Mrs. Hostetler were present at Commencement in June. He is instructor in English in the Flandreau (Indian) school at Flandreau, South Dakota.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Born, July 12, to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yoder, '11, West Liberty, Ohio, a daughter, Carolyn Genevieve.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Yoder announce the birth of a son, J. Carl, May 6.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. J. C. Frey (Mary Burkholder), mother of Amanda Frey, '27, Goshen, Indiana, died at her home near Pettisville, Ohio, June 4. She is survived by five sons, five daughters, and thirty-four grandchildren.

Mrs. Marie (Sonderhof) Drange, Chicago, Illinois, born in Germany in 1859, died in Chicago on June 11. She was the mother of Mrs. J. N. Kauffman (Elsie Drange, '08,) hence the grandmother of Russel Kauffman, ex-'33 and of Paul, '35. She was the grandmother of Fern Smith who completed the elementary teacher training course in June.

Samuel Edwin Cockley, died at his home in Elkhart, Indiana, May 6. He was the father of Mrs. J. O. Miller (Leona Cockley, ex-'29). Funeral services were conducted by Bishop D. A. Yoder, president of the Mennonite Board of Education, assisted by Bishop J. S. Shoemaker and J. S. Hartzler, pastor of the Prairie Street Mennonite church in Elkhart.

Mrs. Hannah (Snyder) Burkhard, born in Blair county, Pennsylvania, September 26, 1852, died, May 23, at her home near Roseland, Nebraska, aged 80 years. She was the mother of Jacob Burkhard, ex-'01, the pioneer Indian missionary; of Noah, '20, teacher of science in the Seward (Nebraska) high school; of Henry, '12, '16, farmer, Roseland, Nebraska; and of Dr. Samuel, '09, '11, professor of Education, Arizona state teachers college, Tempe, Arizona. Grandchildren are Mrs. John Bauer (Esther Burkhard, '20) Urbana, Ohio; Samuel Theodore Burkhard, '20, Chicago, Illinois, and Anna Burkhard, ex-'27.

PERSONALS

Stanley L. Miller, '32, Harvard, New York, is enjoying country school teaching in the Catskills and seems to have plenty of time for trout fishing on the side. He has been re-elected for 1933-34.

Rev. Payson Miller, '18, pastor of the First Church (Unitarian) at Wayland, Mass., is teaching psychology at Simmons college, Boston, in addition to his pastoral duties.

Edna Oyer, academy '29, ex-'33, Route 7, St. Johns, Michigan, has been teaching the

same school ever since she left Goshen in 1931 and has been re-employed for 1933-34.

Grace Schwary, '31, 1333 St. Elmo, Canton, Ohio, teaches the second grade in the Louisville, Ohio, schools.

C. L. Shank, '14, 123 Wise Street, North Canton, Ohio, continues as research engineer in the Hoover company laboratories in spite of the depression.

Dr. Lillie S. Shenk, '20, M. D., Laurelton, Pennsylvania, physician at Laurelton State Village, attended the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Sorings, Pa., May 20-22.

Charles B. Shoemaker, '12, 815 Market Street, Scottdale, Pa., is manager of the book department of the Mennonite Publishing House.

If your call through the Dunlap Telephone Central is handled with more than usual courtesy and efficiency, Helen M. Stauffer, '30, R. R. 6, Elkhart, Indiana, is probably at the switchboard.

Agnes Weaver, '32, 925 Orrin Street, Akron, Ohio, is spending the summer with her aunt in Middlebury, Indiana.

Dr. S. E. Yoder, '16, D. O., 610 Race Avenue, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, spent part of the month of June attending a graduate polyclinic course (osteopathic) in Philadelphia.

Fred Bryner, '22, teacher of science in Goshen Junior high school seems to have had no special news, but, when he sent his dues he used the stub to throw the following bouquet to his Alma Mater: "I feel that the good citizens of Goshen and elsewhere realize and appreciate more every day the true worth of Goshen College".

Ruby Beery, '20, 125 South Pierce Street, Lima, Ohio, is teacher of the third and fourth grades in Elida, Ohio.

Jay H. Eberly, '28, Dalton, Ohio, is principal of the Alikanna school, Steubenville, Ohio.

Professor Amos S. Ebersole, '22, 30 Ohio Avenue, Tiffin, Ohio, continues as head of the voice and public school music departments of Heidelberg College.

A. Fay Grassmyer, '21, Greenwood, Delaware, teaches mathematics and science in the junior and senior high schools at that place.

Anna Hoover, '10, Goshen, Ind., teaches grades 1-4 in a two roomed rural school several miles west of Goshen.

Dr. S. Lloyd Johnson, '12, M.D., L.L.B., was granted the degree of bachelor of laws from the University of Maryland Law school, June 1932, but, since he finds the practice of medicine much more attractive than the possibilities in law, he is continuing his private medical practice and retaining his position of assistant professor of medicine in the medical department of the University of Maryland. His address is 1303 Frederick Road, Cantonsville, Md.

Rev. Elmer D. Mast, '29, 702 North Third Street, Carmi, Illinois, was returned to the pastorate of the Evangelical church at that place for the second year by the Evangelical conference held at Kendalville, May 3-7. Last year was one of the most successful years of his ministry so far. Rev. Mast preached the baccalaureate sermon for the 1933 graduating class of the Carmi township high school, May 14.

Professor John J. Fisher, '13, 311 Light Road, Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, continues his service next year as a member of the faculty of the Bloomsburg state teachers college.

Abram P. Hallman, '31, is a clerk in the pork packing plant at Blooming Glen, Pennsylvania.

The address of Pauline Herr, '30, is Rossmere Sanitarium, Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Why don't all of you 30's write her a letter or at least a card? Let us make the date August 15.

Lydia Hershberger, '28, is teaching at Kalona, Iowa.

W. Delmar Hershberger, '27, Box 232, Oceanport, New Jersey, presented a paper before the American physical society on micro-radio waves at a meeting held in Washington, April 27. Mrs. Hershberger (Mary Martin, '28) and Betty Anne accompanied him on the trip. His official title is Physicist in the Signal Corps Laboratories, Ft. Monmouth, New Jersey.

James Hostetler, '21, continues his career as a successful merchant at Middlefield, Geauga county, Ohio.

J. F. Kanagy '30, Biglerville, Pennsylvania, bookkeeper with the C. H. Musselman Co., writes that the Goshen Reunion at Doylestown was an inspirational experience for eastern alumni.

Mrs. Emma (Smucker) Rohrer, '32, Smithville, Ohio, teaches the third grade at Creston, Ohio.

Fred N. Burkey, '13, 833 North Lombard Avenue, Oak Park, Illinois, continues to serve the Moody Bible Institute as superintendent of employment.

George W. Phillips, '13, is pastor of the Brethren church at Danville, Ohio.

Adelia Hostetler, '30, 611 North Twelfth Avenue, Nampa, Idaho, teacher in Nampa's new junior high school, will spend the remainder of her vacation at home after spending a week in Oregon attending the Northwest Mennonite church and Sunday school conference at Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Reiffe (Esther Reed, '16), Texhoma, Oklahoma, spent a few weeks in Goshen and vicinity in May and June. They also visited New York and A Century of Progress in Chicago. Mrs. Lloyd W. Slagle (Fern Bontrager, '18), 418 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Third District President of the American Legion Auxilliary and Mrs. Cecil Brown (Gertrude Bontrager, '18), entertained for Mrs. Jesse Reiffe during her stay in Goshen.

C. J. Gerber, '17, principal of the Wakarusa (Indiana) schools is in Columbia university for the 1933 summer session. He is

president of the Iowa, Illinois, and Indiana club at Columbia.

Dr. Ernst Correll, instructor in Goshen College, 1924-28, has been appointed head of the department of economics in the graduate school of the American University at Washington, D. C. with the title Associate Professor of Economic History. His address is 1901 F Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. Dr. Correll is also co-editor of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review* and of *Studies in Anabaptist and Mennonite History.*

Etta Gilliom Davis, '09, 2950 Nebraska, Detroit, Michigan, is nurse counsellor for the Detroit health department.

Arthur D. Diller, '22, has been appointed dean of boys at De Villuss high school, Toledo, Ohio. This is a new school with an enrollment of 2800. Mr. Diller has charge of over 1400 boys. The address of Mr. and Mrs. Diller is 3722 Wyckliffe Parkway, Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. D. P. Erb, (Ruth Leaman, '23), 27 S. West End Ave., Lancaster, Pennsylvania, is another of the faithful few who never fail to send that dollar for the annual dues.

Dr. Orus R. Yoder, '16, Ypsilanti State Hospital, Ypsilanti, Michigan, has specialized in psychiatry since leaving medical school. He is assistant medical superintendent of the Ypsilanti State Hospital, a new hospital caring for 1450 patients. It will be enlarged to 5000 capacity.

G. H. Laurence, '05, 211 Baker St., Mishawaka, Indiana, quit work November 13, 1926, and has been putting up a heroic fight against T. B. ever since. His sense of humor seems to be proof against misfortune. He writes the treasurer that his "present position" seems to be "official bed tester." He deserves to win his fight for health.

Earl C. Mast, ex-'30, Millersburg, Ohio, received the A.B. degree from Wooster College in June. He is planning to take up medicine.

Mildred Metzler, ex-'34, North Lima, Ohio, who has been teaching the lower grades in the Germantown school near her home for the past two years is re-employed for the coming school year.

Olive Mast, ex-'34, Millersburg, Ohio, will teach the Maple Valley rural school near Millersburg next year.

M. C. Lehman, '04, president of the alumni association, has been active in the interests of the college since completing his work for the Ph.D. degree at Yale in June. He visited every church in the Illinois Mennonite Conference, June 28 — July 7; Ohio churches July 9-25; Sunday school conference at the Beech church in Stark county, July 25-27. Following the conference his plans include a canvass of Iowa communities and a series of evangelistic meetings at the Science Ridge Mennonite church, Sterlng, Illinois, before the General Conference at Hesston, Kansas. He will spend the remainder of the summer with the Mennonite churches in Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri. Mr. Lehman has completed his three year's graduate work at Yale, has passed all examinations and has written a thesis on "The Religious Significance of the Writings of Harishchandra." The thesis has been read and accepted by two of the six members of the examining committee.

James Steiner, '32, North Lima, Ohio, is teacher of the Beard rural school of fifty pupils, the largest in Mahoning county. One of Mr. Steiner's pupils ranked twelfth in the Northwestern Ohio district on the eighth grade state achievement examination and received honorable mention in the state in the finals. Mr. Steiner gave an excellent talk in the final devotional meeting on Wednesday morning of commencement week.

Emily Slabey, member of the College congregation, was one of eight nurses to graduate from the Laura A. Kindig Seminary for Nurses in connection with the Goshen City hospital on Thursday, June 8.

Esther Brenneman, ex-'31, R. N., Montefiore Hospital, Gun Hill Road, New York City, expects to continue her school work at Columbia University.

Wilma Culp, 602 East Ninth Street, North Manchester, Indiana, attended Manchester College during the spring term.

Ira S. John's, ex-'99, was re-elected secretary of the Indiana-Michigan Conference at its annual meeting in May. He was also re-elected a member of the Mennonite Board of Education. He and Clarence A. Shank, ex-'03, and J. S. Hartzler were among the six delegates elected to General Conference.

Martha Yoder, '30, has been elected to teach grades one and two in the Smithville, Ohio, schools next year. She will replace Mrs. Lester Hostetler (Kathryn Gerig, ex-'33) resigned.

Jesse Smucker, '18, one of the assistant pastors of the Wayne county Oak Grove Mennonite church, has been elected to teach Number Six in Green Township, Wayne county, Ohio.

Luella Miller, '32, will teach Number Nine in the same township.

Katie Smucker, '30, has been re-elected to teach grades three and four in Smithville (also in Green township).

Grace Zook, ex-'33, was elected secretary of the West Liberty (Ohio) high school alumni association at the annual meeting on May 8, in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Ruth Umble, '12, and children, Richard and Carol, visited at their former home at West Liberty, Ohio, during June. Fern Umble, '21, Cleveland, Ohio, also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Umble, ex-'19, on Sunday, June 18.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Blosser, '02, M. D., Dunkirk, Ohio, visited friends at West Liberty, Ohio, and picnicked at the Ohio Caverns on Thursday, June 15.

Mrs. Sadie Warye, West Liberty, Ohio, mother of Mrs. J. J. Fisher (Alma Warye, '18), and Mrs. Wilbur Miller (Mary Warye, ex-'23), while visiting at the home

of her son in Columbus, Ohio, had the misfortune to fall and break her hip. She is being cared for at Mt. Carmel Hospital.

J. R. Shank, secretary of the Missouri-Kansas Mennonite conference, announces a business meeting of that conference to be held following the close of the Mennonite General conference on August 25 at the Pennsylvania church southeast of Hesston, Kansas.

Edna Kauffman, ex-'35, West Liberty, Ohio, is a student nurse at the Springfield, Ohio, city hospital.

J. D. Graber, 25, held a series of meetings at North Lima, Ohio, beginning June 18. He attended the 14th Annual Meeting of the Ohio State Mission Board at Martin's church near Orrville, June 10 and 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira S. Johns, ex-'99 (Elizabeth Rickert, ex-'03), spent several weeks in Virginia during early June.

L. S. Weber, '27, Pejuaho, F.C.O., Argentina, writes under date of May 31 that there are now three ordained native ministers in the South American Mennonite mission. Santiago Battaglia was ordained on May 23, by Bishop Tobias Hershey, ex-'12.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel King (Nellie Zook, '27), who have been teaching in the Philippines for the past three years arrived in Dhamtari, India, May 27, expecting to stay at the mission about ten days.

William Jennings, '31, Concord, Tennessee, visited at the College late in May on his way to Detroit to teach in the vacation Bible school at the Mennonite mission.

Professor B. F. Hartzler's combined choirs of Sturgis, Michigan, Nappanee and Goshen closed a successful season with the final rendition of the Oratorio "Elijah" in the new Nappanee community building on Sunday evening, July 2.

Josephus W. Shank, '10, missionary on furlough from South America, received the B. D. degree from Bethany biblical seminary, Chicago, Illinois, on Monday evening, May 22.

Barbara Thut, '32, Doylestown, Pennsylvania, has been elected to a position in a school near her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Yoder, '31, Wakarusa, Indiana, left soon after commencement for Springfield, Ohio, where Mr. Yoder has accepted a position as advertising and display manager of the J. C. Penny store in that city.

Lulu Smith, '28, C. Warren Long, '29, Tilman Smith, '28, Lester Litwiller, '29, Mrs. Lester Litwiller (Ruth Yoder, '29) and Harold Buzzard, ex-'33, appeared on the program of the ninety-ninth quarterly meeting of the Pleasant Hill, Peoria, Metamora, and Roanoke Sunday schools held at the Roanoke Mennonite church near Roanoke, Illinois, in April. Raymond J. Schertz, '22, was chorister.

Frank B. Raber, '29, was ordained to the ministry at the Detroit Mennonite mission on the evening of Easter Sunday by Bishops D. D. Troyer of Clinton Frame near Goshen and D. D. Miller of the Forks church near Middlebury.

John L. Yoder, '11, is president of the Board of Education at West Liberty, Ohio.

Charles Fricke, '27, received the M.A. degree at Princeton University, May 16, 1933. He left New York, June 9, for Muruma Ncheu, Nyasaland, Africa to engage in missionary work in the Zambesi Industrial Mission under the England Interdenominational Faith Mission. The prayers of Charles' many friends accompany this spiritual dynamo to his new field. He plans to take part in the Keswick (England) Convention in July and then proceed to Muruma Station to relieve a missionary who needs his furlough at once.

At the recent reorganization of the Scottdale, Pennsylvania, Sunday school Mrs. J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook, '01) was elected superintendent of the cradle roll and her daughter, Rhoda, ex-'33, chorister of the primary department. Homer Kauffman, ex-'27, is one of the choristers of the East Scottdale Sunday school.

C. L. Graber and Ora Keiser, '31, took part in the eleventh annual Ascension Day program at the Lower Deer Creek church, Kalona, Iowa, May 25.

Rev. Charles L. Haney, '12, (A.B., B.D., Northwestern College, Naperville, Illinois) completed a seven-year term as pastor of the Wayne Avenue Evangelical church at Dayton, Ohio, in May and has been transferred by his conference to the Elkhart (Indiana) Evangelical church of eleven hundred members. His address is 230 Hickory Street, Elkhart.

Mary Bartholomew, ex-'23, 505 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, is with the Medinah Athletic Club, Michigan Avenue at Illinois Street, Chicago.

Rev. B. Frank Stoltzfus, '17, Chicago, Illinois, with his family will return to Bulgaria the middle of August.

Selena Gamber, '33, taught in the East Scottdale summer Bible school in June. She has been elected superintendent of nurses and the nursing school of the Mennonite Hospital at LaJunta, Colorado. She will spend the year 1933-34 in gradute work at Columbia University.

In the Shipshewana young peoples retreat to be held at Shipshewana Lake Monday, July 31-August 8, P. E. Whitmer, '05, Pandora, Ohio, will conduct classes in "The Beliefs and Practices among the Mennonites" and W. B. Weaver, '14, Danvers, Illinois, in "The Kingdom in the Old Testament." Lester Hostetler, '15, Sugar Creek, Ohio, will have charge of "The Music Hour."

Mr. and Mrs. John Hershberger, '28 and son, Robert Dean of Tucson, Arizona, spent part of Mr. Hershberger's vacation in June

(16-23) visiting friends in Goshen and A Century of Progress. Mr. Hershberger is magnetic observer under the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hoover, '13, (Esther Smoker, '15) Bloomington, Illinois, visited relatives and friends in Goshen in June.

Omar J. Rhodes, '33, has been admitted to immediate and unconditional candidacy for the degree, Master of Arts, on the basis of his graduation, Bachelor of Arts, in 1933 from Goshen College, according to a statement issued by H. C. Dorcas, examiner and registrar of the State University of Iowa.

Ada Burkhart, '32, has resigned as night supervisor at the Goshen City Hospital to accept the position of superintendent of surgical and obstretrical nursing in the Mennonite Hospital at LaJunta, Colorado.

Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-'27, is teaching economics in the 1933 summer session at the University of Wisconsin. The session extends to August 5, after which he will spend several weeks at his home in Goshen before resuming his duties at the University in September.

Mrs. Mabel Hochstetler (Mabel Yoder, '08), Moscow, Kansas, visited her sister, Mrs. C. B. Blosser (Carrie Yoder, '05), Goshen, Indiana, in July. Mrs. Hochstetler's daughter, Anne, teaches English and Latin in the Moscow high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, '10, (Mary Landis, '12), and children. Robert, Ruth, and Carl, visited friends in Goshen and at Bloomington and Metamora, Illinois during June and July. They also visited A Century of Progress. Preferring night driving they made the return trip to Marquette, Michigan, 636 miles, in thirteen hours.

Leo D. Hershberger, '15, formerly of Manawa, Wisconsin, is principal of schools a Hortonville, Wisconsin.

Professor Willard H. Smith, '28, head of the history department of the College attended a meeting of the international relations group in Indianapolis, July 14 and 15.

Professor and Mrs. Ira S. Franck are conducting a boy's camp near Youngstown, Ohio. Their address is 74 Leighton Ave., Youngstown. They spent a few hours in Goshen on their return from Chicago where they had attended the N. E. A. convention and visited A Century of Progress.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '10, Bluffton, Ohio, is one of the speakers at the union church services being held this summer on Sunday evenings in the Goshen high school auditorium. He will speak on "Building the City of God" on the evening of August 6.

The many warm friends of C. B. Blosser are delighted to learn of his election to a Smith-Hughes position in Jackson township, Elkhart county, with headquarters at New Paris. His official title is vocational instructor and 4H Club leader for Jackson township.

Several alumni will take part in the Young People's Institute at Hesston, Kansas, August 16-19, sponsored by the young people's problems committee of the Mennonite General Conference: Dean Harold S. Bender, '18, Goshen, Indiana; Joseph D. Graber, '25, Dhamtari, India; Orie O. Miller, '15, Akron, Pennsylvania. Professor I. E. Burkhard, '25, Hesston, Kansas, is assistant director.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Blosser, ex-'18, (Miss Brackbill, ex-'19) are living on a farm in the Northern Peninsula at Rock, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Roth, ex-'31 (Lillian Schrock, ex-'31) have more than doubled the volume of business of the Kroger store in Nappanee, Indiana, since Mr. Roth assumed the managership a few months ago.

On June 4, the following alumni took part in a special Sunday school program at the Lyman, Mississippi, Mennonite church: I. W. Royer, '00; Mrs. Walter Rutt (Gladys Miller, '22); Mary Royer, '30; and Kathryn Royer, ex-'32. A quartette composed of Mrs. I. W. Royer (Christina Neuhauser) and her three daughters, Mary, Kathryn, Elizabeth, sang several numbers. The Royers spent several weeks visiting friends at Concord and Knoxville, Tennessee, and at Slidell, Mississippi.

Alumni on the Indian field are working or vacationing as follows: Milton C. Vogt, '27, and family at Darjeeling; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller, '17 (Ruth Blosser, '17) and children, Mr. and Mrs. Smucker, '28, (Alma Albrecht, '11) and family, and Mrs. J. N. Kauffman (Elsie Drange, '08) and daughter, Kathryn, at Landour; Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Lapp, '13 in Ootacamund, South India; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bunk, '12, Dondi and roadside clinic at Sankra; Minnie Kanagy, '22, at Ghatula; S. J. Hostetler, '23, at the Medical Station and Shantipur (his wife and children are at Darjeeling); Mary Good, '19, and Dora Shantz, '27, at Balodgahan; J. N. Kauffman '17, at Dhamtari. The P. A. Friesen family (Florence Cooprider, '10) has just returned to India.

The names of the following students and alumni appear on the program of the Ohio Sunday school conference held at Beech church in Stark county, Ohio, July 25-27. Mrs. O. N. Johns (Margaret Ricket, '09), Katie Smucker, '30, Nelson Litwiller, '25, S. C. Plank, ex-'12, Rollin Krabill, '36, Stanford Mumaw, ex-33, M. C. Lehman, '04, and H. S. Bender, '18. I. W. Royer, '00, is secretary of the conference and Bishop O. N. Johns, ex-'10, is a member of the executive committee.

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AND now for the largest, most enthusiastic group of home comers that any Thanksgiving season has ever returned to the campus! Committees are already busy with plans. Come Wednesday afternoon, if possible. The annual Thanksgiving service with a sermon by the President begins at eleven o'clock on Thursday, and the annual Turkey Dinner followed by a fellowship program is due at one. On Friday you will have an opportunity to see and hear your former instructors at work in regular classroom procedure. Excellent lecture course number on Friday night. Saturday afternoon is set aside for athletic contests and Saturday evening for the annual Homecoming social. Plan to stay over for Sunday school and church services and for one of those excellent Sunday dinners that keep Kulp dining room praising the cooks.

And remember! We never ask you for funds while you are on the campus!

Wide-awake alumni of all liberal arts colleges are beginning to see as never before that, if their Alma Mater is to continue to serve young people as she served her graduates of other years, they must put their wits and their money together to keep their College going. In line with this new awakening the Executive Committee of your Alumni Association at a recent meeting decided to adopt the slogan, "Every alumnus a contributor every year." Detailed plans and objectives will be worked out at subsequent meetings. But, Fellow-Alumni, this is an idea that we must sell; first of all we must sell it to ourselves as alumni and then to every friend of Christian education. Our goal can be no less than this new slogan. Your Executive committee does not intend to harass you or attempt to "high power" you, but, in line with what other alumni associations also feel imperative, they are justified in presenting the needs of your Alma Mater and urging the moral and financial support of every alumnus — not spasmodically, not intermittently, but incessantly. Not for one year, or for five years; but for the full extent of your earning period. And by that time your sons and daughters must be prepared to take up the burden. Colleges don't "just grow" like Topsy; somebody gets behind them with real push and makes them go.

CAMPUS NOTES

Olive G. Wyse, '26, was granted the degree of master of science in home economics at the University of Iowa in June. She has returned to the campus to resume her duties as head of the department of home economics.

Professor and Mrs. Samuel W. Witmer, '14 (Sana Troyer, '14), and Mildred, have moved to Bloomington, Indiana, where Professor Witmer is continuing his graduate work in the biological sciences at Indiana University.

Dean Harold S. Bender attended the sessions of the Mennonite General Conference at Hesston, Kansas, August 20-25, speaking at Zimmerdale, Kansas (Pennsylvania Church), on "A Scriptural Peace Testimony," Sunday evening, August 20. On Tuesday August 22, he spoke on "Our Bible Schools as a means of Training Workers," on the Board of Education program of General Conference. He delivered an address, "The Founding of the Mennonite Church," at the Sugar Creek church near Wayland, Iowa, Saturday evening, August 26. On Saturday forenoon, October 7, he attended a meeting of the Mennonite Central Committee at Philadelphia and in the evening delivered an address at the Souderton (Pa.) Mennonite church on "The Mennonite Settlements at Germantown and Skippack." The program was sponsored by the local Mennonite historical society at Souderton in commemoration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the landing of the first Mennonites in Pennsylvania, October 6, 1683.

C. L. Graber moved from Wayland, Iowa, on September 1 to assume his new duties as financial manager of the College. Mr. Graber served as cashier of the Wayland State bank of Wayland, Iowa, for the eighteen months of his residence there. He was recently promoted to the vice-presidency and released from active duties in the bank to come to Goshen. The Wayland Bank was the only one in the county that opened immediately after the President's Bank Holiday and one of twenty-eight in the entire state of Iowa. The return of Mr. Graber to the College marks the beginning of a new financial policy. Heretofore the business manager of Goshen College has had direct

charge of disbursements only. In the new office of financial manager Mr. Graber divides his time between the College finances and promotion work in the field, his duties including not only the disbursement of funds but also the solicitation of funds. This close coordination of College finances and general promotion work concentrates responsibility in a way that has not been attempted before.

In addition to his other duties Mr. Graber has been elected pastor of the College congregation for the coming year.

Ministers enrolled in the College include: Nelson Litwiller, '25, Mennonite, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A.; Lee Lantz, Central Conference Mennonite, Middlebury, Indiana; Thurman Mott, Methodist Episcopal, Middlebury, Indiana; J. S. Pritchard, Evangelical, Syracuse, Indiana; S. S. Yoder, Central Conference Mennonite, Middlebury, Indiana.

The youngest student enrolled in the College is sixteen and the oldest sixty, but the average age is twenty-one. Sixteen religious denominations are represented. Considerably more than half of the students are Mennonites and only three are members of no religious group. The total enrollment is two hundred ten.

President Sanford C. Yoder completed his work at Winona Lake School of Theology on August 11 and was granted the degree of Master of Arts in Theology. He left immediately for the West. During the trip he filled preaching appointments at the Lower Deer Creek Church and Daytonville Church near Wellman, Iowa. He also attended General Conference at Hesston, Kansas, visited at the Mennonite Hospital at La-Junta, Colorado, and attended the sessions of the Iowa-Nebraska Conference held at Shickley, Nebraska. He is now enrolled at the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary in Chicago, where he plans to complete his work for the B. D. degree next June.

ANNUAL DUES

Your dues may be paid at any time most convenient for you. Recent alumni whose names do not appear in the old directory can make a new directory possible this year by paying their dues promptly. The following alumni have paid their dues since the July issue of the *News Letter* was printed:

Mrs. Nellie Y. Kuttruff, (Nellie Yoder, '16), Blythe, California; Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Oesch, '10 (Elva Garber, '08), Bristol, Indiana; Clara Schertz, ex-'31, Bradford, Illinois; H. G. Good, '22, and Mrs. H. G. Good (Wilma Smucker, '21) Flint, Michigan; William E. Landis, '14, Sterling, Illinois; Bessie C. Moyer, '30, Perkasie, Pa.; Captain Gerard F. Price, '28, Chicago, Illinois; Dr. Benjamin Gerig, '17, Geneva, Switzerland, (two years); Rev. Frank Hartman, ex-'01, Ludlow, Kentucky.

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

The name of Melvin Gingerich, '26, Washington, Iowa, was inadvertently omitted from the list of alumni printed in the July *News Letter* as contributors to the current expense fund of the College during 1932-33.

GRADUATE BIBLE COURSE

The first year of a graduate biblical and theological course is being offered by the Bible department of the College. The work is the equivalent of the first year of the regular theological seminary course, with work in Greek and Hebrew, church history, biblical interpretation, systematic theology and practical theology. In addition to the regular members of the Bible department, (President Yoder, Dean Bender, and Professor Enss), Nelson J. Litwiller, B. D., missionary on furlough from South America, is assisting in the work of the Bible school. Five regular graduate students are enrolled: John Coffman, '33; Orie A. Miller, '33; Ezra Beachy, '33; Nieman Brunk, '31; and Sarah Esch, '33. John C. Wenger, '34, and Samuel Swartz, '34, are enrolled in the same courses as undergraduates.

ELKHART BRANCH

The College has established a strong extension program in Elkhart, offering one year of freshman college work in that city. The work was planned in consultation with the superintendent of schools and the principal of the high school as well as the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. It is intended to accomodate high school graduates who desire to attend college but find it impossible to do so because of financial difficulties. Thirteen students, nine men and four women, are taking advantage of the opportunity to secure freshman college work of standard grade in the home community at a very low cost. Dr. Paul Bender is director of the Elkhart Branch. Dr. Glen Miller teaches general chemistry; Dr. Edward Yoder, elementary German; Professor Samuel Yoder, European history and English composition; and Dr. Paul Bender, college algebra. Classes meet from 8:00 to 10:40 A. M. five days a week. Students enrolled in hemistry come to Goshen for the laboratory work. All classes meet at the Elkhart Y. M. C. A. building, the Y. M. C. A. furnishing study hall and lecture room facilities at a nominal cost.

TEACHER TRAINING COURSE BY CORRESPONDENCE

A new service is being offered the con-

stituency of Goshen College by the creation of a Sunday School Teacher Training Department. The College is affiliated with the Evangelical Teacher Training Association and is offering the courses outlined by them and also the similar courses outlined by the General Sunday School Committee of the Mennonite Church.

The Elementary Teacher Training Course is offered by correspondence and is being given also in Extension Classes in churches surrounding Goshen. The course consists of six subjects: Old Testament Law and History, Old Testament Poetry and Prophecy, New Testament Studies, Sunday School Pedagogy, A Study of the Pupil and Sunday School Administration.

The correspondence work and extension classes are taught by Paul Mininger. He has classes at three different centers, two of which meet two evenings a week and the third meets once a week. Anyone interested in this work may address Paul Mininger, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana.

MEETING OF IOWA ALUMNI

On the evening of July fourteenth, the Goshen College alumni and ex-students of Iowa held a reunion in Sunset Park, Washington, Iowa. About eighty people from various points in Iowa were present. After a picnic supper a short program was enjoyed. J. D. Graber and G. F. Hershberger spoke on the following subjects respectively: "Culture for Service" and "Goshen in Iowa." A permanent organization was effected in the form of a continuation committee. This committee is composed of Omar J. Rhodes, president, Elizabeth Graber, vice-president, and Samuel Hershberger, secretary-treasurer. The committee was elected for one year and is responsible for a similar reunion some time next summer.

Those present at the reunion this year were:

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graber and daughters, Ella Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Blosser, Mrs. C. A. Wenger, Clara Yoder, Blanche Ropp, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fry, Alice L. Aeby, Ruby Bontrager. Mary Bontrager, Gilbert Johnstone, Katie M. Reber, Olive G. Wyse, Aldine Sutter, Fannie Eiman, Rozetta Ropp, Alta Housour, Esther Graber, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Herner, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Reschly, Homer J. Hershberger, Clark Brenneman, Glen Guengerich, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hershberger and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis R. Zook, Elizabeth Graber, Marie Yoder, Mary Hershberger, Ida Yoder, Lydia Hershberger, Paul Guengerich, Omar J. Rhodes, Virgil Blosser, Lewis Powell, Edward Burkholder, Hannah Good, Dorothy Miller, Mrs. L. J. Powell, Katie Rhodes, Vera Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gerig, Ella Fisher, Barbara Hershberger, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stoltzfus, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, Laurine Miller, Edna Hershberger Martha Swartzendruber, Mabel Detweiler, Clarence Wyse, Edith Hirschy, Nina Miller Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graber, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Eigsti, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gingerich, William Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hershberger, Clifford Fisher, Orie A. Miller, Samuel Hershberger.

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Following is a list of those who attended the August Reunion for the annual basket dinner and social afternoon in Kulp Hall dining room. Only new addresses are given.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Unsicker, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Zook, Mary E. Hooley, P. A. Hauder, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kennell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Yoder, John E. Bender, Robert Bender, Ida L. Eby, Plymouth, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gerig, Maude Miller, Florence Bender, W. Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Greenwalt, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oesch, Mrs. C. B. Blosser, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hooley, C. P. Martin, Rev. and Mrs. Charles L. Haney, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hertzler, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lehman, Mrs. E. S. Mullett, Mrs. C. Maurer, Carrie E. Maurer, Mrs. M. C. Lehman, Rudy Senger, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Slagel, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith, 464 E. Exchange St., Akron, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kurtz, Frank Kurtz, Mrs. J. M. Yoder, Nora Hershberger, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler, A. S. Ebersole, C. L. Shank, Lydia Belle Miller, Elizabeth Yoder, J. E. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gerber, Elizabeth Kurtz, Lucinda Hartzler, Anna E. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer, Martha Martn, W. H. Christophel, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ebersole, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brunk, L. J. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Y. King, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stemen, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Witmer, Fannie B. Shantz, Mrs. W. R. Roupp, Silas L. Albrecht, Mrs. F. S. Ebersole, Florence Neff, Bernice Jones, Rev. H. E. Nunemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Diller, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Dr. H. L. Eby, University of Southern Calif, Los Angeles, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. John Umble.

WESTERN OHIO ALUMNI REUNION

Sixty alumni, present and prospective students of Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana, met at the Ohio Caverns on Saturday, September 9, for the first annual western Ohio reunion. At noon a basket lunch was served in the pavilion near the entrance to the cave. After lunch Eli Stoltzfus of the class of 1922, acting as chairman, called the meeting to order for a brief business session and an informal program. The alumni voted unanimously to hold the second annual reunion in August, 1934, at a time and place to be decided upon by the local reunion committee. Mr. Chauncey G. Smucker, of the class of 1929 and Mr. Loren S. King, of the class of 1931, were elected president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the committee on arrangements for the 1934 reunion. The leading addresses of the af-

ternoon program were by S. C. Plank on "The Ideals of Goshen College," and by Richard Yoder on "Goshen College As I Expect to Find It." Short talks were given also by Katie Smucker, Leona Yoder, Elsa Shank, Leland Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey G. Smucker, Mrs. Irvin Kauffman, Eli Stoltzfus and others. The program closed with the singing of the Goshen College loyalty song led by Professor B. F. Hartzler.

Out of town visitors present for the reunion were: Esther Leininger, Elkhart, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. John Umble and Professor B. F. Hartzler, Goshen, Indiana; Evelyn and Blanche Brenneman, Elida, Ohio; Leland Brenneman, Vernon Swartz, Fred Stalter, and Anna Mary Stalter, Lima, Ohio; Katie Smucker, Smithville, Ohio; Irene Smucker, Cable, Ohio; Frank Umble, Stillwater, Oklahoma; Mrs. J. F. Kanagy and son, Gene, Biglerville, Pa.; Ruth Yoder, Eugene Harbaugh and Luella Hostetler, Bellefontaine, Ohio; Elsa Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A.; and Sarah Esch, Dhamtari, C. P. India. (As reported in the *West Liberty Banner.*)

WEDDING BELLS

Walter Hooley and Esther Landis, ex-'29, were married at the Elkhart church on August 20, 1933.

Professor Daniel S. Gerig, 1137 South Eighth Street, Goshen, and Mrs. Ruth Umble (Ruth Landis, '12) were united in marriage on August 3, by the Rev. G. T. Soldner of the Eighth Street Mennonite church at the parsonage, 605 South Seventh Street. The bride has been a teacher in the Elkhart township schools at Waterford for the past several years. The groom is a member of the Goshen high school teaching staff. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gerig spent several weeks in eastern Canada and New England.

Ora M. Keiser, '31, and Alta Brenneman, '30, were united in marriage, June 28, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brenneman, Wellman, Iowa. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Simon Gingerich, Wayland, Iowa.

On August 1, at the Crown Hill Mennonite Church near Marshallville, Ohio, Stanford Mumaw, ex-'31, Dalton, Ohio, and Lavina Hilty, Marshallville, Ohio, were united in marriage, Noah Hilty, brother of the bride officiating.

Dr. Jonathan Yoder, '28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silvanus Yoder, Middlebury, Indiana, and Fyrne Miller, '30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Miller, Walnut Creek, Ohio, former instructor in home economics at Goshen College, were united in marriage at the home of the bride by I. W. Royer, '00, Orrville, Ohio, on September 2. Dr. Yoder is an interne at the Fort Wayne, Indiana, hospital.

Edwin Ira Weaver, '30, Hesston, Kansas, and Elizabeth Irene Lehman, '32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage by the bride's father on Saturday, September 9, at a pretty ceremony on the College campus just south of the Adelphian Rockery. Over one hundred fifty invited guests were present. The young couple attended the Biblical Seminary in New York last year. Following the wedding ceremony they spent several weeks at the Michigan lakes and then assumed charge of the Chicago Home Mission where they will be stationed for the coming year.

Arthur Roth, '33, Wayland, Iowa, and Mary Musselman, '33, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Musselman, ex-'02, Ortanna, Pennsylvania, were united in marriage at the bride's home, September 2. After spending several days at Mr. Musselman's beautiful cottage on Chesapeake Bay, the young couple left for Iowa, stopping at the College for several days. Mr. Roth, first tenor on last year's well-known Varsity Four, is continuing his voice training at the University of Iowa.

Jacob Sudermann, '31, and Hilda Byler '35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Byler, Kalvesta, Kansas, were united in marriage at the bride's home by the groom's father, G. H. Enss on Saturday, August 26. Mr. and Mrs. Sudermann reside in Goshen. Mr. Sudermann is employed at the Western Rubber Company and Mrs. Sudermann is enrolled as a junior in the College.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Ellen Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hershberger, '23 (Dula Roth, '29), Goshen, Indiana, was born at the Goshen City Hospital August 23.

Coral Delos, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hostetler (Gladys Bontrager, ex-'29), 510 Capitol Boulevard, Elkhart, Indiana, was born August 15.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. David Liechty, '27 (Helen Yoder, ex-'31), Route 3, Urbana, Ohio.

NECROLOGY

Henry Ebersole was born in Washington Co., Maryland, January 19, 1859; died July 19, 1933. On December 23, 1879, he was united in marriage to Mary A. Strite. Funeral services were held at the home and at the Miller Mennonite church near Leitersburg, Maryland. He was the father of Professor Amos S. Ebersole, head of the music department at Heidelberg College, Tiffin, Ohio.

Barbara Ellen (Allgyer) Yoder, ex-'05, born August 4, 1885, died July 31, 1933. She was the second daughter of Bishop and Mrs. S. E. Allgyer, was married to Earl M. Yoder, ex-'08, West Liberty, Ohio, January

2, 1912, and is survived by her parents, her husband, two sons, and two daughters, three brothers: J. Roy, '15; S. Maurice, ex-'27; John M., ex-'29, all of Columbus, Ohio, and three sisters: Mrs. N. E. Troyer, West Liberty, Ohio; Mrs. A. R. Eschliman (Anna Mary, '20), Freeman, South Dakota; and Mrs. J. G. Baumgartner (Ruth, ex-'27), Princeton, New Jersey. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, West Liberty, Ohio.

PERSONALS

On account of a reduction in contributions, the executive committee of the Mission Board decided to defer the sailing of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graber, '25 (Minnie Swartzendruber, ex-'27), and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Brenneman, '33 (Millie Page Brenneman, '33), to India until next June. Dr. and Mrs. Brenneman spent part of the summer at Tofield, Alberta.

The Anglo-Indian telephone service has been extended so that it is now possible for missionaries in the American Mennonite Mission at Dhamtari to call friends in America through the exchange at Raipur.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sudermann, '31, (Hilda Byler,, '35), were received into the College congregation on Sunday, September 24.

Professor D. A. Lehman continues his active service on the instructional staff. He has organized a large and enthusiastic evening class in astronomy.

Esther Brunk, '27, visited on the campus over the week-end of September 24.

Mildred Schrock, ex-'36, Smithville, Ohio, is teaching the second grade in the Rittman, Ohio, schools.

Arthur Blough, ex-'30, Boswell, Pa., is teaching in the junior high school at that place. Mr. Blough has been continuing his academic studies at the University of Pittsburg working toward the bachelor's degree.

Mabel Roth, '30, returned to her work as teacher of the third and fourth grades at South River, New Jersey, early in September after spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Roth on College Avenue.

Mrs. Ora Keiser (Alta Brenneman, '30), is chorister of the Lower Deer Creek Sunday school near Kalona, Iowa.

Lela Zook, Summer School 1929, is a teacher in the Larned, Kansas, schools.

Tillman Erb, '27, attended the University of Colorado at Boulder during the 1933 Summer Session.

Alvin Yordy, '22, attended Kansas University this summer completing the requirements for the M. A. degree.

Alta Housour, '31, Hesston, Kansas, took a short trip to Virginia and Pennsylvania after spending six weeks in summer school at the University of Iowa.

Raymond J. Schertz, '22, gave an interesting address on the "Survey of the Quarterly Meetings Origin and Work" at the one hundredth quarterly meeting of the Metamora (Illinois), Roanoke, Pleasant Hill, and Peoria Mennonite Sunday schools held at the Pleasant Hill church, July 16, 1933.

At the thirtieth annual worker's meeting held at Lower Deer Creek church near Kalona, Iowa, July 4, Paul Mininger, '34, was one of the moderators and Katie Reber, '31, secretary.

James Steiner, '32, North Lima, Ohio, has resigned his teaching position in the Mahoning county, Ohio, schools to accept a full scholarship (one-half cash and one-half service) in the Biblical Seminary, 235 East Forty-ninth Street, New York City.

Marie De Bolt, '32, is teaching music and art in the Wheaton, Illinois, high school. Her address is 426 East Harrison Avenue.

Rev. H. E. Nunemaker, '21, continues his pastorate at the Tiskilwa, Illinois, Central Conference Mennonite church.

Wallace Miller, '27, was granted the degree of doctor of philosophy by the University of Iowa in June.

Sam J. Schmidt, '31, who has been teaching in the Marion, South Dakota, high school ever since his graduation, visited the campus, August 9.

H. N. Nase, '32, was a visitor on the campus in August. He is principal of the Trumbauersville, Pa., elementary school and teaches the seventh and eighth grades.

Joseph D. Graber, '25, is continuing his study at Princeton University during the coming year after spending a busy summer rendering a high type of service to the Church in many places and in various kinds of work.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen King, '22, (Edna Thut, ex-'24), Cleveland, Ohio, visited at West Liberty, Ohio, at the homes of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee King and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Thut during the month of August.

Martha Rohrer, ex-'34, taught in the Milton township, Wayne county, Ohio, schools last year and will continue her work there during the year 1933-34.

Maude Byler, '18, spent several weeks visiting relatives and friends at West Liberty, Ohio, this summer. She returned to California again this fall to resume her duties as a teacher in the Los Angeles public schools.

Bishop George J. Lapp, '02, has written a book entirely in the Hindu language. The translation of the title page reads: *Fundamental Doctrines of the Bible Compiled and edited by Bishop Geo. J. Lapp, By Request of the Mennonite Church in India* 1933. The book in nineteen chapters covers the principal points of Christian doctrine. Copies

have been ordered by several Indian missions including the General Conference Mennonite Mission at Champa under the superintendency of Rev. P. A. Penner.

Luella Troyer, ex-'32, attended the 1933 Summer Session of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. She continues as teacher of the first grade in the Salem township schools at Kings Creek, Ohio, during the present year. Other alumni teaching in the Salem township schools are Leona Yoder, ex-'35; Catharine Thoman, ex-'32; Grace Zook, ex-'33.

Lillie Esch, '32, Mio, Michigan, visited the campus July 29. She taught home economics in the Fairview, Michigan, high school last year and expects to take up the nurses training course at the Mennonite hospital, La Junta, Colorado, in September. She expects to be able to complete the course in two years. Her sister, Esther, '31, began the same course two years ago and plans to graduate next spring.

"Twenty-five Years Ago" in the *Goshen Daily News Times* for June 15, 1908, carried the following item:

Commencement at College

Robert L. Kelly, president of Earlham college and a member of the state board of education addressed the graduating class of Goshen college Friday evening. The list of graduates is as follows:

College: Joseph Wenger Shank, Elva Alice Garber, Delta May Kauffman, Mamie Melissa Yoder, Mabelle Nancy Yoder, Purl Roy Zook, Harry Gehman Good, Arthur Kauffman Rupp, William Ebersole, Elva Winifred Greenawalt.

Academy, Ada Kauffman, Aaron Regier, Peter Hauder, Maude Alice Warye.

Commercial, William Henry Kapp, Elwood Edward Landis, Ina Butterbaugh, Mary Method, Margaret Elizabeth Jenkinson, Samuel Bemenderfer.

Commercial certificates, Mary Monica Collins, Silvierie Swogger.

John M. Allgyer, ex-'29, has been appointed land appraiser for the Virginia Joint Stock Land Bank in Ohio with headquarters at Columbus, Ohio.

Frank Umble, ex-'31, official test cow milker in the dairy department of A. and M. College, Stillwater, Oklahoma, spent his vacation in September visiting friends and relatives at West Liberty, Ohio, Goshen, Indiana, and Lansing, Kansas. He has just won his fourth silver medal for A. and M. College with a two year old Jersey heifer that made 580 pounds of butterfat in twelve months.

Bert Smith, '16, and the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Smith (Edna Metzler, '11), spent the week July 16-23 camping in southern Ohio, West Virginia, and Kentucky. During the following week, he and his mother made a trip to Jamesport, Missouri, their former home, and other points in the West.

Freeman Gingerich, '31, R. R. 1, Waterloo, Ontario, has attended the Waterloo branch of the University of Western Ontario during the past two years and hopes to be able to enroll in the Normal School in Stratford or Hamilton for the present school year.

Rev. Frank Hartman, ex-'02, 421 Classon Court, Ludlow, Kentucky, is president of the Greater Cincinnati Writer's League and of a Poets Union, but he does not let his many duties cause him to forget to send in his alumni dues for 1933.

John F. O'Hearn, Summer School 1931, is working toward his master's degree at the University of Washington.

Zelta Ramseyer, ex-'34, taught in the Stark county, Ohio, schools last year.

The address of Mrs. H. R. Ditzel (Naomi Reisner, ex-'03), is 6036 Harper Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzler, ex-'03, Goshen, Indiana, attended the Byler reunion at Newcastle, Pa., in August.

On August 30, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Dykstra returned to their home at Patterson, New Jersey, where Mr. Dykstra is employed as a teacher in the public schools. Mr. Dykstra, '31, assisted by Dorothy Hoogenboom, ex-'35, conducted a four week's vacation Bible school in the East Goshen school building during August. Miss Hoogenboom attended Wheaton College last year and is continuing her work there during 1933-34.

Bert H. Smith, '15, formerly of North Canton, Ohio, has been promoted to a district-managership with headquarters at Akron, Ohio. His new address is 464 East Exchange Street, Akron.

Rev. George Philips, '13, and family spent the early part of September at the home of his parents on the Fish Lake road east of Goshen. His father had been seriously ill with pneumonia, but is slowly regaining his health. On September 8, Rev. Philips returned to his home at Danville, Ohio, where he is the pastor of the Church of the Brethern.

Robert Miller, ex-'36, formerly with the Kline store in Goshen is now employed at the Galesburg Store, Galesburg, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Keiser, '31 (Alta Brenneman, '30), are teaching rural schools in Johnson county, Iowa.

Sarah Esch, '33, assisted in the vacation Bible school at Hespeler, Ontario, for two weeks in July.

J. W. Swope, '33, is employed in the Hertzler and Zook factory, manufacturers of agricultural equipment, at Belleville, Pennsyvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos J. Fett, ex-'05, (Mary Speicher, ex-'06), left West Liberty, Ohio, September 22, for their new home on a farm near Harlingen, Cameron county,

Texas, accompanied by their daughter, Mary Eleanor, and their sons, John N. and Emil. A few days earlier they sold all their property, real and personal, at public sale.

Vera Snyder, ex-'34, is teaching the Boone rural school at Sharon, Iowa. This is the school where President Sanford C. Yoder began his career as a teacher years ago.

Ross Gerber, '33, is teaching the sixth grade at Sugar Creek, Ohio.

Mary Hertzler, ex-'36, is employed as bookkeeper in the Hertzler and Zook factory at Belleville, Pa.

Marie Yoder, ex-'34, is teaching the Snake Hollow school near Kalona, Iowa.

Edna Amstutz, ex-'36, entered nurses training at the La Junta, Colorado, Mennonite hospital in September.

Abram Hallman, '31, is employed by the Highland Shoe Company, Akron, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, '08 (Emma Hershey, '09), and their youngest son, Pablo, are scheduled to sail for South America from New Orleans on the S. S. Del Sud on October 28.

Professor and Mrs. E. J. Camp, '28, (Lois Lapp, '30) reside at 6547 South Union Avenue, Chicago. Professor Camp is continuing his graduate work in mathematics at the University of Chicago. He has previously spent one year at Harvard University and one at the University of Chicago.

Dorothy Smith, '33, is doing graduate work in English at Indiana University.

Mrs. Leonard Kreider (Rachel Weaver, '31), was granted unconditional graduate standing on entering Ohio State University in September.

Eli Stoltzfus, '22, doing part time work in Carnegie Institute of Technology has unusual preparation for high school teaching and would prefer that type of work. Don't some of you school administrators need a good man? Mr. Stoltzfus is licensed in Ohio to teach physical science, shop work, mechanical drawing, social studies and English. His Pennsylvania license covers all of the above and in addition vocational guidance, vocational counsel and Smith-Hughes in auto mechanics. His present address is West Liberty, Ohio.

The "Twenty-five Years Ago" column of the *Goshen Daily News Times and Democrat* for August 31, contained the following item:

The complete faculty for Goshen college has been selected as follows: N. E. Byers, president, philosophy; C. H. Smith, history and social science; E. J. Zook, librarian, Greek and Latin; D. A. Lehman, principal of academy, mathematics and astronomy; J. M. Kurtz, curator of the museum, national sciences; Anna Kauffman, preceptress, English; J. S. Hartzler, dean of the Bible school, Bible and Homiletics; P. E. Whitmer, Bible and theology; J. D. Brunk, director of the school of music, piano, theory and chorus; Ella Delcamp, piano and organ; F. S. Eversole, principal of the school of business, bookkeeping and typewriting; Nancy B. Kulp, shorthand and typewriting; Boyd D. Smucker, director of the school of oratory and gymnasium; Mary Rohrer, matron, grammar and arithmetic; Georgianna Lacy, assistant in botany; I. Clyde Brunk, assistant in music; Alvin J. Miller, assistant in English; Sadie Yoder, assistant in the school of business; Francis Eversole, assistant in the library.

Several alumni took part in the thirty-fourth annual conference session of the Central Conference of Mennonites held at the Clinton community school six miles east of Goshen, Indiana, August 18-21. Rev. R. L. Hartzler, '18, Carlock, Illinois, was secretary, and Walter E. Yoder, '33, Goshen, Indiana, chorister. Speakers on the program included Rev. Earl Salzman, '31 Topeka, Indiana; Noble O. Hoover, '13, superintendent of the Mennonite Hospital, Bloomington, Illinois; Rev. I. R. Detweiler, '11, Bluffton, Ohio; Mrs. Earl Salzman, (Vinora Weaver, '18), Topeka, Indiana; Mrs. Mary Burkhart, (Mollie Yoder, ex-'01), Goshen, Indiana; Rev. H. E. Nunemaker, '21, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Dr. J. F. Hartzler, '10, Bluffton, Ohio; Clara Bohn, ex-'33, Millersburg, Indiana; Rev. W. B. Weaver, Danvers, Illinois; Anna Yoder, '12, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. J. S. Plank, (Olive Nafziger, '12), Goshen, Indiana.

Professor U. Grant Weaver, who resigned as director of elementary teacher training last spring, has remodelled his house on South Eighth Street (formerly the home of President N. E. Byers) making of it a two-apartment dwelling and renting both apartments for the coming winter. Professor and Mrs. Weaver and Herbie left in September for Las Vegas, New Mexico to spend the winter. They find the climate pleasant and their new location very congenial.

Alumni appearing on the program of the one hundred and fourth quarterly mission meeting at the Oak Grove church near West Liberty, Ohio, on October 1, were: S. C. Plank, ex-'11; Dorothy Detweiler, ex-'35; and Eli Stoltzfus, '22.

Mary Gingerich, ex-'34, was employed at the Bashor Children's Home west of Goshen, Indiana, during the past summer.

Ray S. Lantz, '22, principal of the schools at Chalmers, Indiana, received the M.A. degree from the University of Chicago at the close of the summer quarter. His thesis, "Methods of Purchasing School Supplies in Thirty-two School Systems of Indiana," is the most exhaustive study that has yet been made in that field, and will make an important contribution in the solution of some of the economic problems of the public schools. Mr. Lantz also had the honor of being elected a member of the Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity.

Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-'26, after spending a brief vacation at his home in Goshen

following a summer term of teaching at the University of Wisconsin, returned to the university early in September to resume his duties as instructor in economics. Mr. Gerig is also continuing his study of law.

Earle Brilhart, '33, Scottdale, Pa., is spending an entire year in Upland, California, with his parents, brothers and sisters. The family visited in Goshen for a week in August, then moved west via automobile and camp trailer, intending to stop at Hesston, Kansas, and other points.

Irene Eschliman, '33, is teaching a rural school near Dalton, Ohio.

All the members of the family of Mrs Elsie K. Bender, South Main Street, Goshen, spent a few days at home together during July. Dean and Mrs. Harold S. Bender, '18 (Elizabeth Horsch, '18), and daughter Elizabeth reside in Goshen; Wilbur, ex-'26, is dean of freshmen at Harvard University; Dr. Cecil K., '29, is an interne at the Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Ohio; John, '30, is a teacher in the Glenmont, Ohio, schools; Robert, '32, is a freshman in Harvard Medical College, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Mrs. James Sheldon Turner (Violet, ex-'25) is librarian in the Philadelphia School for Social Service; Florence, '22, is doing part time work teaching home economics in the College.

Earl C. Mast, ex-'30, Millersburg, Ohio, is entering the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University this fall.

J. H. Eberly, '28, has changed his teaching location and is now employed in the Germano, Ohio, public schools.

Lula Smith, '28, and her sister have purchased the Variety Store in Eureka, Illinois, and will assume personal management of the store.

Verna Schertz, '33, is teaching a rural school near Roanoke, Illinois.

Dr. Wallace Miller, '27, is research assistant in biological science at the University of Iowa. Mrs. Miller was Ada Smith, ex-'29, Eureka, Illinois.

Milton Smith, '28, is teaching in the junior high school at Springfield, Pa., a suburb of Philadelphia, and is continuing graduate study at the University of Pennsylvania.

Several alumni are teaching rural schools in central Illinois: Mabelle Smith, ex-'30, seventh and eighth grades at Goodfield; Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, the home school near Metamora; Laverne Schertz, ex-'34, and Alverda Schertz, ex-'34, near Washington; Thelma Oyer, ex-'33, near Roanoke; and Ferne Smith, ex-'35, near Eureka.

Clarence L. Murray, ex-'09, formerly county superintendent of schools in Lagrange county now director of teacher training and licensing of the Indiana State Department of Public Instruction, spent Saturday, September 23, at the College, on business for the state department.

Arlene Yoder, '31, is teaching piano at her home in West Liberty, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Emmert (Marion Hamm, ex-'35), have purchased the Donovan cleaning and dyeing establishment at the corner of Fifth Street and Lincoln Avenue and are prepared to do all kinds of cleaning, pressing and dyeing.

Alice Gerig, ex-'32 (A.B., Bluffton College, '32) is employed at the home of the dean of Wooster college, Wooster, Ohio.

Harriet Rummel, ex-'35, entered DePauw University in September.

Leon Greenwalt, ex-'35, entered Ripon college, Ripon, Wisconsin, early in September, but not finding the atmosphere congenial transferred to Oberlin college, Oberlin, Ohio, two weeks later.

Inez Hauder, ex-'36, Dorthea Yoder, ex-'36, Lucille Weaver, ex-'36, Grace Thornton, ex-'36, and Lloyd Hess, ex-'36, who took the first year of elementary teacher training in Goshen college during 1932-1933, are completing the second year at Manchester college this year.

Dr. Benjamin Gerig, '17, United States representative on the secretariat of the League of Nations, expects to visit the homeland during the coming year.

Ada Burkhart, '32, has assumed her duties as supervisor of the surgical floor at the La Junta (Colorado) Mennonite hospital. She and her sister Gladys, '32, motored to La Junta in August.

Frances Hostetler, ex-'33, is music supervisor in the Reedsville, Pa., schools. She graduated from Juniata college in June.

MODEL SCHOOL

The model school conducted at the College in connection with the elementary teacher training program during the 1933 Summer Session closed for the season on July 21. The model school has become a permanent feature of the Summer Session and serves the double purpose of providing observation and practice teaching facilities for cadet teachers and of affording an opportunity for boys and girls to review some of the common school branches during the vacation months.

Professor U. Grant Weaver, A.M., supervised the arithmetic classes and Miss Mary Royer, A.M., Orrville, Ohio, the reading. Professor Weaver was also responsible for the observation and teaching conference.

The elementary teacher training department is becoming one of the indispensible features of the Summer Session. Mary Royer, '30, taught the teaching of reading. Professor Weaver offered courses in tests and measurements, teaching of spelling, and teaching of arithmetic.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

JOHN UMBLE ---------- Editor

The Alumni Office extends best wishes for a ppy and prosperous New Year.

In order to accomodate certain mecessary re-justments in the bulletin schedule, this issue the ALUMNI NEWS LETTER appears as the De-ber instead of the January number of the *shen College Bulletin.* The forms closed on cember 16, at any rate. Hence the change in te involves but little change in the contents.

CAMPUS NOTES

The Annual Winter Bible School of five weeks gan January 3 and will continue to February 6, 4. The instructors are President S. C. Yoder, Silas Hertzler, Nelson Litwiller, M. C. Lehman, alter Yoder, Mrs. Pearl Klopfenstein Miller.

Dean Willard Smith, '28, professor of history, ompanied by several of his students, attended meeting of the Indiana Historical Society at lianapolis, December 7 and 8.

Dean H. S. Bender, '18, attended a meeting of Mennonite Central Committee in Chicago, Dec. in the interests of the colonization of Russian nnonite Refugees in South America. On Oct. Dean Bender gave an address in Assembly Hall a meeting of the Mennonite Historical Society on coming of the Mennonites to Germantown in ober, 1683. The event was held in cele-tion of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary he beginning of Mennonite colonization in Am-a. In November he delivered an address on rmany and World Peace" before the Goshen ary Club and also before the Church Forum l at the First M. E. Church in Goshen.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, attended the annual vention of Indiana State teachers at Indian-lis, October 19-20. He also attended the an-l Indiana critic teachers conference at Bloom-on, November 9 and 10.

Professor Arthur Sprunger, '22 and his art ses, sponsored an art exhibit — colored prints asterpieces by the great masters, old and new luring the 1933 homecoming season.

During the regular class hour on Friday after-n of homecoming, Professor Walter E. Yoder, gave an illustrated lecture on Bach's *The ion According to St. Matthew* and Bach's *Mass Minor.* The music department has recently ired the records for these two classics for use he class in "Music Appreciation". The Ortho-ic renders them perfectly. On Friday evening, 17, Professor Yoder lectured to a large and eciative audience on Bach's *Passion* illustrating with the records played on the orthophonic and at the same time projecting the words on a screen.

On Friday evening of homecoming after the concert by the Eureka Jubilee Singers, the home economics department served, restaurant style, in the home economics rooms: toasted cheese sandwiches, bacon and egg sandwiches (hot), ice cream sundaes, pineapple and chocolate, lemon orange sherbert, pumpkin pie, cocoa and coffee. Over a hundred guests were served and the department realized a neat sum from the project.

The students of the elementary teacher training department, under the direction of Miss Mary Royer, '30, entertained the homecoming teachers. A kindergarten-primary school room was equipped on the basis of a young child's interests. The geography students reviewed their units of work on pioneer and Indian life. Miss Dorothy Deardorff, primary supervisor of the Goshen public schools, and her second grade from Chandler School were guests of the department on Dec. 6. The excursion was in charge of Idella Zuercher, cadet teacher with Miss Deardorff. The students were delighted with the children's reactions to the various centers of interest in the model schoolroom.

At a recent meeting of the faculty the meeting voted to continue the Elkhart branch next year 1934-35 and to offer two full years of work instead of one as this year.

Professor Nelson Litwiller, '25, makes bi-weekly trips to Chicago to hold services on Friday and Sunday evenings for the group of Mexicans first discovered and served by J. W. Shank, '11, last year. His intervening Sundays are all engaged from now to the end of the semester.

C. L. Graber, business manager of the college, spent the first part of the school year in arranging for the finances of Goshen College and laying plans for the present school year. He has made five extended trips in the interests of the College since September. The first one took him to eastern Pennsylvania, the second into Ontario, the third into northern Illinois and Iowa, the fourth through Ohio, and the fifth through central Illinois. He reports unusual interest in Goshen College and a surprising generosity on the part of the church constituency. Even though general prices have not increased a great deal, people are learning to live on a smaller income and again have a margin from which to contribute to worthy causes.

President Sanford C. Yoder attended the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary at Chicago during the first quarter of the school year begin-

ning on September 11. He spent most of his weekends at the college looking after the affairs of his office. President Yoder is planning to be in residence at the Seminary also during the last quarter, at which time he plans to complete the work for the B.D. degree. On November 4 he attended a meeting of the Hospital Board at La Junta, Colorado and the week end of Nov. 10-13 he was at Milford, Nebraska, looking after the interests of the Mission Board and preaching in the churches of that community. He also attended the Missionary Meeting at the Weaverland Church near Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on December 2 and filled preaching appointments at Landis Valley, the Old Peoples' Home, Millersville, Elizabethtown, and Scottdale the days following.

Barbara Coffman, '32, librarian of the College, has found it necessary to discontinue her work and to return home. She is to undergo a thyroid operation in January and will probably not be able to resume her duties at the College before March or April.

Paul C. Stetson, superintendent of schools, Indianapolis, Ind., and president of the department of superintendence of the Nat'l. Educ. Association has announced at association headquarters, at Washington, D. C., that Dr. Silas Hertzler, professor of education and registrar at Goshen College, Goshen, Ind., has been appointed a member of a national committee on a comprehensive program of public education. This committee will meet and report at the Cleveland convention of the department of superintendence, February 24,-March 1, 1934. *Goshen Daily News Times and Democrat.*

ANNUAL DUES

The following have made the secretary happy by paying their dues since October 1: Fern Ann Umble, Cleveland, Ohio; Howard Y. Musselman, Orrtanna, Pa; Allen Y. King, Cleveland, O; Mrs. Howard Y. Musselman, Orrtanna, Pa.; Harley M. Hunsicker, Bangor, Pa; Viola S. Good; Elvina Cressman; Nelson Bechtel, Hespeler, Ontario.

Dues are payable once a year at your convenience. The office still needs a few more dollars to finance the NEWS LETTER for the year 1933-34; and don't you think we should be setting aside a few dollars each year for a new alumni directory? A new directory should appear in July, 1935.

ALUMNI REUNION AT LA JUNTA

Since the La Junta alumni could not attend the Homecoming at Goshen College, they held a Goshen Reunion at La Junta, Colorado, and made it seem as much like the homecoming banquet as possible. Harvey Driver was toastmaster, Selena Gamber's toast was "Culture," Lily Esch's "For", and Allen H. Erb's, "Service." A male quartet, consisting of Walter Zehr, Harvey Driver, Tillman Erb, and Paul Weaver furnished the music for the evening. Those present were: Paul Weaver, ex-'32, Walter Zehr, ex-'32, Lenna Heatwole, ex-'31, Lilly Esch, '32, Harvey Driver, '30, Charity Yoder, ex-'34, Edna Amstutz, ex-'36, Mrs. D. A. Weaver, Mrs. Paul Hershey (Fannie Shank, '16), Mr. Paul Hershey, Allen H. Erb, '10, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heatwole (Nora Good, ex-'22), Tillma Erb, '27, Elam Zimmerly, ex-'31, Ethel Sinclai ex-'31, Mary Alice Jones, ex-'35, Ada Burkhart, '3 Selena Gamber, '33, and Mary Gross, ex-'34. Th Goshen Alumni of La Junta who could not b present were, Nora Stalter, ex-'29, Ruth Heatwol ex-'31, and Verna Enns, '33. The above grou sent a message to the 1933 Homecoming at Goshe which was read at the dinner by the toastmaster an loudly applauded by the homecomers and student

ANNUAL CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

The Alumni Treasurer and the Business Manager of the College announce receipt of contributions to the Current expense fund from th following alumni. One of the most encouragin features of Goshen College finances at the prese time is the responsibility that an increasing numbe of alumni are regularly assuming with regard to th support of their Alma Mater. The annual appea to alumni was delayed this fall, but the respons is satisfactory to date. The following list is com plete to December 16.

CASH CONTRIBUTIONS:

Irvin Baumann, Columbiana, O; Nelson Bech tel, Hespeler, Ontario; Dr. and Mrs. Fred Brenneman, La Junta, Colo; Earle Brilhart, U land, Calif; C. F. Brunk, Detroit, Mich ; E. Brunk, Biglerville, Pa; H. A. Driver, L Junta, Colo ; Jay H. Eberly, Jewett, O ; Ira Eig sti, Buda, Ill; Anna Hoover, Goshen, In Adelia Hosteler, Nampa, Idaho; James Hostetle Middlefield, O; Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Krabi Louisville, O; David Liechty, Urbana, O; D. Miller, Fentress, Virginia; O. O. Miller, Akro Pa; Dr. S. T. Miller, Elkhart; Allen Y. Kin 3427 Ormond Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohi Mrs. J. A. Ressler, Scottdale, Pa ; C. B. Sho maker, Scottdale, Pa ; Hazel Stauffer, Millersvill Pa; I. A. Rickert, Youngstown, O; J. Herbe Zook, LaPorte, Indiana; J. F. Kanagy, Bigle ville, Pa.; Dr. A. C. Yoder, Goshen.

The following have sent pledges made pa able within the current school year: Mr. and M Allen Ebersole, Shipshewana, Ind; Melvin Gingri Washington, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hc tetler, Flandreau, S. D.; J. F. Kanagy, Bigle ville, Pa; Amasa Kauffman, Goshen; Howa Y. Musselman, Orrtanna, Pa ; C. L. Shank, Middl branch, O ; I. Z. Musselmann, Orrtanna, Pa ; M and Mrs. C. G. Smucker, West Liberty, O; Ho ard Yoder, Smithville, O.

HOMECOMING HIGH LIGHTS

Both in attendance and in number of we planned activities the 1933 Homecoming seems be entitled to be known as the "Bigger and Bette Over four hundred homecomers and friends atte ed one or more programs, and from the time th drove in under the "Welcome" sign that spanned t arch at the entrance until they drove out again t chief lack was time for sleep. An attempt at m than a mere enumeration of activities would c sume too much space. A partial list of Hom comers is printed in the *Goshen College Reco* for December.

Thanksgiving Day.

Annual Thanksgiving service in Assembly H

t 11:00; opening service by Simon W. Sommer, 14; sermon by President Sanford C. Yoder.

Annual Thanksgiving dinner at 12:30; a barel of dressed turkey donated by President Yoder's ousin, A. G. Gingerich, Wellman, Iowa, America's oremost turkey king; dining room decorations in utumn colors, brown and gold, simple but highly ffective, carried out in the wall panels, lights, ornucopia favors, and menu cards; cut-out bronze aper turkeys hitched to large pumpkins at intervals long the tables; a representation of the "Angelus," vith life-sized figures in silhouette and novel lightng effects occupying the west wall; freshman wonen in dainty black and white dresses serving the hree course dinner; Guy F. Hershberger, former ead of the history department, toastmaster; toasts y Orie Eigsti, '31, Irene (Lehman) Weaver, '32, elson Litwiller, '25; and A. W. Geigley, '13.

Program by the college choruses at 8:00 p. m. nder the direction of Professor Walter Yoder to capacity audience.

riday

Regular classes — 7:30 to 3:00.

Chapel address at 11:00, A. W. Geigley, '13, n "Idealism Twenty Years After."

Archery Tournament on Friday — 1:00 to 3:00. Robert W. Shideler won the men's section, scoring wenty-eight hits with thirty arrows and piercing he bull's-eye with every fifth arrow — total score, 42. Gladys Burkhart won the women's section.

Professor Walter E. Yoder lectured on the nusic of Bach at 1:40 to the music classes and isitors; illustrated with complete records of "Pasion According to St. Matthew" and "Mass in B Minor," played on the orthophonic.

Alumni-Varsity Basketball games; women at :15 — Alverda Schertz looped a long one in the ast fifteen seconds of play to break a tie score and vin for the alumni 12-10; men at 4:30 — alumni ead at half 10-9; Atlee Beechy, forward for the omecomers, high point man with eleven points or the game, but Eddie Gerber with nine and Jr. Miller with eight put the varsity on the front end f a 20-17 score.

Eureka Jubilee Singers, Friday evening at 8:00; ight colored artists in negro spirituals and plantation melodies; eycellent program; largest audience to hear a lyceum course number in Assembly Hall in ten years.

Saturday.

The homecomers visited and rested until 2:30 P. M. — they needed it; the Avons and Vesperians vere hostesses at a tea from 2:30 to 4:00 in the Social Room of Kulp Hall. The homecoming social on Saturday evening in Kulp Hall dining room nded the regular schedule of social events. Committee in charge — Roy Umble, '35, La Verne Yoder, '34, and the other members of the social committees of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.; humorous address. Ezra Hershberger, '34, dramatic reading by Bertie Baer, '36, reading with cravon sketch, Retha Hostetler, '36, and Carolyn Hershberger, '36, "Varsity Four," piano trio by Verna Smith, '34, Mrs. Jacob Sudermann, '35, Gertrude Bishop, '36, and men's and women's octettes. Old time members of the men's chorus gathered informally and asked permission to sing "On the Sea" under their former director Professor B. F. Hartzler. By special request Wilbur Schenk, '29 accompanied by Dorothy Smith, '33, Bloomington, Indiana, at the piano, sang "Wind and Wave" and "The Pradigal".

Sunday.

Sunday morning — Sunday school, 9:30; David Plank, deacon of the Roanoke congregation near Eureka, Ill., gave a brief address.

Morning Worship — C. L. Graber, in charge; opening services, Simon W. Sommer, Berlin, Ohio; sermon, Professor G. H. Enss.

Vesper Service, 2:30. Stirring address on "Constructive Living" by Nelson Litwiller, '25.

SECOND GENERATION STUDENTS

The older alumni, especially, will be interested in the following list of "Junior Alumni" registered in the College this year. The name of the parent or parents who have attended the Elkhart Institute or Goshen College follows the name of the student in each case.

Freshmen:

Richard Blosser, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, '05 (Carrie E. Yoder, '05).

Robert Berger, New Paris, Indiana; Rev. H. S. Berger, ex-'08.

Mary Ellen Esch, Dhamtari, C. P. India; Dr. C. D. Esch, '05 (deceased), and Mrs. Mina (Brubaker) Esch, ex-'09.

William Friesen, Jamgaon, via Drug, C. P. India; Mrs. P. A. Friesen (Florence V. Cooprider, '10).

Leon Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Mrs. C. C. Glick (Maggie Yoder, ex-'05).

Margaret Jane Helfrick, Elkhart, Indiana, (Elkhart branch); Mrs. Otto H. Helfrick (Laura Timmins, '99).

Mary Elizabeth Lantz, Middlebury, Indiana; Rev. Lee Lantz, '35.

Harriet Lapp, Dhamtari, C. P., India; Bishop George J. Lapp, '02.

Orden Miller, Springs, Pa.; Bishop N. E. Miller, ex-'12, (deceased).

Lois Miller, Akron, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller, '15 (Elta Wolf, '12).

Lois Oyer, St. Johns, Michigan; Mrs. Daniel S. Oyer (Frances Zook, '99, deceased).

Elizabeth Royer, Orrville, Ohio; I. W. Royer, '00.

Edith Mae Schertz, Roanoke, Illinois; Peter R. Schertz, ex-'08.

Orval Shoemaker, Dakota, Illinois; Arthur Shoemaker, ex-'12.

David Sommer, Millersburg, Ohio; Simon W Sommer, '14.

Lotus Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, ex-'06.

Verna Weldy, Goshen, Indiana; Leander A. Weldy, '03.

Genevieve Yoder, Topeka, Indiana; Edwin J. Yoder, ex-'12.

Harriet Yoder, Goshen, Indiana; Hon. J. S. Yoder, '05.

Sophomores:

Ivan Brunk, Biglerville, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk (Abbie Yoder), ex-'10.

Amy, Frieda, and Justina Enss, 1237 South

Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. Gustav H. Enss.

Mary Carolyn Hershberger, 1111 West King Street, Decatur, Illinois; Mrs. E. S. Hershberger, (Fannie Stutzman) ex-'08.

Lester T. Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, F. C. O., Argentina; T. K. Hershey, ex-'11.

Retha Hostetler, Goshen, Indiana, R. 4; Mrs Charles A. Hostetler (Inez Eash, ex-'11).

Carl Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider (Adelia Stover, special student, 1906).

Angelina McPhail, 360 South Depot Street, Constantine, Michigan; Mrs. Theresa E. McPhail (Theresa E. Thorne, ex-'09).

Lewis Powell Jr., South English, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Powell, '07 (Ida E. Hertzler, ex-'09).

John M. S. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio; Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00.

Lowell Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, ex-'01.

Juniors:

Roy Umble, College Avenue, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. John Umble, '01 (Alice Landis, '01).

Robert Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, '10 (Emma Hershey, '09).

Madlyn Walter, Goshen, Indiana; Professor O. L. Walter (special instructor).

Seniors:

Leland Brenneman, R. 7, Lima, Ohio; Mrs. R. R. Brenneman (Elnora Hilty, ex-'10).

Carolyn Lehman, Dhamtari, C. P., India: M. C. Lehman, '04 (Lydia Liechty, '05), 1225 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana.

Elsie Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, South America; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, (Emma E. Hershey).

Samuel Swartz, R. 1, Elida, Ohio; Mrs. Sherman Swartz (Lydia Stemen, ex-'08).

E. La Verne Yoder, 1139 South Eighth, Goshen, Indiana; President and Mrs. Sanford C. Yoder.

Paul D. Zook, 1133 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. E. J. Zook (Mary Thut).

Graduate:

Sarah Esch, Dhamtari, C. P., India: Dr. C. D. Esch, '06 (deceased), Mrs. C. D. Esch (Mina Brubaker, ex-'09).

Niemann Brunk, Goshen, Indiana; Professor John D. Brunk (deceased).

WEDDING BELLS

On Thursday evening, October 19, 1933, at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop S. F. Allgyer, near West Liberty, Ohio, Forrest E. Kauffman, son of Mrs. Alice Kauffman, and Leah Belle Smucker, '30, daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Smucker, were united in marriage. Their address is RFD 3, West Liberty, Ohio. Mr. Kauffman is employed as a mechanic in Springfield, Ohio.

On Wednesday evening, December 29, Dana Christner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Christner, Shipshewana, Indiana, and Emily Kauffman, ex-'31, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs B. J. Kauffman, were married at the bride's pretty country home west of Goshen by President Sanford C. Yoder. The bride has been employed as cashier at Kelle store in Goshen for several years and the gro is a prosperous young farmer near Shipshewa Mr. and Mrs. Christner will make their home the Christner farm next spring.

On Thanksgiving evening, at the home of bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Gingeri occurred the marriage of their daughter Fanny Herman Smucker, ex-'34, son of Mr. and M J. J. Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio, Bishop Jo Y. Swartzendruber officiating. Both young peo are members of the Lower Deer Creek cong gation, near Kalona, Iowa. The bride is a sis to Melvin Gingerich, '26.

Russel J. Kaufman of Portland, O gon, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Ka man, '17 (Elsie Drange, '08), Dhamtari, C. India, and Bertha Kief of Lebanon, Ore., w united in marriage at the home of the brid parents near Lebanon on Oct. 29, 1933. Paul Roth officiating.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Douglas Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. W liam Yeager, ex-'30, (Maredith Rupp, ex-'3 Pettisville, Ohio, was born on November 10.

The NEWS LETTER begs to announce, even at t late date, the arrival in February, 1931, of Ne Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Hol man, '16, (Elcy Russell, '16), 200 Garfield Aven Del Rio, Texas.

Myron Sanford, son of Mr. and Mrs. My Yoder, ex-'31, (Elsie Mae Landis, instructor academy, 1924-27), College road, Goshen, was b November 25.

A daughter, Nancy Elizabeth, was born November 25 to Dean and Mrs. H. S. Bender, (Elizabeth Horsch, '18), at the Elkhart Hospi

Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Smith, '28, (Lou Schertz, ex-'30), Roanoke, Illinois, announce arrival of a daughter, Carolyn Rae, Decembe

NECROLOGY

Daniel S. Hoover, 69, born August 12, 18 died October 26, 1933. Ira Hoover, ex-'29, H rison township school teacher, is a son and E M. Hoover, '22, principal of the New Paris scho a brother, of the deceased.

Mrs. Lizzie B. Stoltzfus, 75, born in Un county, Pa., October 5, 1858, died November 1933. The deceased was the grandmother of Le Yoder, ex-'35, teacher in the Salem township sch near West Liberty, Ohio, and the aunt of John, Glen, ex-'15, Floyd, ex-'19, Myrtle, ex-'31, Fern Umble, '21, and also of Lydia (Mrs. El Snyder, ex-'10), Fannie (Mrs. William B. Wea ex-'13), William, '17, Frank, '17, Eli, '22, Lena Stoltzfus '21,

Joseph B. Detwiler, 74, passed on Nov. 3 the home of his daughter Miss Margaret Detwi 514 Forest Avenue, Ann Arbor, Mich., afte brief illness. He is survived by the widow, El beth, two daughters, Margaret, '17, Ann Ar Mich., and Laura, ex-'19, Detroit, Mich.; f sons, Arthur, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Samuel, Sev

io; Elmer, Chippewa Lake, Ohio; and Ivan of ighton, Mich. The body was taken to Seville, io, for burial.

Noah J. Hostetler, born April 16, 1872, near peka, Indiana, died Nov. 2, 1933, from burns ised by the accidental ignition of an overturned of gasoline. He is survived by his wife and e children. He was the father of S. Jay '23 ssionary in Dhamtari India; Wilbur, '30 Flan-eau, South Dakota; and Lloyd N., '35.

Emma, daughter of D. Z. and Mary (Smiley) der, born in Wayne county, Ohio, December 1, 2, died very suddenly on the evening of August 1933. She was united in marriage to Amos J. rkholder on Feb. 12, 1899. She is survived by r children, David, Glen, Elizabeth, ex-'31, and nneth, ex-'32.

Ella, daughter of Rev. David S. and Lizzie ltzfus, was born in Lyon county, Kansas, Nov. 1885, died at West Liberty, Ohio, Dec. 9, 1933. was married to Emmet W. Yoder Jan. 7, 1912 was the mother of Leona Yoder, ex-'35, who npleted the elementary teacher training course t June and is teaching the second grade in the em township schools at Kings Creek, Ohio. Bur- was made in the Fairview cemetery at West erty.

Joseph A. Hooley, 79, born in Mifflin county, , Sept. 2, 1854, died Dec. 11, 1933 at West Lib-y, Ohio. His wife, Catharine, died about two rs ago. Nine children survive. He was the her of Miss Mary Hooley, '16, Newton, Kansas, Bessie A., ex-'09, (Mrs. Irvin Grieser) Smith-le, Ohio.

PERSONALS

Dorothy Shoots, ex-'31, who completed the rse for the A.B. degree at Ohio State University 1931 is teaching the primary grades in Quincy, io.

Raymond Sommers, ex-'31, is engaged in farm- at Kokomo, Indiana. His address is R.R. 6.

C. A. Naffziger, ex-'31, continues his work as sic teacher at Lewisburg, Ohio.

Silas Smucker, '30, has a fellowship at Purdue iversity. He is doing research work in plant hology and plant breeding for the department agriculture. In his special project, a study of nato wilt and tomato-blossom end-rot, his ob-ive is to produce a variety that will prove im-ne to such diseases. So it goes! One man plows ler his cotton or raises less wheat, while an-er burns the candle at both ends trying to pro-e bigger and better tomatoes!

Dr. Clifford F. Brunk, '15, has been promoted the superintendency of the Goodwin-Jennings spital in Detroit. The hospital, erected at a t of $900,000 is first class in every respect. The t private room rents for eighteen dollars per . But don't be alarmed. If you do not have eighteen dollars, they will give you superior vice in more modest quarters suited to your se.

Niemann Brunk, '31, is employed by Walter r in the produce store operated in connection h the Paramount Farm, Hagerstown, Maryland.

Sadie A. Hartzler, '26, writes the Eastern Mennonite School "notes" for the Gospel Herald. Mrs. Maurice Yoder (Elizabeth Gish, '27), performs the same service for Hesston College and Bible School, and Professor Samuel A. Yoder, '28, for Goshen College. The notes usually appear in the first issue of every month.

Orie O. Miller, '15, Akron, Pa., and Elam W. Stauffer, Manheim, Pa., sailed for Africa Dec 7, under appointment by the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities to locate a place to establish a mission in that continent. Their itinerary included Germany, a Mediterranean port, and Alexandria, Egypt. Thence they will proceed southward by rail and boat. Their African address to which mail may be forwarded is, "In care Rev. Ried F. Shields, D. D., Khartoum, Sudan, Africa."

Bishop and Mrs. Daniel Kauffman, (Mollie Shank, ex-'08), were called to Hesston, Kansas, Nov. 21, by the death of a son, James of Hesston who died very suddenly of blood-poisoning.

Ira Hoover. ex-29, was re-elected superintendent of Yellow Creek Sunday School near Goshen on Nov. 9. Earl Stauffer is the other superintendent.

The names of L. C. Miller, ex-'09, Harve Driver, '30, and Lilly Esch, '31, appeared on the program of the Annual Christian Worker's meeting held at the East Holbrook Church in Colorado, Oct. 7 and 8.

Jesse B. Martin ex-'27, 187 W. Erb St., Waterloo, Ontario, is secretary and a member of the faculty of the Ontario Mennonite Bible school in progress at Kitchener, Ontario, Jan 2 to March 23.

George B. Compton, Washington, D. C., secretary to Senator Arthur R. Robinson (Indiana) and the husband of Gladys Kennel, '24, suffered a heart attack on Sunday, Nov. 27. His condition remains serious although he is somewhat improved.

At a performance of Gounod's opera, "Faust", at Gary, Indiana, December 8, John Thut, '23, sang the part of Faust.

Harley M. Hunsicker, '31, is spending the third consecutive year teaching in Bangor, Pa., Senior Hi, a school of six hundred eighty pupils. In spite of a two hundred dollar cut and an average of thirty-nine pupils per class, he teaches two classes in problems of democracy, two in American history, two in medieval and modern history and one in elementary German, besides acting as faculty advisor to the senior class of seventy two members, advisor to the Hi-Y Club, and director of the Boy's Glee Club. But then Huns, always did have a pair of capable shoulders!

Frank Umble, ex-'31, Dairy Department, A and M. College, Stillwater, Oklahoma, has been transferred to a federal cow-testing project that affords decided advantages over his former assignment in the state department.

M. C. Lehman, '04, has been in all communities of Eastern A. M. and Ohio Mennonite conference during the last eight weeks with the exception of Elverson, Pa. He gave three talks in each

community with subjects as follows: 1. The place of the Church in the Life of the Christian; 2. The Mennonite Church, her history, place in modern life and doctrines, 3 The distinctive doctrines of the Church and methods of witnessing for these under present conditions. The Executive Committee of the Conference now plans a follow-up program to continue the work begun by these talks.

Illness, overwork, worry about allowances and decreased budgets, are adding to the difficulties of alumni and others on the Indian mission field. Recent letters show that brave men and women are looking to God—and to America —through tear-filled eyes. One writes: "It looks rather dark on this side with so many sick missionaries. How we do hope that Brennemans and Grabers will not be delayed so long." Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smucker, '28, (Alma Albrecht, '11) have both been ill with typhoid fever.

The following three items are delayed. The editor overlooked them until the October NEWS LETTER had gone to press.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, under date of August 24 writes the Mission Board treasurer: Your announcement that the Executive Committee decided to reduce our budget came as a surprise. Indeed we hope that you will not find it necessary to cut more than twelve and one-half per cent. Any increase in cut will probably mean we will need to give certain workers leave and expect them to find employment elsewhere." Later reports indicate that Mr. Miller suffered a serious nervous breakdown.

Bishop George J. Lapp, '13, superintendent of the Shantipur Leper Home, reports over two hundred sixty lepers in the leper home. On two different days in August they gave over four hundred treatments.

J. N. Kauffman '17, Dhamtari, C. P. India, states that the eclipse of the sun in August caused millions of Hindus to bathe in the sacred rivers in order to cleanse themselves from defilement caused by the eclipse. The Hindus believe that a demon was trying to swallow the sun.

On Dec. 5, Selena Gamber, '33, assumed her new duties as superintendent of nurses at the Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado.

Professor and Mrs. S. M. King, (Nellie Zook, '27) have returned to their home at Hesston, Kansas, after spending the past three years teaching in the Philippine Islands. Professor King is continuing graduate work at Chicago.

New Paris alumni continue their active participation in the social, religious, and civic organizations of their thriving village. At the first meeting of the New Paris Fish and Game club held on October 26, the temporary officers elected included Carl Kaser, '16, president and Arthur Saylor, '11, secretary. The club's first service was the removal of predatory fish from the Elkhart river dam and race at Baintertown northeast of New Paris. The village has a thriving Chamber of Commerce in which Goshen College alumni take an active part.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Orrville (Ohio) Milk Condensing Company Tuesday evening, October 24, at the office of torney J. S. Yoder, Goshen, Indiana. Of the e directors elected the following are Goshen Col alumni: F. S. Ebersole, '01, Goshen; Dr. S Miller, '02, Elkhart; Dr. W. B. Christophel, Mishawaka; Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '04, Bluffton, O and J. S. Yoder, '05, Goshen. The other direc known to many alumni, are: A. C. Beyer Orr Ohio; E. S. Lape, Bluffton, Ohio; and L. S. linger, Orrville, Ohio. The newly elected direc elected the following officers: J. S. Yoder, presid Dr. Miller, vice-president; F. S. Ebersole, se tary; A. C. Beyer, treasurer, and L. S. Hollin assistant to Mr. Beyer.

Eli Stoltzfus, '22, West Liberty, Ohio, is ployed in the inspection department of the I national Harvester Company's plant at Spring Ohio.

Mrs. Albert Holdeman (Elcy Russell, '16) daughter, Nellie Anna, of Del Rio, Texas, spe few pleasant hours on the campus calling on mer friends and making new ones, October 18. and Mrs. Holdeman operate a large ranch Del Rio. They marked 1500 kids and 3000 l last spring.

John Hershberger, '28, magnetic observe Tucson, Arizona, was promoted in October to charge of the U. S. magnetic observatory at S Alaska.

Mrs. Raymond J. Schertz (Florence Landis Metamora, Illinois, was among the homecome Thanksgiving, but had come primarily to visi aged mother, Mrs. Sabina Landis, whose heal failing rapidly. The October NEWS LETTER s have stated that in July Mrs. D. B. Zook (Landis, '03) visited her mother and spent a days in a very pleasant visit with her bro and sisters and friends.

A belated report of the Illinois Sunday S Conference gives the names of the following a as taking part in the program: Ira Eigsti, '2 W. Shank, '10, C. W. Long, '29, Glenwood Sch ex-'34, Mrs. Lester Litwiller (Ruth V. Yoder, Tilman Smith, '28, Levi Hartzler, '36, and L Litwiller, '30.

In response to numerous inquiries M. C. man, '04, states that he contemplates conducti round-the-world tour sailing east from New and returning to the U. S. via the Pacific rout quiries should be directed to him at 1225 Eighth St., Goshen.

Rollo G. Page, 846 Park Avenue, South who represents the Aetna Life Insurance Co., i South Bend territory, called at the College re to renew acquaintance with his Alma Mater Page had never been back since he finished a t year course in the Elkhart Institute where h tended from 1895-1898. He started when the tute was still conducted on Main Street dow in Elkhart, and continued two years in the building on Prairie Street.

The Gospel Herald, issue of Novembe 1933, prints an inspiring well-written articl 725), by J. N. Kaufman, '17, on the cholera demic in the Christian community at Dhamta P, India.

ishop N. A. Lind, ex-'02, Tangent, Oregon, ned for the Bethel congregation, Wadsworth, on October 15. He was ordained minister October 11, 1903, and moved to the Far West years ago. He continued his trip east, hing at various places as far east as Lan- County, Pa. On the trip westward he stop- it various points also, arriving at Hesston, is, about Jan. 1.

. C. Miller, ex-'09, Manitou, Colorado, preach- the Mennonite congregation at Pryor, Okla- November 6 and 7.

George Smith, ex-'31, spent a few days on the is in November visiting friends. He was ated into full membership in the College egation on Sunday, November 26.

manda Ebersole, '05, Philadelphia, Pa., visited rother Professor Harry Ebersole, ex-'12, and y, at Marquette, Michigan, last summer. Miss ole made the trip from Philadelphia to Chi- and return via airplane and is quite certain s the only way to travel.

Chauncy S. Smucker, '29, conducted the Jun- roup meeting for the one hundred and fifth erly mission and the thirty-sixth annual Sun- school Union held at the South Union Church, mber 29 and 30. S. C. Plank, ex '11, was ary. The husband of Mrs. Irvin Kauffman as Yoder, ex-'30) was moderator.

Mrs. Fanny (Rupp) Zook, 12, resigned her on in the Akron, Ohio, public schools in mber. Rumor insists that she is to be mar- in January to Harry A. Severson, vice- dent of the Barber-Coleman manufacturing any, Rockford, Illinois.

B. Frank Raber, '29, superintendent of the oit Mission reported a successful series of ngs beginning Dec. 5, conducted by Evangelist Troyer, West Liberty, Ohio.

C. Warren Long, '29, superintendent of the a Mission, is meeting with marked success in ork. Attendance on a Sunday in November one hundred twenty-eight with four converts e evening service a month before the revival es began in December.

The Rev. J. S. Lehman, 823 Columbia Ave., aster, Pa., whom many former students of the rt Institute remember for the genial hospitality s Prairie Street home, writes an interesting e, "My Message to the Church in my 87th ," in the *Gospel Herald* (issue of November

Goshen Alumni who will be instructors in the al Winter Bible Term at Hesston College are: Shank, ex-'06; N. A. Lind, ex-'02; Mrs. Paul (Alta Mae Eby, '12); M. A. Yoder, '27, and Burkhart, '26.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Brenneman (Millie Page neman), '33, are now located at the Mennonite ital and Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado. will remain in that institution until the time eir sailing for India.

nez Hauder, ex-'36, who is continuing the d year of the two-year elementary teacher ing course at Manchester College, North Man- er, Indiana, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hauder, '08, (Wilma Smoker, '10), 1303 South Main Street, Goshen.

Margaret Hamm, ex-'36, student at Michigan State College, Lansing, Michigan, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hamm, in Goshen.

E. C. Landis, ex-'01, chief clerk at the Kansas State Peniteniary, Lansing, Kansas, since 1916, resigned his position several months ago on account of failing health. He has purchased, remodelled, and modernized a house in Lansing where he is recuperating satisfactorily.

Three homecomers who deserve special mention for the effort made in reaching Goshen are Milton Smith, '28, Philadelphia, Pa., Stanley Miller, '31, and William Jennings, Jr., '31. The first frankly owned that a powerful attraction induced him to drive 700 miles to Goshen; the second has a highly appreciative schoolboard which paid his way to a two day state teachers meeting at Rochester, N. Y. and gave him, on full pay, a week's vacation, part of which he spent in coming on to Goshen; the third admitted that he tried to stay away, but, at the last moment, boarded a bus for Goshen, arriving here on Thursday afternoon. A close fourth would be Abram Hallman who came all the way from Akron, Pa., where he is learning the shoe business under the tutelage of Orie O. Miller. '15 one of the most successful business men among Goshen College alumni.

C. Warren Long, '29, was director of the Sunday School Normal held at Roanoke Church, Eureka, Ill., December 26-January 1, under the auspices of the executive committee of the Illinois Mennonite Sunday school conference. The courses were taught by Paul Mininger, '34, and Professor G. H. Enss of the College.

Wilma Lehman, ex-'36, acted as secretary of the thirty-second annual Sunday School meeting held at the Midway Church, near Columbiana, Ohio. Paul Yoder, ex-'23, and Norman Bauman, '19, had part in the program.

Professor and Mrs. U. Grant Weaver and Herbie are spending the winter in New Mexico and Arizona. Their present address is 820 South Arno Street, Albuquerque, New Mexica.

Professor and Mrs. Roland Yoder and family continue their residence in California. Their present address is 3063 Santa Rosa Avenue, Pasadena.

Lloyd J. Martin. '29, 1135 South Eighth St., Goshen, has been actively interested in the present economic situation, especially as it affects the farmer in the great Middle West. At a mass meeting of the Northern Indiana farmers and business men held in December at the Jefferson township school building north of Goshen he was elected president of a newly organized chapter of the National Farmer's Union. Largely through the efforts of Mr. Martin, the Hon. William Langer, Governor of the state of North Dakota, had been secured as speaker for the mass meeting. D. H. Fisher, president of the New Paris bank, in introducing Mr. Martin as presiding officer for the meeting said in part: "He called farmers to his home and soon was accused of being a friend

to those in distress; being in distress I became interested in this young man. Whether you agree with him or not all the credit for the splendid audience and these distinguished speakers on the platform this evening is due him. The credit or the blame belongs to Lloyd J. Martin." Prominent figures on the platform included James Mulloy, secretary of the Industrial Commission of North Dakota, E. A. Stinson, of Frankfort, Ind., state organizer for the Farmers' Union, Earl Parrett, North Manchester, Ind., and the Hon. Warren Berkey, state senator from Elkhart county.

Glenn Hershberger, '23, Airways Radio expert, in the employ of the Department of Commerce, is making his temporary headquarters in Goshen while he is working that part of his territory included in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana.

Mrs. Hermann Andres (Joanna Sudermann, '30) is spending a few weeks with her parents, Professor and Mrs. Enss on South Eighth Street. Her husband will join the family group here for the Christmas season.

The class of '33 had a reunion dinner in the dining hall annex, Saturday of homecoming week. Those present were: Verna Schertz, Irene Eschliman, Lena Smucker, Virginia Brown, Mrs. Mendenhall, Sarah Esch, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth, Carl Hostetler, Linus Eigsti, H. Clair Amstutz, Ross Gerber, Joseph Swope, John Coffman, E Beachy, and Orie Miller.

The class of '32 was represented on the ca pus at homecoming by Niemann Brunk, Doro Smith, Erma Schertz, Jacob Sudermann, Ir (Lehman) Weaver, Ralph Beechy, Stanley Mill Alice Housour, Agnes Weaver, Harold Smi Esther Yoder, Esther Graber, Gladys Burkh and Maynard Wyse.

Class of '31 homecomers were: Loren Ki Barbara Hershberger, Abram Hallman, P Swope, Nellie (Miller) Ebersole, Lucille Mill Orie J. Eigsti, and William Jennings.

Class of '30 homecomers: Fyrne (Miller) Y der, Silas Smucker, Joanna (Sudermann) Andr Gladys Honderich, Allen Ebersole, John Bende

Class of '29 homecomers: Wilbur Shenk, D (Roth) Hershberger, Lloyd Martin, Esther Le inger, Paul Horsch, Edna Oyer.

Grace Brunk, Academy '26, visited on t campus November 27-29 enroute from La Jun Colorado to Herman-Kieffer Hospital, Detr where she will take a postgraduate course nursing of communicable diseases.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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ATTENTION, ALUMNI!

OR several years a number of alumni have complained that a mid-week date prevents their attendance at the annual alumni re-n. At a recent meeting of the Executive Com-ee of the Alumni Association, the officers efore decided to suggest changing Alumni from Tuesday to Saturday before Commence-, if that arrangement is more satisfactory to alumni. This issue of the NEWS LETTER is be-mailed early to give alumni an opportunity xpress their preference. If you have any led preference for either Tuesday or Satur-please notify the alumni office at once. In absence of serious objections the Executive mittee will try this change of date for one to determine the feasibility of a permanent ge.

you and your friends receive the ALUMNI S LETTER regularly? If not, it may be our , and again it may not. Since people do not ze the difference between first-class and nd-class mailings, may we explain how you miss receiving your copy? When your friend s you a letter, it goes first-class. If you have ed or if the letter is improperly addressed post-office department makes every effort to er that letter to you, to forward it from your address to your next, and looks you up in city directory as a last resort before marking eturn to writer."

t bulletins, newspapers, and magazines are nailed second class and the post office de-nent assumes no further responsibility be-delivering them to the original address on envelope. Hence when you move without ying us of a change of address, one of sev-things may happen: Your copy of the NEWS ER may go into some post-office waste basket. if your copy reaches a carefully conducted office, a clerk sends us a card—Form 3578-P, exact—to tell us, if possible, why your copy e NEWS LETTER could not be delivered. And hat service he charges us two cents. We are to pay the two cents to get your correct ad-. but remember if we do not have your lete address, with exact rural route number, t or apartment number, we have no way of ng your NEWS LETTER to you. If you want NEWS LETTER regularly and on time, be sure the alumni office has your complete, correct, nt address.

ans for the annual reunion are under way. Benjamin Gerig, U. S. representative on the ta iat of the League of Nations, Geneva, zerland, has promised to be present to de-the annual address. Other alumni whom knew in former days have promised to toast the anniversary classes. If the association es the suggestion of the Executive Committee, the literary society reunions and the annual dinner and reunion of alumni will be held on Saturday, June 2. Other events will follow: Annual Missionary Day and Baccalaureate Sermon, Sunday, June 3; Senior Class Day, Monday, June 4; the 1934 Commencement exercises, Tuesday, June 5.

Government aid to students is making it possible to begin work on the new alumni directory to be printed in July, 1935. Thelma Hostetler '37, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hostetler, (Inez Eash, ex-'11) of Goshen, is the efficient typist assigned to this project. Some of the preliminary work was done last year by Levi Hartzler, '36, West Liberty, Ohio.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Sanford C. Yoder spent the last two weeks of December in strenuous activity in the interests of the College in Colorado, Nebraska, and Iowa, returning to the campus on January 1. Before going West he had participated in the farewell services for the missionaries leaving for Africa, held at the Weaverland Mennonite Church near Lancaster, Pennsylvania. During the Winter Bible Term he taught several courses and participated in the sessions of the Ministers Institute, February 6-9, and of the Christian Life conference, February 9-11. On February 28, he left for a short business trip to Iowa, stopping at the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary to complete arrangements for continuing his study. He is enrolled in the seminary during the third term and will receive the B. D. degree in June.

Dean H. S. Bender gave an address before the Progress Club of Mishawaka, January 24, 1934 on the subject, "The Russian Peasant and the Future of Russia." He had the pleasure of being introduced by Dr. W. B. Christophel, '02. Between semesters he made a trip to Scottdale, Pa., in the interests of the Mennonite Quarterly Review. On the evening of February 21, 1934, he spoke at the regular meeting of the Concord Parent-Teachers Association on the subject, "Personality Distortion in Child Development." He gave an address on a similar theme at the Elkhart County Parent-Teachers Association Convention at Elkhart High School Auditorium on the evening of April 6, 1934.

On Saturday, March 11th, he spent the day at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, where he with Dr. Paul Bender, had conferences with Dean Rothrock of the College of Liberal Arts, and Dean Payne of the Graduate School in the interests of the college. They also enjoyed their visit and lunch at the Memorial Union Building, in company with C. L. Graber, business manager of the College, with Professor S. W.

Witmer, '14, graduate student in biology and H. Clair Amstutz, '33, a freshman at the Indiana University Medical School.

On Saturday, March 10, Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, called at the office of Mr. Clarence L. Murray, state director of teacher training, in the State House at Indianapolis to discuss further problems of accreditment for the teacher training work offered by Goshen College.

During the last few months C. L. Graber, business manager of the college, has confined his activities mostly to the campus of the College. He made two trips to Iowa in connection with the bank of Wayland of which he is Vice-President. Plans for the new student self-help program of the College require much careful thought and planning. He reports generous support of the College by friends of Goshen. He is optimistic about the next year's program of Goshen College and predicts a record attendance.

There are still a few of the 1930 Alumni Directories on hand—a neatly-printed book of sixty-one pages containing the names, addresses and occupations of all graduates of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College to 1931 and of all present and former instructors. If you have not received a copy, mention it to the treasurer or secretary when you pay your annual dues and a copy will be mailed to you postpaid. You are welcome to them while they last.

Dean and Mrs. Willard Smith, '28 (Verna Smith, 29), accompained by Professor and Mrs. Samuel Yoder, '28 (Ethel Oyer, ex-'30) left on Wednesday, March 28, for a motor tour of the South, including Florida, Louisiana and intermediate points.

The new officers of the Y. M. C. A. are: Levi C. Hartzler, president; Roy Umble, secretary; James R. Clemens, treasurer. Y. M. C. A. cabinet members in addition to the officers are Robert Shank, Rollin Krabill, Paton Yoder, J. Harold Burkholder, Carl Kreider, John Steiner, Lester Hershey.

New officers of the Y. W. C. A. are: Elizabeth Graber, president; Justine Enss, secretary and Ruth Hertzler, treasurer. Cabinet members are: Kathryn Royer, Alma Kauffman, Ruth Gnagy, Lois Gunden, Frieda Enss, Lois Winey, and Evelyn Burkholder.

At a student rally held in Assembly Hall during the chapel hour, Wed., Mar. 21, C. L. Graber, business manager of the college, announced tentative plans for locating several small industries on or near the campus to provide opportunities for self-help to needy students. Plans are on foot to make it possible for forty or more students to attend Goshen College who would otherwise not be able to finance four years in college, Carl Kreider of Wadsworth, Ohio, presided at the meeting. Robert Shideler of Goshen, in a stirring address on "Goshen College from the Angle of the Off-Campus Student," pointed out that the college is making it possible for many local young people to secure a liberal arts education who would otherwise be unable to do so. Mr. Shideler stated that the high type of instruction and the strong program of extra-curricular activities had forced him unwillingly at first, to raise his opinion of the institution. "I found at the end of the first six weeks of my freshman year," he asserted, "that I was not attending an inf institution, but that I had come to a real co and that if I expected to pass in my cours would need to do some downright hard work

Elizabeth Graber, of Wayland, Iowa, and C. Hartzler, of West Liberty, Ohio spoke of advantages offered by Goshen College to stu living on the campus.

NAMES OF CONTRIBUTORS TO THI ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

No more hopeful sign of the growing stat of Goshen College is evident than the willing of an increasing number of alumni to su the present program of their Alma Mate pouring into her coffers in increasing amo the sums that they can spare from their lux and, in many cases, from their actual necess This spirit is in line with present trends. I alumni of every Christian college are begin to sense as never before that if education endure, of the type that played so large a pa building and strengthening their own live Goshen College, then it must be supporte those who know its value.

Loyal alumni of these Christian colleges ize it is they who have profitted from the s fice and struggle that made their college p ble. It is they who must carry it on if it serve succeeding generations of young men women. Some of us are just beginning to re that our motto, "Culture for Service," should to us that our training in Goshen College given such a vision of the value of such tra that we are willing to make personal, con specific sacrifices to enable Goshen College i future to serve boys and girls such as we ten, twenty, thirty, forty years ago.

Following is a list of those who have joine grou that has adopted the slogan, "Every A nus a Contributor Every Year." The edito steadfastly resisted all suggestions to amounts, but you would be agreeably surp to know how many have contributed compar l- large amounts. Exactly twenty-four o the sixty whose names have been published December 16, have contributed ten dolla more. The Executive Committee does not, ever, ask for a certain sum. Your circumst alone must determine the size of your gift.

But your Executive Committee does ear beg (and do you not concede them that ri that every alumnus, who is able to do so, join this growing inner circle of super-loy who "say it with checks." Join the circle yo and sell the idea to other alumni and fri In 1964 you will be proud to say (and pardo so), "For thirty years I have lived up to th gan, 'Every Alumnus a Contributor Every I have not missed a single contribution."

"Obey that impulse!" before the next iss the NEWS LETTER. Join now.

Here is the list of all contributors durin current year, (and the list is still growing)

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and Mrs. Allen Ebersole, F. S. Ebersole, Ira sti, Irene Eschliman, J. C. Fretz, Orie Eigsti, s L. Gerber, Alta Good, Anna Hertzler, Mr. Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler, Anna Hoover, Ira over, Adelia L. Hostetler, Paul Horsch, James tetler, E. A. Hostetler, J. S. Hartzler, Dr. s. Hershey, Forrest Kanagy, Mr. and Mrs. D. King, M. C. Lehman, Mary Alice Jones, Y. King, Mrs. Paul Kortemeier, Mr. and Mrs. O. Krabill, Ada Lapp, David Leichty, D. L. ler, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Miller, Dr. S. T. ler, Iverson E. Mishler, Bessie C. Moyer, Rollo Page, N. E. Neiff, I. A. Rickert, Mrs. J. A. sler, Leah C. Risser, Emma Smucker Rohrer, A. and Fannie Shantz, C. B. Shoemaker, Mr. Mrs. C. G. Smucker, Katie M. Smucker, Til- n R. Smith, Hazel E. Stauffer, Emma Snider, er Snider, Fern Ann Umble, Dr. S. E. Yoder, O.., Martha Yoder, Eva Yeackley, Dr. A. C. ler, J. Herbert Zook, John E. Hershberger.

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ALUMNI DUES

nnual dues keep coming in. They are due payable at any time. Most alumni prefer to in June. But suit your own convenience.— d since the new directory will contain the names addresses of *all* former students, graduates l non-graduates, we shall need quite a little re money next year than in the past. We are fident that the money will be here when we need

he following paid their annual dues since ember 9:

Mrs. C. S. Morse (Margaret Anderson), Agnes Anderson, Mrs. Homer C. Blough (Kathryn eigle), M. C. Lehman, J. R. Allgyer, Blanche nneman, Elizabeth Burkholder, Leah C. Ris-

WINTER BIBLE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Bishop Clayton Derstine, of Kitchener, Ontario, ivered the commencement address for the Win- Bible school, in Goshen College Assembly l on Tuesday evening, February 6, at 7:30 en five students graduated from the six-year rse. The graduates were Virgil Weaver, Earl uffer, George Hoover, and Dorothy Blough, R. D., Goshen and Cleo Nusbaum, Middlebury. e course of the Winter Bible school covers six ns of six weeks, held annually in January and ruary, and consists of courses in Old and New tament literature, Bible doctrine, Christian cation, missions, church music, and public aking.

n addition to five regular college instructors, sident Sanford C. Yoder, Dr. Silas Hertzler, l Professors Walter Yoder, Samuel Yoder and son Litwiller, the following special instructors ered courses during the 1934 winter Bible term; hop David A. Yoder, Elkhart; Rev. I. W. yer, Orrville, Ohio; Rev. M. C. Lehman, amtari, India; and Paul Mininger, Hesston, nsas.

The recent graduating class is the first to complete the course, reorganized six years ago to meet the needs of young people who wish to prepare for service in the Church by completing a prescribed course of study but who find it impractical to be absent from their regular duties except for a few weeks during the winter. That the work is meeting a real need is evidenced by increasing interest and enrollment. Thirty-six students registered during the present term.

At the March meeting of the faculty, a resolution was passed changing the six-year course of six weeks a year to a four-year course of nine weeks a year. The nine weeks are divided into two semesters of four and one-half weeks. Students may enter for either semester and receive credit for the work done. By intensive work the student may complete the Elementary Sunday School Teacher Training Course during the first year of the new four-year course.

STUDENT TEACHERS DURING THE SECOND SEMESTER

The student teachers in the junior high school of Goshen are as follows: Leland Brenneman, teaching history with Miss Frederica Clason as supervisor; Ezra Hershberger, teaching community civics under Harry L. Young, as supervisor; Miss Marian Messner, English under Miss Alice Boren; Carl Hostetler and Orlin Reedy, general science under Fred Bryner, '22.

The student teachers in the senior high school of Goshen are as follows: Paul Zook, teaching biological science under Ralph L. Beck, as supervisor; John Williams, and Fred Ulery, mathematics under Stanley L. Schenck.

In the Chandler school, Goshen: Katherine Thoman and Vera Mae Roth, teaching in the second grade under Miss Dorothy Deardorff, as supervisor.

In the Chamberlain school, Goshen: Atha Stahl, teaching in grade one, under Miss Pearl Dunn, as supervisor; Lewis Powell, in grade five, under W. J. Duker.

In the Pike Street school, Goshen: John Hartzler teaching grade six under John E. Larimer

In the West Goshen school: Louise Weaver teaching grade six under Harold Bechtel, ex-20, as supervisor.

In the Parkside school, Goshen: Gladys Schertz, teaching in grade one, under Miss Mildred Books, as supervisor; Gladys Johns, in the third grade under Miss Anna Yoder, '12; Marie Bender, in grade six under Wm. E. Pletcher, as supervisor.

Students in the Elkhart County schools: John Lehman and Laura Troyer are teaching in grades four to eight under Iverson Mishler '32 at the Rensberger school east of Goshen. John Steiner, in grades six to eight under Eldon Evans, ex-'23. Delilah Miller in the first grade, under Miss Clarice Neff in New Paris.

In the Goshen College kindergarten, Wilma Miller and Marion Wisseman are student teachers, under the supervision of Miss Mary Royer, '30.

In the Goshen College academy, Samuel C. Swartz is teaching civics under the supervision of Professor Willard H. Smith, '28.

All of this work is under general supervision of Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, registrar, head of the department of education, and director of teacher training in Goshen College.

WEDDING BELLS

A son and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon C. Hartzler, '03, (Magdalena Beutler), ex-'06, were married since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER appeared. Roy Hartzler, and Katie Lichty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Litchy, of Floradale, Ontario, were united in marriage by Bishop S. M. Kanagy on Dec. 17. Ivan G. Good, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Good, of Kokomo, Indiana, and Alice Hartzler were married, Feb. 4, at the home of the bride's parents by Bishop D. A. Yoder.

Paul T. Slabaugh, '27, rural route four, Goshen, son of Professor and Mrs. J. F. Slabaugh, '17, of Demotte, Indiana, and Grace Irene Martin, of the Mennonite congregation at Manson, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Martin, of Manson, Iowa, were married Thursday afternoon, December 28, by the Rev. Nicholas Stoltzfus, of Manson, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Slabaugh reside on the Slabaugh farm four miles south-east of Goshen. Mr. Slabaugh is employed in the Main Street Kroger store in Goshen managed by Issac S. Roth, ex-'29.

On December 23, occurred the marriage of Mahlon Lapp and Esther Good, ex-'30; and of Lloyd Good, brother of Esther, and Cora Lapp, cousin of Mahlon. The double ceremony was performed in the Science Ridge Church near Sterling, Illinois, by Bishop D. G. Lapp, of Roseland, Nebraska, father of Mahlon and uncle of Cora Lapp. All are members of the Science Ridge congregation. Cora Lapp is a younger sister of Ada Lapp, '31.

Edward Raber, ex-34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Raber, of near Elkhart, and Ethel Hooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hooley of Shipshewana, were married Wednesday evening, March 21, in their newly furnished home six miles south-east of Elkhart. The Rev. John Gingerich of the Prairie Street Mennonite Church of Elkhart performed the ceremony. Mrs. Raber attended the Shipshewana high school. Mr. Raber is a graduate from the Elkhart high school.

The Rev. Edwin J. Yoder, ex-'12, of Topeka, Indiana, and Miss Mary Shumaker, of Goshen, Indiana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shumaker, of West Liberty, Ohio, were married at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop S. E. Allgyer, Tuesday evening, March 13, at six o'clock. They will make their home at Topeka, Indiana, where Rev. Yoder is pastor of the Maple Grove Mennonite Church.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

On February 5, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Shellenberger, ex-'31 announced the arrival of "A Brand new Bundle of Sunshine" in the person of Donna Jean, weighing eight pounds, six ounces.

A son, Ronald Irving, was born at the Goshen hospital, January 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Delcamp (Helen Long), of West Pike Street.

Mary Alice, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Miller (Leona Cockley, ex-'31) of 314 Eden Court, Elkhart, Indiana, was born September 16, 1933.

Murl O. Eldridge, '30, and Theresa (Foss) Eldridge are the parents of a nine pound daughter, Bonnie Louise, born Jan. 30, at their farm two miles north-east of Goshen.

Caroline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J Baumgardner, '23 (Ruth Allgyer, ex-25), Pr ton, New Jersey, was born December 18.

Twins, a boy and a girl, John Miller Joanna Diller were born Tuesday mor March 6, at Goshen hospital to Dr. and Silas Hertzler, '13, of West Lafayette Street, shen.

Richard Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. An Yontz (Treva Sherman, '30) of Goshen, was November 17.

A daughter, Patsy Charlene, was born to and Mrs. Kenneth Zook, ex-'29, of Dunla Wednesday, December 27.

Mary Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ne Yoder (Mary Yoder, ex-'30), of West Lil Ohio, was born Sunday, January 7.

Thomas Merlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller (Mary Roth, '29), of Shipshewana born February 3, at Goshen City hospital.

Clemens Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. W Hallman, '29 (Beatrice Hershey, '29), 504 O Street, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, was bor February 20.

NECROLOGY

Dorothy, aged 9, daughter of Mr. and J. E. Brunk, '15, Biglerville, Pa., succumb sudden and violent attack of scarlet fev March 5. Private funeral services were he the afternoon of the same day.

Emma Wenger, ex-'05, daughter of Mart and Nancy (Stayrook) Wenger, born in El Indiana, June 22, 1877, died at the Wenger Elkhart, March 10, 1934. She is survive her twin sister, Ella, '05, and her brother, Jo '04, both of Elkhart.

Clara Guth, ex-'25, formerly a bookkeep the Union National Bank, of Elgin, Illinois Dec. 8, in Marshallton, Delaware, at the ho her sister, Mrs. C. A. Fulmer (Eunice Guth after a five year illness. The body was s the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida Guth, Hu Illinois. Funeral services were held in the ley Congregational church, with burial in Hu

Herman A. Compton, ex-'01, aged 55, o West Lexington Avenue, died of apoplexy married Grace V. Cooper, ex '03. Survivin his wife and five children. The eldest da is the wife of Weddel S. Berkey, ex-'31, young attorney of Goshen. His son, W ex-'35, is a student at Purdue University. Compton was very prominent in the bu fraternal, and religious circles of Elkhart.

Mrs. Caroline Yoder, 77, died Sunday, 21, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Shettler, (Sadie Yoder, ex-'10), two miles east of Goshen, of complications incident age. She was a member of the Clinton Mennonite Church.

The funeral service of Mrs. Albert Saude held at Archbold, Ohio, February 1. Mrs. was a sister of Mrs. C. P. Shideler, S. E. er, '11, and Professor John E. Weaver, of Goshen.

ev. Allen Rickert, born in Buck's county, Pa., ember 21, 1848, died December 13, 1933, at home in North Lima, Ohio. His parents ed to Medina county, Ohio, in a wagon when was five weeks old. He was married to ih Lehman, of Columbiana county, Ohio, on . 4, 1873. The six children born to this union survive and they with their mother all at- ed the funeral services. The children are: in, of Connersville, Indiana; Elizabeth, ex- (Mrs. Ira S. Johns), of Goshen, Indiana; h (Mrs. Harvey Metzler) of Columbiana, O.; vey, ex-'05, of New Waterford, Ohio, Mar- et, ex-'06 (wife of Bishop O. N. Johns), of ton Ohio; and Isaiah, '15, of Youngstown,).

e was called to the ministry in the Midway rch in 1892. Funeral services were held there, . 15, and interment made in Midway ceme- .

Irs. Hannah E. Plank, daughter of John L. Elizabeth (Hertzler) Byler, was born July 1860, in Union county Pa., and died at her e, 1119 South Eighth Street, Goshen, on March 1934,. Mrs. Plank was apparently in her il good health in the morning when her son- aw E. W. Greenwalt called at her home re she lived alone. She asked her son-in-law ring her sister, Mrs. Eri Yoder, of Goshen, ner home to spend the day. and when they ved they found Mrs. Plank dead, seated in hair. The funeral sermon was preached at J. E. Hartzler, '04, of Bluffton, Ohio. Inter- t was made in the Violet Cemetery south of hen.

ne was the widow of S. H. Plank, greatly be- ed superintendent of buildings and grounds Goshen College for many years. He died in ember 1928. Her son and daughter reside Goshen: John S. Plank, '09, rising young busi- s man; and Carrie, '09, Mrs. E. W. Green- t. Leon Greenawalt, ex-'35, student at Ober- College, is her grandson.

Irs. Plank is the fourth to pass away within past few months of the aged former residents the once flourishing, but now extinct, Amish nnonite congergation in the beautiful Buffalo ley in Union county, Pennsylvania.

ohn S. Ramseyer, 58, was born March 5, 1875, the farm near Smithville, Ohio, where he re- d all his life; died Nov. 28, 1933. On Feb. 1909, he was united in marriage to Ida Kra- He was a member of the Oak Grove Men- ite Church and has been an important figure he religious and civic life of his community. a number of years he was a member of the yne county Board of Education. He was the er of Zelta Arlene Ramseyer, ex-'34.

nna Stalter, ex-'08, daughter of Christian N. Mary (Stemen) Stalter was born near Lima, o, Jan. 27, 1874, and died Dec. 21, 1933, at home of her sister Kathryn near Elida, Ohio. s Stalter and Lydia Schertz were set apart work in India by vote of the Goshen College gregation on the occasion of the first com- nion services ever held at the College, Nov. 6, 4. She arrived in India in January, 1905. spent more than twenty years of her life in ia in the American Mennonite mission at mtari, devoting much of her time to work ng the girls in the Orphanage. During the past seven years, she has been a member of the College congregation and has been active in the work of the sewing circle, the missionary society, and Sunday school. She was a member of the General Sewing Circle Committee of the Mennonite General Conference for a number of years.

She was an aunt of Waldo T. Stalter, '27, of Goshen, and of Fred Stalter, ex-'34, of Elida, Ohio.

Mary Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Lewis and Nancy (Tinsman) Culp, was born at Gardner, Illinois, Oct. 29, 1866, and died of arthritis and complications at the Elkhart hospital Jan. 8, 1934. She was married to Charles A. Shantz at Cullom, Illinois, on Thanksgiving Day, 1891. She was the mother of Sarah, '21, (Mrs. C. N. Shaum), Osceola, Indiana, of Fannie, '22, at home; Dora, '27, a missionary nurse at Dhamtari, Indiana; and Bertha (Mrs. Walter R. Roupp, '26), who with her husband and family lives on the parental farm. Her surviving sisters, are Anna, (Mrs. J. B. Moyer) Elkhart; Ella, (Mrs W. S. Gehman), of Rush Lake, Saskatchewan; and Nancy, '04 (Mrs. A. L. Gilliom) of Indianapolis, Indiana. Interment was made in the Prairie Street cemetery, founded by her father, Lewis Kulp.

Jacob Kauffman, 68, of West Liberty, Ohio, died at Goshen, Indiana, where he had gone to be under the care of his son, Dr. John M. Kauffman. Mr. Kauffman succumbed to influenze and other complications after he had been in Goshen for three weeks. Two of his children have been students at the College, Dr. John M. Kauffman, ex-'22, of Goshen and Edna, ex-'34, student nurse at City Hospital in Springfield, Ohio.

Elias Riehl Miller, son of the late John O. and Barbara (Riehl) Miller, was born at Long Green, Maryland, Oct. 13, 1855, and died at Fentress, Virginia, Feb. 24, 1934. At an early age his parents moved to Union County, Pa., where he was converted and united with the Amish Mennonite Church. He was one of the pioneer Sunday school workers in the Church and one of the founders of the Mt. Pleasant (Va.) Congregation near Norfolk, Virginia, in 1910.

He was the father of Dwight L. Miller and an uncle of Dr. Silas Hertzler.

Daniel Blaine, son of the late Ernest and Trasie Raber, was born near Sugar Creek, Ohio, April 3, 1923, and died from double pneumonia at the Union Hospital, Dover, Ohio, on March 11. His brother, Eugene, is a student in the College. He was a nephew of Frank Raber, '29.

PERSONAL

Elizabeth Burkholder, ex-'33, Smithville, Ohio, is teaching in the Smithville schools for the fifth year. She has been teaching the fifth and sixth grades for the past three years and the room enrollment has varied from thirty-nine to forty-six.

The Executive Committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities has decided to return Mrs. Sarah Lapp to India with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Graber, '25 (Minnie Swartzendruber, ex-'27), in June, 1934.

Dora Shantz, '27, writes from Mohadi via Dhamtari, India, under date of February 15: "Plan to continue my language study at the hills this hot season. Next year will mean progress over last year, because I can talk with and understand the people. Planning Baby Day Pro-

gram for Christians and village people. Dr. Troyer is coming to examine the babies. Each child will be awarded a piece of soap."

O. O. Miller, '15, having helped to secure a location for the new African mission to be established by the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and charities, left on February 12 for India to visit the Mennonite Mission there. His plans called for several weeks' stay in India, Feb. 25-March 20, meeting the new missionaries at Dar es-Salam, East Africa, April 3-6, and arrival in the home-land, between May 5 and 10. The new mission will be located near Musoma in the Tanganyika region adjacent to territory occupied, for missionary purposes, by the African Inland Mission.

H. Clay Miller, '20, formerly of Canton, Ohio, has removed to rural route four, Massillon, Ohio.

Mrs. James C. Van Dyke (Ella Harnish, '21) has moved from 909 East Maywood Avenue, Peoria, Illinois, to Greenup, Illinois.

Eldon J. Weldy, ex-'29, Wakarusa, Indiana, is now located at 216 East Grant Street, Bremen, Indiana.

Mrs. Homer C. Blough (Kathryn Speigle, ex-'22) rural route four, Johnstown, Pa., is another of our loyal alumnae who continue to "say it with checks." The generosity of the most recent one was a pleasant surprise.

The correct address of Rev. Ralph Holderman, ex-'30, pastor of the Evangelical Church in Louisville, Ky., is 3606 Michigan Avenue. Rev. and Mrs. Holderman spent their recent vacation in New Paris and Goshen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Delmar Hershberger, '28 (Mary Martin, '29), moved from Oceanport, New Jersey, to 18 Throckmorton Avenue, Red Bank, New Jersey.

Amanda Frey, '27, English teacher in Concord high school at Dunlap for the last four years, suffered a compound fracture of the left leg about eight inches above the ankle on the evening of February 20, in Elkhart. The leg was so badly shattered and mangled that it was at first thought that amputation could not be avoided. Her brothers and sisters from Fulton county, Ohio, rushed to her bedside to submit to blood transfusions, if necessary. The physicians finally decided to set the bones. Miss Frey is mending rapidly, and her condition is satisfactory beyond the wildest hopes of the physicians. Her work in Concord high school is being carried on by substitutes.

On Monday evening, March 5, the members of the Library Club were entertained by Mrs. W. T. Stalter (Florence Hawks, '28) and Mrs. Herbert McDougal in the home of Mrs. Stalter on South Seventh Street. Mrs. Stalter read a paper, "Rubber—A Study in General," prepared by W. T. Stalter, '27.

The descendants of Rev. and Mrs. Abram Ebersole, deceased, of Sterling, Ill., held a family reunion at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Kreider at Bluffton, Ohio, Thursday, December 28. The following from Goshen motored to Bluffton for the event: Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole, '01, (Lavona Berkey, '01); Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gerig, (Ruth Landis, '12); Richard and Carol Umble; Mr. and Mrs. John Umble, '01 (Alice Landis, '01); Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Landis, '08, (Ruth Lehman, ex'10); and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Landis, '10, (Orpha Hostetler, ex Bluffton members of the family present were and Mrs. N. E. Byers, (Emma Lefevre, '98 Professor and Mrs. B. D. Smucker, '05, (Ebersole, '06). There were also three present, Abram Ebersole, president of the College of Law and Accounting, of St. Mo.; Dr. S. D. Ebersole of Chicago, co-fo of the Mennonite Home Mission with M Steiner; and the Rev. Amos Ebersole of Ol Ohio. These three are brothers of Mrs. S (Ebersole) Landis of South Eighth Street surviving daughter of the family.

Roberta Hauder, ex-'36, daughter of Mr Mrs. P. A. Hauder, '08 (Wilma Smoker, '1 in Chicago taking a secretarial course i Gregg business college.

John L. Yoder, '11, was reelected presid the West Liberty, Ohio, board of educati January.

Mary Hertzler, ex-'36, announced her er ment to Joe Swope, '33, at a party held Dec 30, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Hertzler, of Belleville, Pa.

F. S. Ebersole, '01, was among the fi qualify as a director of the newly organized National Bank of Goshen which will tak place of the City National Bank.

Mrs. A. L. Sprunger, (Cordelia Riesen Goshen, Indiana, was elected president Child Study Club of Goshen at the meetin on March 7. Mrs. J. S. Plank (Olive Na '12) and Mrs. M. C. Landis (Orpha Ho '13) sang two duets.

David Stutzman, ex-'20, 2414 East Avenue, Huntington Park, California, is en in the lumber business.

Jonathan Stutzman, ex-22, Purl Street, lotte, Michigan, husband of Berdine Th '22, is finishing his fifth year as a teacher Charlotte high school.

Otto Binkele, '33, Fifth Floor, 65 West tieth Street, New York City, has been g both the elementary and high school licen the state of Pennsylvania.

Eunice M. Lehman, ex-27, formerly at 111 Avenue, Chicago, now resides at 4216 Gree Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

The new address of Marie E. Debolt, ' structor in music and art, is 215 North Street, Wheaton, Illinois.

The name of Edna R. Hanley, Agnes College, Decatur, Georgia, has been placed alumni mailing list. Miss Hanley was fo librarian at Bluffton College and is now lib of Agnes Scott College.

Agnes Weaver, '32, has returned to from Akron, Ohio. Her address is Box rural route eight, Goshen, Indiana.

Dr. Albert Hershberger, '26, recently r paper on the "Permeability of Cellophane Moisture."

William Swartzendruber, '28, has been ap ed senior bacteriologist for the state departm health in Illinois. He recently gave an illus lecture on "The Doctor and the Laboratory fore the county medical association at Da Illinois.

C. L. Shank, '14, has removed from 123 Street, North Canton, to Middlebranch, Oh

During February John M. Allgyer, ex-'30

rty, Ohio, motored to points in the East with father and mother, Bishop and Mrs. S. E. All-, and his sister, Mrs. N. E. Troyer, to visit and Mrs. J. G. Baumgardner, '23, (Ruth yer, ex-'25) at Princeton, New Jersey.

When the radio announcer says that the next ber on the program being broadcast by the tminster Choir will be a solo by John Baumlner, alumni are learning that the voice to be ght by the loud speaker will be that of ius," merely grown deeper, fuller, more nant with the years. Hear them over KYW :15 p. m., C. S. T., every Wednesday.

ah Abshire, '30, returned March 5 from a ral weeks' trip to Florida and Cuba with her er. They also visited in Baton Rouge, La.

r. and Mrs. Milton Brunk, '29, (Elsie Yoder, 32) and their daughter, Catharine Ann, of hen, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schrock, ex-'31 ella Yoder, ex-'32) spent Christmas day with . A. I. Yoder at West Liberty, Ohio. Mrs. nk and daughter and Mrs. Schrock remained pend holiday week with their mother and re-ed to their homes on January 1.

he NEWS LETTER owes a correction. Bessie ey, ex-'32, has been Mrs. Irvin Kennel, of eka, Illinois, for several years.

ahley Weaver, ex-'28, of Goshen, has been tioned as a distinguished Purdue "Ag" can-te for having won a gold medal in the Gold lal Sheep Club each year since its organiza-nearly nine years ago.

lam Zimmerly, ex-'33, is spending the winter Miami, Flordia.

Iary Rieth, who did a semester's work at Go-n College in 1933 in completion of the A. B. irements at De Pauw University is substitut-for Miss Frey at Concord high school in Dun-during the month of April.

am C. Plank, ex-'11, was president of the mers Institute held at West Liberty, Ohio, Feb. 4.

arl Kaser, '16, cashier of the New Paris e Bank for a number of years, was appoint-liquidating agent in February for banks at lcottville and North Milford in LaGrange nty. The appointment was made by the state artment of financial institutions. Mr. Kaser taken a leave of absence from the New Paris k.

Mark Blosser, ex-'12, formerly of Nappanee, Ralph Blosser, '33, son of Professor C. B. sser, have purchased the business known as Cripe Poultry Producers' station at 211 West coln Avenue. They plan to re-install cream ng equipment and purchase cream, poultry, eggs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stalter, '27, (Florence vks, '28) on February 1, moved their residence n 405 South Fifth Street, Goshen, to 117 South enth Street.

t the January 12 meeting of the Phalo Club following officers were elected for the com-year: Mrs. Paul Bender, (Bertha Burkhold-president; Mrs. W. H. Smith (Verna Graber, , vice-president; Mrs. G. T. Soldner, secretary-surer. Mrs. W. H. Smith discussed the good evil effects of the depression and Mrs. A. L. unger (Cordelia Riesen, '21) entertained with roup of songs.

John Leatherman, ex-'35, of Doylestown, Pa., a student at E. M. S. for the past three semesters was ordained a minister of the Doylestown congregation early in January.

Florence Bender, '22, has been appointed assistant state director of emergency education in connection with establishment of a training school for emergency nursery school teachers. She is working under Dr. Harriet E. O'Shea, educational director of the Purdue university nursery school and the state director of the federal emergency relief nursery school education program.

The following item from the West Liberty Banner set the editor of the NEWS LETTER to wondering whether Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fett, ex-'07 (Mary Speicher, ex-'08) intended to remember any others among their editor friends: "Mrs M. S. Yoder received a box of fruit from her brother A. J. Fett, of Harlingen, Texas. It contained some grapefruit marked for a number of friends and Mr. Fett has the thanks of the Editor for a large juicy one."

Rev. M. C. Lehman, '14, president of the Alumni Association, is in demand as a public speaker. His audiences include civic, social, and religious groups, both men and women, and his subjects are as varied as his audiences. He averages two or more addresses per week whenever he is in the city.

Glen Hershberger, '23, government airways radio expert, was stricken with a sudden attack of appendicitis at Sterling, Illinois, one night early in February. A local physician there insisted on an immediate emergency operation; but thoughts of Mrs. Hershberger (Dula Roth, '29), and little Grace Ellen at Goshen, refused assent to the doctor's orders. Mr. Hershberger wired to Goshen, boarded a train, arrived at Goshen in the morning, underwent an appendectomy at the Goshen City hospital at noon, and spent the period of convalesence at the home of his father-in-law, H. S. Roth. He returned to work, March 21. Seven months old Grace Ellen greatly enjoyed the opportunity of becoming better acquainted with Daddy.

D. B. Zook, '02, 807 North Howard Street, Akron, Ohio, teacher in Akron South High School, is president of the Smucker-Zook Reunion held annually in Wayne county, Ohio, during the month of June.

Bishop Norman A. Lind, of Tangent, Oregon, taught a class in the Gospel of Matthew, at Hesston College during the special Bible term in January.

Robert Bender, '32, won the George Haven scholarship in Harvard Medical College awarded to freshmen who demonstrate superior scholastic ability during the first semester.

At the reorganization of the Pleasant View Sunday school near Bowdil, Wayne county, Ohio, on Sunday Dec. 17, Emerson Hostetler, ex-'31, was elected one of the superintendents.

Marvin Hostetler, ex-'35, was elected one of the superintendents of the Martin's Sunday school near Orville, Ohio, December 24.

Walter Oswald, '15, and Clayton Lehman ex-'18, have been elected superintendents of the Midway Sunday School near Columbiana, Ohio.

James, '32, and David, sons of Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00are superintendents of theN. Lima, O., S. S.

Dr. Homer B. Reed, '07, writes an article on the reorganization of the curriculum of Fort Hayes State College, Fort Hayes, Kansas, in School and Society, Feb. 3, 1934, pp. 143-44.

The new address of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hostetler, '31 (Bernice Gerig ex-'33), is 315 South Church Street, Louisville, Ohio.

The editor scarcely knows what excuse to plead for having overlooked the announcement of the marriage of Margaret Anderson, '22, to Mr. C. S. Morse over two years ago. Their address is 5748 Blackstone Ave., Hyde Park Station, Chicago, Ill.

Agnes H. Anderson, ex-'22, continues her journalistic career as editor. Her address is 430 South Ashland Avenue, Chicago.

Depressions may come and depressions may go, but the Ohio Livestock Cooperative Association finds the services of J. R. Allgyer, '15, as secretary-manager indispensable. Mr. and Mrs. Allgyer, (Anne Reisner, '13), reside at 1384 Inglis Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Blanche Brenneman, '32, formerly of Elida, Ohio, is doing house work in a private home for Dr. Edwin Longaker, 37 East Montgomery Avenue, Ardmore, Pa.

Dr. L. E. Blauch, '16, executive secretary of the Curriculum Survey Committee of the American Association of Dental Schools presented a report at the meeting of the association in Chicago, March 19-21, which embodied the results of a three year survey. This survey was an effort to develop a suggested course of study to train men and women for the general practice of dentistry. The enthusiastic reception of the report by the forty-three dental schools of the Association indicates that it will undoubtedly result in a marked improvement in dental education. The survey was financed by a grant of $30,000 from the Carnegie Corporation. In recognition of his meritorious service to dental education the honorary dental fraternity, Omicron Kappa Upsilon, awarded to Dr. Blauch an honorary key which has in dentistry the same recognition as the Phi Beta Kappa key in Liberal Arts circles.

Dr. Jonathan G. Yoder, '28, interne at the Lutheran hospital in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, visited on the campus on March 24.

Rev. I. R. Detweiler, '01, of Bluffton, Ohio, accompanied by fourteen students from Bluffton college, gave programs in five northern Indiana Mennonite churches during the Easter vacation.

Vilas Zuercher, ex-'35, of Dalton, Ohio, is continuing his course in veterinary surgery at Ohio State University.

Dr. W. K. Jacobs, D. O. '99, shepherds a Baptist congregation in St. Louis, in addition to performing his duties as a physician.

Rev. Lester Hostetler, '15, pastor of the Upland, California, church has been conducting regular catechetical instruction for a class of his young people. The new members were added to the church on Easter. Rev. Hostetler has been conducting a series of sermons on the book of Jeremiah.

Elvin V. Snyder, '29, South American missionary, has charge of the section, "The Young People," in "La Voz Menonita," Spanish Mennonite magazine. In the December 1933, issue he gives in detail the awfulness of war and the foolish waste of money in war. The article is inte to strengthen young people in their testimon peace.

Missionaries in India were made happy, cember 8, by the return home of their chil safe and happy, after spending their school at Landour. The children arrived at R at 8:30 p. m. This was sixty-eight miles Sankra. Arthur and Ernest Smucker, Ka Kauffman, Thelma Miller, and Edward, and Grace Friesen were in the school part

The Mission News Bulletin for January 1934, contained the following item from the utes of the Executive Committee of the nonite Board of Missions and Charities: "M Lehman met with the Committee regarding return to India. He states that he is rea return to India.—The matter was conside

The Mission News Bulletin for Februar 1934 contains the following items from the ruary meeting of the Board: "Bro Litwiller family will be returned to South Americ June or July if finances can be provided." Joseph Graber and family will be return India as soon as arrangements can be after the next annual meeting." "Bro. Fred neman and wife shall be informed that sailing to India will be arranged as soon a tails can be worked out." J. D. Graber, in Princeton Theological Seminary: Dr. 33, and Mrs. Millie Page Brenneman '33 stationed at the La Junta Mennonite Ho

J. N, Kauffman, '17, Dhamtari, C. P., writes under date of December 28: "Despi continued financial stringency it is clear the Lord is providing the necessary fund carrying on the work. We desire to co-o here and are continuing the 25 per cent all departments. Most of the missionarie well and are working full strength."

The following item is gleaned from the hart Institute Monthly for August, 1902: officers for the Summer Normal Literar ciety were: C. Blosser, Pres.; John Thut, Pres.; Jennie Shanower, Secretary; Eli Treas. Twenty-three members belong to t ciety."

The John Thut mentioned here is no active Mennonite minister in Harper, K and a frequent contributor to the Gospel H

The "South American Mission News," a publication launched in January of this yea edited by Nelson Litwiller, '25, missiona furlough from South America, is one of th publications issued by the Mennonite Boa Missions and Charities. The second n February, 1934, contains the amazing, almo mantic, story of a young South Americar vert, now pastor of the Mennonite congre at Pehuajo, who added thirty-six memb his congregation in 1933! Another inf article describes the Spanish magazine, "L Menonita." The Mennonite Voice.

Simon W. Sommer, '14, Berlin, Ohio, w of the instructors for the Bible conferenc at the South Union church near West L Ohio, during the Christmas holiday seas

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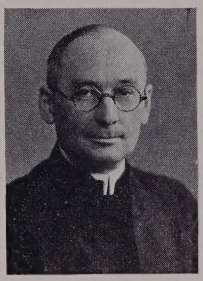
nember that the Goshen College Bulletin and NI NEWS-LETTER cannot reach you unless ave your present street number, rural route x number. Second class matter cannot be for- ed. We always send out the July NEWS- ER with something of a feeling of dread be- we know that you are probably not at your r teaching address. We have a mental pic- of your landlady receiving the NEWS-LETTER because it is second-class mail, throwing it the waste-basket or using it to start fire in undry stove next Monday morning.

n't forget the August Reunion! Every year ast Sunday in August sees the return of s of alumni and friends to the campus and y every year some one returns who has not here for ten, twenty, thirty years. You can- fford to risk missing some old friend or class- whom you have not seen for a quarter of a ry and whom, except for this reunion, you not see during the next ten or fifteen years. s are always good in late August, and de- signs removed. Even College Avenue has made dustless by a new coat of asphalt and l. Bert Smith and family usually drive over Akron, Ohio, in the forenoon, enjoy the ion, and motor back to Akron in the evening for work early on Monday. Many others do the same, and how you would enjoy being

fessor E. J. Zook is chairman of the com- e on arrangements this year and Mrs. John ank (Olive Nafziger, '12) is secretary. The reunion will be held on the Goshen College campus on Sunday, August 26. Plan your itinerary for your summer motor trip so that you will be passing through Goshen during late August and don't fail to stop for the Reunion.

In spite of the extreme heat, attendance at the June Reunion was almost as large as last year. Dr. M. C. Lehman, '04, presided; Arthur Smith, '23, was toastmaster; Leland Brenneman, '34, Dr. M. C. Lehman, '04, and '14, Dr. C. O. Hershey, '14, and J. N. Kaufman, '17, gave toasts; and Dr. Benjamin Gerig, '17, gave the address of the evening. Dr. Gerig's definition of the League of Nations in its dual aspect as the technical league and the political league and his explanation of the functions and operation of the League was a model of clearness. The address was not only highly informing, but also interesting and entertaining. Dr. Gerig expressed complete confidence in the future of the League.



Dr. M. C. Lehman
Re-elected President of Goshen College Alumni Association in June

The NEWS-LETTER seems to be growing too small. Nearly a dozen typewritten pages of personal items could not find room in this issue. Most of them will keep for the October number.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Samford C. Yoder spent the first part of the summer vacation on an eight thousand mile trip to the Pacific Coast and through the western states in the interests of the College. President Yoder received the B. D. degree from Northern Baptist Theological Seminary at Chicago in May.

Dean Harold S. Bender, '18, spent the first month of the summer vacation in Pennsylvania and Canada. He will conduct Bible study hours on the International Sunday school lessons at the Ohio Sunday school conference in August.

Orie O. Miller, '15, returned from his trip to Africa and India in May. In July he spent several days at the College in connection with his duties as chairman of the administrative committee for Goshen College.

Summer school enrollment is smaller than usual, but the very fine group of young people enrolled seem to be spending a happy, busy, profitable summer. Dr. Silas Hertzler, director of the Summer Session, is in charge and the teaching staff is selected from the regular faculty, supplemented by Samuel M. King, M. A., University of Nebraska, assisting in the department of education, and A. Fay Grassmyer, '21, M. A., Pennsylvania State, in

biological science. Professor B. Frank Hartzler, '29, is substituting for Professor Walter E. Yoder, '33, head of the department of music, who is enrolled for a heavy course in the school of music at Northwestern University during the summer session.

The class of 1934 presented as its class gift to the College a collection of prints from paintings by the great masters. One of them, "Brot und Eisen," the class framed and hung in the first floor hallway of Science Hall, directly opposite the entrance. It presents a striking appearance as one enters the main doors of the building. Some profess to see in it a suggestion of Carl Sandburg's "Chicago."

Nelson Litwiller, '25, missionary on furlough from South America, one of the busiest men in the U. S. A. and Canada in promoting the cause of Jesus Christ during the past year, took a little time off one day this spring from his activities in holding religious services, conducting Bible conferences, helping to establish a Spanish mission in Chicago, and giving missionary addresses, to cultivate, water and otherwise care for, the planting of evergreens on the northeast corner of the campus. These evergreens were the gift of his class to the College in 1925 and have given a grateful response this summer to Mr. Litwiller's care.

The ivy of the class of 1930, planted on the right of the main entrance to Science Hall, has now reached the second story windows.

The Goshen College representative in the annual Indiana state peace oratorical contest placed fourth among the seven contestants. One of the judges placed him first and two, third, tying him for third place with Manchester's representative. But when the tie was resolved by using percentages he lost to Manchester 505 to 531. Wabash, Earlham, and Manchester placed first, second, and third, respectively, as they did last year.

The Summer Convocation will be held in Assembly Hall on the last day of the Summer Session, August 8, at 2:00 p. m., C. D. S. T. Dr. Samuel M. Zwemer, of Princeton, N. J., editor of the Moslem World and professor of missions in Princeton Theological Seminary, will deliver the commencement address.

Dr. Paul Bender, professor of physics, and three of his students attended a meeting of college instructors in physics at Purdue university, May 12.

Dr. Glen Miller and Dr. Paul Bender attended a meeting of the American Chemical Society at Notre Dame university, South Bend, on April 25.

Members of the Men's Chorus were loud in praise of the older alumni for their cordial and enthusiastic reception on the annual Easter concert tour through Michigan, Canada, New York, Pennsylvania, and Ohio. Mrs. Ruth (Ebersole) Rasmussen, '11, employed in the Industrial Department of the Buffalo Public Library, Buffalo, N. Y., on learning that the chorus would be at Clarence Center commuted to her home in North Tonawanda and then with her daughter and a party of friends drove twenty-five miles to Clarence Center. The men were pleased also to bear greetings to their Alma Mater from Mrs. Ray Baumgardner (Elizabeth Hansaker, '02), Martinsburg, Pa., Edward E. Hansaker, '02, Lima, Ohio, and others. Mr. Hansaker is proprietor of the Welcome Drug Store, at the corner of Main and Elm. In a recent letter he wrote: "I often think of our college days as most pleasant period of my life."

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, and Professor Sa King attended the ninth annual meeting of midwestern psychological association at Pu University, May 10-12.

ALUMNI DUES PAID

Following is a list of alumni who have paid annual dues since March. The list is comple about July 15. The annual dues are one d per year, payable at your convenience. Sca a week passes in which some alumnus does send in his dues and a word of appreciation fo NEWS-LETTER. Annual dues furnish the source of funds for printing the NEWS-LETTE Alumni Directory. And all of the money act goes for this purpose! No officer, directo other member of the association receives one for any work in connection with the NEWS-LE In fact a few years ago when funds and enthus were at a low ebb, Dr. S. T. Miller, then pres of the Association, used to pull out his pocket after the treasurer's report was read in th rectors' meeting and say, "Come on, you fel help make up this deficit!" More than onc laid a ten dollar bill on the table!

Esther Leininger, '29; Erma Schertz, '33; Iverson E. Mishler, '31; Fred N. Burkey, '13 & Mrs. Arthur W. Roth, '33, (Mary Mussel '33), $2.00; Rev. G. W. Phillips, '13; Emn Rohrer, '31; Dora Hershberger, '31; Mrs. Morse (Margaret Anderson), '22; Agnes Ande ex-'25; Professor B. F. Hartzler, '29; Schwary, '32; Mary Hess, '30; Bessie Moyer, R. R. Ebersole, '05; Hazel E. Stauffer, '30, $ Ross Gerber, '33; Mr. & Mrs. A. E. Kreider (Stella Shoemaker, '16), $2.00; Mr. & Mrs. M Gingerich, '26, (Verna Roth, ex-'31), $2.00; Baer, ex-'34; A. C. Moyer, '01; Mr. & Mrs. C Brunk, '10, (Inez Schrock, '13), $2.00; J Kaufman, '17; Paul Swope, '31; Mrs. J. J. tetler; Helen Stauffer, '30; Edwin Herner, Mr. & Mrs. Allen Ebersole, '30, (Nellie M '31), $2.00; Mrs. Samuel King (Nellie Zook), Mrs. H. E. Becknell (Bernice Lehman), '18 & Mrs. C. J. Gerber, '17, (Florence Wenger, $2.00; Dr. Clifford Brunk, '15; F. S. Ebersole Tilman Smith, '28; Fred Bryner, '22; Prof Willard Smith, '28; Dr. & Mrs. W. B. Christo '02, (Alta Kurtz, '02), $2.00; Amasa Kauf '28, $2.00; Olive Wyse, '26; Dr. & Mrs. Jon Yoder, '27, (Fyrne Miller, '30), $2.00; Edwin ver, '30; Arline Yoder, '31; Mrs. J. A. Ressler Lena I. Albrecht, '09, $2.00; Allen Y. King, Jay H. Eberly, 28; Blanche Brenneman, '31 S. E. Yoder, '16; A. P. Hallman, '31; Ear Brilhart, '33; Mrs. Etta Gilliom Davis, '09; Krabill, '22; Dr. E. M. Landis, ex-'24; Hon. Yoder, '05; Mrs. Raymond Sommers (Edna C '28; Esther Graber, '32; Dr. S. Lloyd Job '14; Dr. Albert Hershberger, '26; Rev. Elm Mast, '31; Dr. C. O. Hershey, '14; Virginia B '31; Stanley Miller, '31; Anna Hoover, '10; Oyer, ex-'33; Homer A. Yoder, '18; Milto Smith, '28, $2.00; Mrs. Forrest Kauffman (belle Smucker), '30; Dr. J. E. Hartzler, '04; Ann Umble, '21, $2.00; Gilbert Gerber, e Lenna Heatwole, ex-'32; H. C. Yoder, '22; Mrs. E. A. Meyer, '20, (Josephine Lehman,

; Lucille Kreider, '33; Professor J. G. Baumer, '23; O. O. Miller, '15; Mrs. Louis Lamse ıer Schott), '19; Menno E. Miller, '33; Eva ıley, '33; C. B. Shoemaker, '12.

;W MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

e following completed courses at the College g the current year:

BACHELOR OF ARTS

ra Stutzman Hershberger, Milford, Nebraska, ry, German;
ce Marie Housour, Elkhart, Indiana, English, ical science;
lla Amanda Kauffman, West Liberty, Ohio, sh, history;
dia Carolyn Lehman, Goshen, philosophy, sh;
ıl Everett Mininger, Goshen, Bible, history; tha Barbara Nohejl, Goshen, home economics, sh;
dger Paul O'Shea, Goshen, physical science, ematics;
ie Lois Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, science;
bert Weaver Shideler, Goshen, physical sci- mathematics;
na Anne Smith, Eureka, Illinois, English, science;
pe Elizabeth Stutsman, Lanham, Maryland, cal science, English;
nuel Coffman Swartz, Elida, Ohio, history, sh;
ın Christian Wenger, Telford, Pa., Bible, cal science;
ın Milton Williams, Middlebury, Indiana, ematics, physical science;
a LaVerne Yoder, Goshen, biological science, sh;
ebe Ethel Yoder, Windom, Kansas, history and science, English;
ıl David Zook, Goshen, biological science, Eng-

TO RECEIVE BACHELOR OF ARTS, AUGUST 8, 1934

ss L. Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

ra Beachy, Sherwood, Ohio, Bible, English; and Hilty Brenneman, Lima, Ohio, history, science;
rvey Walter Frederick, Nappanee, Indiana, y, biological science;
ward Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio, biological e, English;
a Lydia Gunden, Goshen, English, Bible;
l Milton Hostetler, Barrs Mills, Ohio, bio- l science, physical science;
rian Elizabeth Messner, Strasburg, Pa., Eng- Latin;
len Oesch, Kent, Ohio, Bible, education;
nuel Owen Thomas, Goshen, biological sci- physical science.

O RECEIVE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION, AUGUST 8, 1934

nneth Zook, Goshen, history, biological sci-

BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY

ra Beachy, Sherwood, Ohio;
ın Ezra Coffman, Vineland, Ontario;
ah Esther Esch, Elkhart, Indiana;
ebe Ethel Yoder, Windom, Kansas.

TO RECEIVE BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY, AUGUST 8, 1934

Orie Allen Miller, Wayland, Iowa.

ELEMENTARY TEACHER TRAINING DIPLOMA

Marie Bender, Springs, Pa.; John David Hartzler, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Delilah Marie Miller, Louisville, Ohio; Wilma Bernice Miller, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Lewis Jared Powell, South English, Iowa; Atha Evelyn Stahl, Elkhart, Indiana; John M. S. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio; Mary Katharine Thoman, West Liberty, Ohio; Laura E. Troyer, Elida, Ohio; Louise Weaver, Goshen; Marion Elizabeth Wisseman, Grantsville, Md.; Idella Glorene Zuercher, Dalton, Ohio.

TO RECEIVE ELEMENTARY TEACHER TRAINING DIPLOMA, AUGUST 8, 1934

George Calvin Amstutz, Apple Creek, Ohio; Atlee Beechy, Berlin, Ohio; Esther Mae Eberly, Dalton, Ohio; Gladys Elizabeth Johns, Canton, Ohio; Glen Otis Mast, Millersburg, Ohio; Willard Samuel Miller, Berlin, Ohio; Vera Mae Roth, Manson, Iowa; Willard Glen Richer, Wauseon, Ohio.

ACADEMY

Jennie Mast, Goshen; Orval Leroy Shoemaker, Dakota, Illinois; Lois Wolf Miller, Akron, Pa.

WEDDING BELLS

Loyal Hostetler, graduate of Ohio state university, and Elizabeth (Betty) Burkholder, ex-'31, were united in marriage by Jesse N. Smucker, '18, at Smithville, Ohio, on March 30. The young people will reside on a farm east of Smithville. The bride has been teaching in Smithville for a number of years since attending Goshen College.

Willard Samuel Miller, '36, and Grace, daughter of Mrs. Nettie Maxwell, both of Berlin, Ohio, were united in marriage on March 24, at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop O. N. Johns, of Canton, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are living in Goshen this summer while Mr. Miller is completing the elementary teacher training course at the College. He is a teacher in the Holmes county public schools.

Goshen friends have received announcements of the wedding at Cleveland, Ohio, on June 30, of Joseph C. Baumgartner, ex-'23, and Gladys Fay Andrews. Mr. Baumgartner's home was at Milford, Indiana, he attended Goshen College, graduated at Michigan, attended Harvard and has for several years been principal in the Cleveland (Ohio) public school system.

Albin Victor Spunar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Spunar of Chicago, and Miss Frederica Clason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clason, of East Lincoln Avenue, Goshen, were married by the Rev. W. W. Robinson, of Goshen, at the Methodist parsonage on Saturday, April 28. Both Mr. and Mrs. Spunar are graduates of the University of Illinois. Since graduating from the university Mrs. Spunar has been a teacher in the Goshen junior high schools and has served as a critic teacher for cadet teachers from the College. Mr. and Mrs. Spunar are making their home in Chicago.

On June 5 at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Swartzendruber, near Kalona, Iowa, Jacob F. Swartzendruber, ex-'36, and Emily Slaby, daughter of Mrs. Mary Baumrock, 208½ South Main Street, Goshen, were united in marriage

by Bishop D. J. Fisher. The bride is a graduate of the Laura A. Kindig Seminary for Nurses at Goshen city hospital, class of '33. Mr. Swartzendruber is teacher of the seventh and eighth grades in the schools of Keota, Iowa, where the young couple will reside after September 1.

On the evening of June 10, Oswin Gerber, '36, and Louella Amstutz, special Bible student during the past two years, were united in marriage at the Sonnenberg Church near Dalton, Ohio, of which they are both members, Louis Amstutz officiating. They are at home in the College Apartments on College Avenue. Mr. Gerber will continue his work as a student and as superintendent of buildings and grounds at Goshen College.

On Saturday, June 2, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mattie Smucker, Smithville, Ohio, David C. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio, and Katie M. Smucker, were united in marriage, Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00, father of the groom, officiating. Mr. Steiner is a schoolteacher-farmer near North Lima where the couple will reside. The bride has been a teacher in the Smithville schools.

The Rev. Joseph Samuel Pritchard, '35, son of Mrs. Senia Pritchard of Syracuse, Indiana, was married on Saturday, June 30, to Ruth Blanchard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blanchard, of Syracuse. The Rev. Francis Pritchard, brother of the groom, read the service in the presence of more than one hundred guests assembled at the Syracuse Evangelical Church. The bride, a graduate of Manchester college, class of 1929, has been home economics teacher at Syracuse for the past two years. The groom, a graduate of Indianapolis Tech., and Naperville Evangelical theological seminary, Naperville, Illinois, is pastor of the Evangelical church in Syracuse where they will make their home.

Mrs. Fannie (Rupp) Zook, '12, became Mrs. Harry Seaverson in January. Her husband is a wealthy Rockford, Illinois, manufacturer. Address: 1979 Harlem Boulevard, Rockford.

Milton Smith, '28, of 321 Ballymore Road, Springfield, Pa., and Gertrude Bishop, '36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Bishop, of Doylestown, Pa., were united in marriage on the lawn of their beautiful country home by Dr. M. C. Lehman, of Goshen, Indiana, on June 23. Mr. Smith is principal of the Springfield Junior-Senior high school. The bride was an assistant instructor in piano at Goshen College during the past year.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baumgartner (Thelma Ropp, ex-'29) have a son, Carlyle Ray, born May 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Litwiller, '30 (Ruth V. Yoder, '29), have a son, Larry.

A son, John Jacob, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sudermann, '31 (Hilda Byler, '37) on Monday, May 28.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stemen, 14, of South Third Street, Goshen, at the Goshen hospital on Tuesday, May 29. The infant failed to survive. Alumni extend sympathy.

Juanita Grace, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, '33 (Mrs. Millie Page Brenneman, '33), arrived April 30, weight seven pounds, thirteen ounces.

Loren Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin (erich, '26 (Verna Roth, ex-'31) was born July

Gordon Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur tetler, '30 (Velma Lapp, '32), was born on 20, 1934.

Philip Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. A Roth, '33 (Mary Musselman, '33), was born 23. He is a first cousin of Loren Lee Ginge born July 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharon D. Brunk, '28 (Cleo (ex-'31), of South English, Iowa, are the pa of a daughter, Bonnie Lucille, born April 9.

NECROLOGY

William N. Moyer, '88, died at his home s of Elkhart, May 6. He was the son of Mr. Mrs. John Moyer and was born in Columb county, Ohio. He was a member of the Menn church. Surviving are two sons, Anthony C., and William C., ex-'10, and three daughters. ial was made in Yellow Creek cemetery.

Bertha (Zook) Detweiler, '02, wife of Rev. Detweiler, was born in La Grange county, Ind January 22, 1875, and died, April 23, at her in Bluffton, Ohio, after having been in failing h for a considerable period. She is survived by husband; a daughter, Emma, at home; and sons, James, a student at Ohio State Univer and Mark, an adopted son, residing in Go Funeral services were held in Bluffton and i Eighth Street Mennonite church in Goshe Wednesday, April 25. An immense concours sembled at the latter place to pay the last tr of respect to the deceased, who was widely k and loved for her devotion to the missio philanthropic, and educational work of the ch

Mrs. Sabina Ebersole Landis, '78, died at home, 1134 South Eighth Street, Goshen, on 5. She was born in Lancaster county, Pa., daughter of Preacher and Mrs. Abram Ebe She and her husband, Deacon Amos S. La came to Goshen from Sterling, Illinois, where were married sixty years ago. Ten of their e children survive the parents and the following have become alumni of Goshen College:

Enos Clayton, ex-'01, Lansing, Kansas; B '02 (deceased), Mrs. D. S. Gerig, Goshen; '01, Mrs. John Umble, Goshen; Lena, '03, D. B. Zook, Akron, Ohio; Austin E., '09, De Mich.; Elwood E., '08, Goshen; Menno C., Goshen; Mary, '12, Mrs. J. J. Smoker, Marq Mich.; Ruth, '12, (Mrs. Ruth Umble, '23), D. S. Gerig, Goshen; Florence, '15, Mrs. Ray J. Schertz, Metamora, Illinois.

Rev. A. E. Kreider, '15, nephew of the dece preached the funeral sermon at the Eighth S Mennonite Church. Burial was made in V cemetery.

The funeral of the father of Professor Arth Sprunger, '22, Mr. Phillip Sprunger, of B Indiana, was held at Berne on Tuesday, May

Bertha Olive, wife of Bishop Jacob A. Heat La Junta, Colorado, was born near Dale E prise, Va., June 30, 1876, died at her home, 24, 1934. She was the mother of seven chil two of whom are alumni of Goshen College: ex-'31, and Lenna, ex-'32.

he family moved to La Junta in 1907. The er has been a pastor, evangelist and bishop for ly a third of a century.

annah, '15, daughter of Eli and Mary Reed olumbiana county, Ohio, was born in 1897 and killed in an automobile accident near Morris, ois, on June 30. She was married July 25,), to Irvin Yoder, of Shipshewana. She and husband and their five children were motoring Shipshewana and had visited her relatives on way. Near Morris, Illinois, the car skidded on pavement killing the mother, fracturing both he eldest child's legs and breaking the hip of youngest. Funeral services were held in the istian church in Goshen, Dr. M. C. Lehman, president of the alumni association, preaching sermon. On account of injuries the husband children could not attend the services. Gladys khart, '32, stenographer, recorded the entire ice. Of the large congregation present at the ral more than half seemed to be Goshen Col- alumni. Mrs. Yoder was a sister of Professor ner B. Reed, '07, Hayes, Kansas, and Esther l, '16, Mrs. Jesse Riffe, Texhoma, Oklahoma.

rs. Ella Blosser Leinbach, '60, wife of Henry bach, died at her home near North Lima, Ohio, y in July. She was the mother of Nola Lein- , ex-'31.

arvey Ebersole, '16, aged 43, died May 11, at el hospital, Newton, Kansas, after a brief ss. His wife was formerly Muriel Heintzel- , of Goshen. In 1919 they left for Kansas re Mr. Ebersole accepted a position as a teacher Bethel College. His wife and two children, garet and Carl, survive, also a sister Mrs. Lil- Workman.

mon Zook, Sterling, Ohio, fell from a ladder July 2 while painting in Rittman, Ohio, and from his injuries on July 11. He was the er of Paul David, ex-'36, and a brother of , '01 (Mrs. J. A. Ressler, Scottdale, Pa.), B., '02, Akron, Ohio, and Mary, ex-'03, Ster- Ohio.

rs. Ellen Rebecca Mast, aged 73, daughter of stian J. and Mary (Mosier) Plank, was born t. Joseph county, Michigan, July 1, 1860, and at the Elkhart general hospital, June 6. On mber 7, 1879, she was married to Jacob Mast, ased, an active and loyal supporter of Goshen ge in its infancy. Mrs. Mast was the Rev. Elmer D. Mast, '31, pastor of the Evan- al church at Carmi, Illinois.

rs. Emanuel J. Swope (Maggie F. Burkholder) born near Harrisonburg, Va., April 9, 1872 died at her home near Columbiana, Ohio, 9, 1934. She is survived by her husband, eight and three daughters. Mrs. Swope was the ner of Paul, '31, of Columbiana, and Joe, '33, Belleville, Pa. Funeral services were held at Midway Church in charge of Bishop A. J. ner, '00, and Preachers E. M. Detweiler and Yoder, ex-'27.

he funeral of Mrs. Conrad (Mary G.) Wisse- , of Grantsville, Maryland, mother of Marion seman, '36, was held on Sunday afternoon, 13.

mon G. Shenk, pastor of the Blanchard, Ohio, regation in Putnam county was instantly killed in a railway accident, May 8. The deceased was a son of the aged bishop, John M. Shenk, and father of Wilbur, '31, science teacher in Bellecenter, Ohio, high school.

The aged mother of Mrs. Ray Baumgardner (Elizabeth Hansaker, '02) and E. E. Hansaker, '02, Lima, Ohio, passed away on April 5, following a paralytic stroke a week earlier.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Deter, '16, 7109 Eggleston Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, plan to entertain World's Fair visitors again this summer. They can accommodate ten or twelve persons a night. A card from alumni or friends will reserve a bed for the night at regulation rates.

The editor had the pleasure of recommending the Deter home to some Chicago visitors from Martinsburg, Pennsylvania, who on their return from Chicago, were loud in their praise of the cheerful hominess and excellent accommodations at reasonable rates.

D. B. Zook, '02, teacher in South high school, Akron, Ohio, writes an interesting article on "Trends in Business for 1932, 1933, 1934," in the April, 1934, issue of The Akron Journal of Education, the official publication of the Akron teachers' association.

Professor Martin Clifford Lehman, '04, of 1225 South Eighth Street, Goshen, and of New Haven, Conn., received the degree of doctor of philosophy at Yale University on June 13. When he received his degree, his gown brushed that of President Franklin D. Roosevelt who received an honorary degree from Yale on the same occasion. Dr. Lehman's thesis was: "The Religious and Metaphysical Significance of the Writings of Harishchandra," a philosopher and dramatic poet of India who wrote mostly in Sanskrit. Dr. and Mrs. Lehman contemplate returning to the India missionary field where they feel that their life work has been most successful and where friendships made over a long period of years are calling them back home. In anticipation of their return to India Dr. Lehman refused a very flattering offer of a professorship at Yale university and another offer of a professorship at Bethel college, Newton, Kansas.

Dr. Lehman is in constant demand for sermons and lectures. During June he accepted invitations to speak in Mennonite churches in Kansas and Colorado. He is scheduled to attend the Illinois Church and Sunday School conference, August 21-24, where he has been invited to preach the conference sermon.

Raymond J. Schertz, '22, superintendent of the Metamora, Illinois, public schools, enjoyed a free trip to the Washington, D. C. meeting of the N. E. A., in July as an elected delegate from the Illinois State teachers' association.

C. J. Gerber, '17, principal of Wakarusa, Indiana, schools for the past twelve years, has been successful in his controversy with his township trustee who sought to dismiss him in defiance of the teacher tenure law. At the conclusion of the hearing before the proper school authorities, the county superintendent, Ora M. Strycker, ex-'22, found the charges not proved and recommended that ouster proceedings be dropped.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gingerich, '26 (Verna Mae Roth, ex-'29), and two sons, Owen and Loren Lee, will continue their residence at Washington, Iowa, next year, where Mr. Gingerich is assistant principal and instructor in American history and economics in the Washington high school and junior college. He is also a member of the national committee in charge of the National Student Forum on the Paris Pact. Washington high school placed second among one hundred Iowa high schools in this Student Forum, the ranking being determined by the number of different projects on international relations worked out by the students. Mr. Gingerich had charge of the projects in the Washington high school. During May and June Mr. Gingerich gave peace addresses in all of the principal towns of his home county on the subject of World Peace under the sponsorship of the County Sunday School Council, one object of the addresses being to secure several thousand signers to an anti-war petition.

Lenna Heatwole, ex-'31, rural route one, La Junta, Colorado, gives her present occupation as "at home on the farm." An extract from a communication written in May to friends in Goshen will gladden the heart of every alumnus who is acquainted with Lenna and her heroic four-year fight for health in the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta: "Right now I am a daughter of the soil, enjoying myself listening to the birds instead of a radio, chasing turkeys, chickens and ducks instead of the 'cure,' and feeling fit as a fiddle. I expect to be in the Rockies part of the summer."

Professor J. E. Hartzler, '04, A. M., B. D., Ph. D., will be a member during the coming year, of the teaching staff of the Near East School of Theology, a merger of the School of Religion, Athens, Greece, and the School for Religious Workers, Beirut, Syria. The school, located at Beirut, Syria, is under the direction of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions and the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. Dr. Hartzler will occupy the chair of philosophy and theology. Accompanied by Mrs. Hartzler, (Mamie Yoder, '08) and daughter, Helen, Dr. Hartzler will leave late in August traveling by way of Europe and will begin his teaching duties on Oct. 5. The daughter, Helen, was a freshman in Bluffton College last year and will enter the American Junior College for Women in the University of Beirut.

Dr. and Mrs. Jonathan G. Yoder, '28 (Fyrne Miller, '30), who had practically completed plans to locate in Goshen, have decided, within recent weeks, to reside in North Lima, Ohio, where Dr. Yoder will begin the practise of medicine.

Lloyd J. Martin, '29, South Eighth Street, Goshen, president of the Elkhart County Farmers' Union, was selected by the Democratic voters in the May primary as their candidate for state representative from Elkhart county. He seems to have more than an even chance for election.

Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-'26 (A. B., Wooster College, 1926; M. A. University of Wisconsin, 1930) received the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Wisconsin on June 18. His major was economics and finance and his minor, law. The subject of his thesis is "A Critical Appraisal of the Operation of the Gold Exchange Standard." During the past three years, in addition to his stu and research in economics he has been an instruc in the department of economics and finance at university. Dr. Gerig is continuing his work instructor at the University during the present su mer session.

J. R. Allgyer, '15, spent ten days during the l ter part of June in Washington, D. C. learn the technic of his new position, Regional Rehab tation Adviser for Wisconsin, Illinois, India Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, and Michigan, made Columbus, Ohio his headquarters and chief duty is to assist recipients of federal re to find their way back into gainful employment.

The program of the fortieth annual O Mennonite Sunday school conference to held at the Bethel Mennonite Church, West I erty, Ohio, August 15-17, includes the names the following students and alumni of Goshen C lege: H. S. Bender, '18; Chauncey Smucker, ' I. J. Lehman, ex-'13; O. O. Miller, '15; J. Kaufman, '17; Eli Stoltzfus, '22; Ellis Hostet '31; Levi Hartzler, '36; Mary Royer, '30; Ve Nafziger, ex-'34; Loren King, '31; George A stutz, '36; Charles Kreider, '37; Ferne Mil ex-'35; John Steiner, '36; President Sanford Yoder; and Walter E. Yoder, '33, chorister. M bers of the alumni association who are memb of the executive committee of the conference I. W. Royer, '00, secretary; I. J. Lehman, ex- treasurer; Bishop O. N. Johns, ex-'08; and E Hostetler, '31.

Mrs. Sarah Lapp, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graber, '25 (Minnie Swartzendruber, ex-'27), son Ronald; and Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brennen '33 (Mrs. Millie Page Brenneman, '33) and ei weeks-old Juanita Grace, sailed for India f New York on the motor vessel "Saturnia," June

At the meeting of the Indiana-Michigan dist mission board Edwin J. Yoder, ex-'12, of Topo was elected president; Clarence Shank, ex-'02 Elkhart, vice-president; Homer North, ex-'12, Nappanee, secretary; and Pastor J. S. Hartz of the Elkhart congregation, editor of the R Evangel, official organ of the state board.

Homer A. Yoder, '18, 912 Osceola Way, G dale, California, is bond clerk in the treasury partment of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wellington K. Jacobs (Elizabeth Ginger '96) 3539 A South Grand Avenue, St. Louis, M souri, visited friends at the College in May. claims the distinction of being the first gradu from the Elkhart Institute. She and Dr. Jac celebrated their thirty-fifth wedding anniversa on May 24. They were married by J. S. Hart in the home of Principal and Mrs. N. E. B on South Prairie Street. Mrs. Jacobs gradua from the commercial department, being an ex stenographer and typist. When her husband graduated from her department, the Institute thorities gave her special permission to sign husband's diploma with her maiden name. typed the well-known J. S. Coffman address livered at the dedication of the Elkhart Instit

Bert H. Smith, '15, Akron district manage the Hoover sweeper company, North Can Ohio, has brought his district through with highest percentage of sales quota of any dist

he United States and Canada in a contest held ng the first five months of this year. Mr. and . Smith (Edna Metzler, '11) will be among teen district managers and their wives from United States and Canada who are being given outing by the company in the Canadian Rock- and Glacier National Park during the last two ks in July.

ilman Smith, '28, superintendent of schools in noke, Illinois, is the Democratic candidate for nty superintendent of Woodford county, Illinois.

len Hershberger, '23, government airways radio ert in the employ of the U. S. Department of merce, has been transferred to the Chicago- do division. This change makes it possible for to make regular week-end stops with his fam- at his home in Goshen.

. R. Ebersole, '05, 1415 East Marquette Road, ago, is an enthusiastic alumni booster and an reciative reader of the NEWS-LETTER.

ev. George W. Phillips, '13, pastor of the rch of the Brethren at Danville, Ohio, was en as one of two delegates to represent the heastern Ohio district of the Church of the hren on the standing committee at the National erence held at Ames, Iowa, June 13-19. His r is a student in the elementary teacher train- department at Goshen College.

. O. Krabill, '22, has been re-elected superin- ent of schools at Louisville, Ohio. He has loyed several of the younger Goshen College ni in his school system during the past few s. Mr. Krabill is doing graduate work at State university this summer.

r. and Mrs. S. E. Yoder, '16, and two sons, Elmer, Jr., and J. Carl, of 610 Race Avenue, caster, Pa., spent the month of June in Phila- hia where Dr. Yoder did post-graduate work steopathy.

llen Y. King, '22, successfully completed his inations in May for the A. M. in history at tern Reserve University. Beginning in Sep- ber Mr. King will become head of the social ice department in John Marshall high school, eland, Ohio. About September 1, Mr. and . King, (Edna Thut, '20) will move to 3427 ond Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Wilbur D. Shenk, '29, will teach biology in Col- swood, N. J., high school about five miles from adelphia next year.

rs. J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook '01) Scottdale, is chairman of the sewing circle committee of Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. enjoys her main task of home maker most of Editorial work on the Words of Cheer and ms of Light claims part of her time and the ng circle work furnishes variety.

rs. Elta Gilliom Davis, '09, 2950 Nebraska nue, Detroit, Mich., is nurse counsellor for the roit health department.

rs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott, '19), 1539 h Springfield Avenue, Chicago, has not been king in the dispensary at Marcy Center during past year but assists her husband, a Bible her and personal worker, in visitation work in Jewish homes. They had hoped to attend com- cement in June, but they had just moved out to Brookfield a western suburb of Chicago and, like many others, were short of money. They find the Jews interested in hearing the gospel of Christ, but very slow to believe the message.

J. G. Baumgartner, '23, is a teacher in the West- minister choir school at Princeton, New Jersey. Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner (Ruth Allgyer) and their two fine little daughters visited friends in Ohio during July.

F. S. Ebersole, '01, 1140 South Eighth Street, Goshen, secretary-treasurer of the Goshen Milk Condensing company, who has just completed a three year term as member of the Goshen City board of Education, serving as president during the past year, was re-elected in June by the Goshen city common council to serve a second term of three years beginning August 1. He was not an active candidate for re-election, but no other per- son was considered for the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver, '30 (Irene Leh- man, '32), are enjoying their work as city mission- aries in the Mennonite Home Mission, 1907 South Union Avenue, Chicago. One of the more recent developments at the mission is the founding of the first Spanish Mennonite Church in Chicago. The work started several years ago when J. W. Shank, '10, missionary to South America, began preaching in Spanish for this group of Spaniards and Mexi- cans during his last furlough. When he returned to South America, the work was continued by Nelson Litwiller, '25, South American missionary, who braved all sorts of weather to keep his ap- pointments for them every two weeks. Last win- ter a young converted Spaniard who at one time was a captain in the Mexican army became inter- ested in the faith and practices of the Mennonite Church and has been helping in the work. On March 31 he was received into full membership on confession of faith and on April 29 fifteen or twenty other Mexicans and Spaniards were re- ceived, some by baptism and some on confession of faith. J. D. Hartzler, ex-'16, bishop of the con- gregation, was present and Nelson Litwiller con- ducted the services in the Spanish language. The group under the leadership of Brother Costello meets at the mission three times a week for serv- ices in their own language.

Alumni who appeared on the platform programs of the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Men- nonite Board of Missions and Charities held at the Prairie Street Mennonite Church, Elkhart, Indiana, May 26-29, were: I. W. Royer, '00, M. C. Lehman, '04, O. O. Miller, '15, J. N. Kaufman, '17, Paul Mininger, '34, Mrs. M. C. Lehman, (Lydia Liech- ty, '05), and Nelson Litwiller, '25.

Paul Horsch, '29, teacher in the public high school at Irwin, Pa., has been in Europe since June 1. He insists that American newspapermen are not giving Hitler "a break." He writes, "Hit- ler is doing wonders over here and the people nearly worship him."

Edward G. Snyder, ex-'31, Preston, Ontario, has been specializing in potato growing, selling gov- ernment inspected seed potatoes. He has installed special machinery for the manufacture of potato chips and supplies groceries in four towns with his product—Galt, Preston, Kitchener, and Hespeler.

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Assembled on the Future Goshen College Campus for the Ground Breaking Ceremony, June 12, 1903

Seated on chairs on the platform in center, left to right: Bishop John Blosser, New Stark, Ohio, president of the board of trustees; Professor C. Henry Smith, absent on leave at Chicago University; J. S. Hartzler, secretary of the Elkhart Institute; the Rev. Dr. H. L. Vannuys, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Goshen; Attorney Anthony Deahl, president of the Commercial Exchange, of Goshen.

Men's Chorus: first row, seated on ground, left to right—Leander Weldy, '03; Guy H. Rutt, '04; Alvin C. Ramseyer, '04; Dr. Samuel T. Miller, '05; Dr. Wellington K. Jacobs, director, '98; Dr. M. Clifford Lehman, '04; C. Edward Bender, '04; Joseph Bontreger, ex-'06. Second row, kneeling—Christian K. Hostetler, business manager of the Elkhart Institute; John L. Steiner, '01; Professor J. M. Kurtz, '01; William S. Gehman, '03; Rudy Senger, '17; Jacob C. Landis, '03; Eli J. Rutt, '04; Professor C. B. Blosser, '05; Wesley W. Christophel, '03. Third row—seated on edge of platform: John R. Shank, ex-'05; Bishop Samuel [illegible] '02; H. Frank Reist, '04; Dr. John D. Hartzler, '04; Reuben R. Ebersole, '03; John M. Hartzler, '03 (deceased). Familiar faces in the crowd (pick them out!)—standing, left to right: Louis C. Schertz, '05; Dr. W. B. Christophel (?) (wearing derby), '02; Rufus Buzzard, ex-'03; Ella Musselman, profile, (Mrs. Amos W. Geigley, deceased), '05; Anna E. Christophel (Mrs. Ezra S. Mullet), '02; Olivia Good, '01 (Mrs. Samuel N. Honderich); Lydia Huffman, cook; Frances Zook (Mrs. Daniel S. Oyer, deceased), '99; Lulu Greenwalt (Mrs. H. Frank Reist), '03; Ella Mann (Mrs. B. B. King); Anna Autenreith, '05. At extreme right, second row: Lydia Kurtz (Mrs. Amos L. Smucker), '04; Mamie M. Yoder (Mrs. J. E. Hartzler), '03.

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PERSONALS

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Rev. Paul E. Whitmer, '05, is extremely busy as pastor of Grace Mennonite Church of Pandora, Ohio, and enjoys his work with his characteristic enthusiasm and heartiness. His growing congregation of nearly four hundred members includes forty-three college graduates and a dozen undergraduates, four doctors, quite a few high school teachers and business men. Twenty-four Sunday school classes, four C. E. societies, two women's missionary societies, an orchestra of twelve pieces, a church choir of fifty voices, and a men's chorus are among the live organizations of the congregation. Mission collections last year were $1196.57. Being Swiss and Mennonite the members are regular church attendants summer and winter and are naturally musical. The chorus rendered Handel's "Messiah" last Christmas and Maunder's "Olivet to Calvary" on Easter Sunday with directors and soloists chosen from the regular membership.

Hubert Hahn, ex-'99, is pastor of the Church of

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

JOHN UMBLE, '01.....Editor

HE editor regrets that his zeal for news and his enthusiastic interest in the success of Goshen College alumni has pained a treasured . This friend writes: "I am too good a Men- to enjoy boasting—even in the third per- The editor craves the writer's pardon, but pes he may be allowed to ask, "Where does end and boasting begin when an editor writes worthy achievements of a prominent alum-

mni soon will be receiving the annual request cash donation to help meet the operating . All of you who are members of other alumni ations in addition to the Alumni Association shen College know what a difficult period this all educational institutions and how strongly olicit their alumni for financial and other aid. light of the ideals of Goshen College, of her rements, of her service in the past and the it, of her promise for the future, your Alumni iation Board of Directors feel justified, even ound, to present the needs and claims of their Mater to their fellow alumni. It may interest o know that the hustling executive secretary alumni association of a large mid-Western rsity has plagiarized our slogan, "Every Alum- Contributor Every Year," with the very slight e made by inserting the word "Living" before nnus."

ss of 1930! Just to remind you! Do you what resolutions you made one memorable ng back in June, 1930? Remember the first ear period since your graduation will expire ew more months! Plan now to spend the 1935 nencement season on the Goshen College cam- You may feel that you cannot come. But ! The cares of life will probably be weighing you more heavily in 1940 than in 1935. You ave more money then, but you will be busier!

1934 HOMECOMING

have asked the chairman of the social com- of the Y. M. C. A. to write one hundred about the Homecoming. Here it is:

friends,

when you see students returning to school in ll, your minds turn to your Alma Mater and oyful times you had while attending school yourself, you have a real treat in store for t Goshen College during Thanksgiving. Those u who have been here at Thanksgiving for ast few years remember that it is then that ve our annual homecoming. The homecoming ittee has already arranged an interesting program for you. There will be the annual dinner, socials, teas, musical programs and lectures—anything to remind you of the years you spent here. We shall be looking for you November 29!

Yours truly,
Carl Kreider
Chairman Social Committee."

The Lecture Board has been very fortunate in securing the noted American poet, lecturer, critic, and essayist, Louis Untermyer, to deliver the annual homecoming lecture. He has promised his most popular lecture "A Critic's Half-Holiday." Come prepared to be instructed, inspired, and entertained!

ANNUAL DUES

The treasurer reports that the following have paid their annual dues since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER was published. He reports that more than one hundred dollars will be needed between now and next July if the new directory is to become a reality as planned. Work on the directory is going forward satisfactorily, but a large number of addresses still require verification. Alumni will confer a valued service if they will send in names of alumni and former students who are not receiving the NEWS-LETTER.

Wilbur Hostetler; Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler (Velma Lapp); J. E. Brunk, $2.00; Edith M. Witmer; Mrs. Mary (Good) Brenneman, $2.00; E. E. Hansecker; Carolyn Lehman; John C. Wenger.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Sanford C. Yoder spent a few weeks of the latter part of August in student solicitation in Illinois and Iowa. Early in September he attended the annual meeting of the Iowa-Nebraska Conference held near Kalona, Iowa. During October he made a trip to Kansas City and Colorado, where he attended meetings of the building committee of the Children's Welfare home and the Hospital Board, respectively, of which he is a member. While in Colorado he attended the annual reunion of the Colorado Goshen Alumni reunion held at La Junta on the evening of October 19. He reports the Colorado branch active and enthusiastic for their Alma Mater. Among the speakers were numbered President Yoder, Alta Housour, Lily Esch, Harve Driver, and Allen Erb, who served as toastmaster. The weekend of October 28, President Yoder spent with the Central congregation at Elida, Ohio, preaching in the morning and speaking at the afternoon and evening services.

Dean H. S. Bender spent the week-end of August 17-20 in the Mennonite community in Johnson County, Iowa, where he attended the annual Iowa Goshen Reunion on August 17 and followed with speaking appointments at all of the four Mennonite churches in the community. Immediately upon his return home he was compelled to undergo an emergency appendectomy at the Goshen City Hospital. On September 15 he attended the meeting of the Mennonite Central Relief Committee in Chicago. The week of October 20-28 he spent in Philadelphia and vicinity doing research in Mennonite History in the library of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. On October 27 he gave two addresses at the annual historical meeting of the Franconia Mennonite conference district which was held at the Rockhill Church near Souderton, Pennsylvania.

Since the last issue of the NEWS-LETTER was printed, C. L. Graber, business manager, has been putting in long hours both on and off the campus, in and out of the city. The increased attendance in September is at least partly due to his strenuous and successful efforts in promoting a program of partial self-support for students. A garment factory has been secured and installed. By a special arrangement with the Goshen Printery four students have been given part time employment in the composing and job printing departments. He has helped others to secure remunerative odd time jobs in various stores and industries in the city.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, Professors Willard Smith and Walter Yoder, Misses Wyse and Royer, and a considerable number of students attended some of the sessions of the North-Central Indiana Teacher's Association at South Bend, October 12 and 13. The following week Dr. Hertzler and Professor Smith accompanied by two of their students attended the State Teacher's Association at Indianapolis.

Dr. Glen R. Miller, head of the department of chemistry, attended the meeting of the American Chemical Society in Cleveland during September.

AUGUST REUNION

The August Reunion was not so well attended by local alumni as last year, but a large number of prominent alumni were present from out of the city. On account of a conflicting conference date several ministers and other church workers were deprived of the privilege of attending. Professor Walter E. Yoder was chosen by acclamation to be chairman of the 1935 August Reunion. Mrs. J. E. Weaver (Elnora Kauffman) is secretary. Following is a partial list of those present: (Unless otherwise stated the address is Indiana)

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Yoder, Monroeville; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brunk and family, Chesterton; Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Good and Rachel, 342 20th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio; Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Burkhard (Elsie Byler), and family, Tempe, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith, 108 Fir Hill, Akron, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Yoder, Wooster, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Neff, Chicago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ebersole and family, Elkhart; Rev. and Mrs. Charles L. Haney, 230 Hickory, Elkhart; Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, 804 Wilson Blvd., Mishawaka; and Mrs. C. J. Gerber, Wakarusa; Mrs. E. S. M lett and daughter, Nappanee; Mrs. C. S. Mc (Margaret R. Anderson) 1823 String Street, (cago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brenneman, 3, Lima, Ohio; Helen Stauffer, Elkhart; Dr. Mrs. Samuel T. Miller, Elkhart; Mr. and M E. E. Hansaker, 1127 Brice Avenue, Lima, Oh Fannie B. Shantz, R. 4, Elkhart; Mrs. C. N. Sha R. 4, Elkhart; Martha Martin, Chicago, Illin Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Blauch, 311 E. Chicago Aven Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. W. W. Oesch, Bristol; and Mrs. S. C. Hartzler (Magdalena Buetler), W arusa. The following Goshen residents were p ent: Mrs. Christian Maurer, Mae Detweiler, and Mrs. F. S. Ebersole and family, Mr. and M John Umble, Florence Shirk, Ralph Blosser, and Mrs. S. E. Weaver, Mrs. Lucinda Hart (Lucinda Yoder), Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, (rie E. Maurer, Arabelle Hostetler, Mr. and M R. M. Stemen, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weaver, Dr. Mrs. Silas Hertzler, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graber, and Mrs. D. W. Kennel, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood I dis and family, J. B. Detweiler, Hon. J. S. Yo Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Wa E. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler, Mr. and M D. S. Gerig, S. Miles Pletcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenawalt, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stutzman, and Mrs. Clarence E. Lehman, Anna E. Yoder, and Mrs. L. S. Nafziger, Dean Harold S. Bend

A large number of others drove in for a hours' chat in the afternoon, but they failed register.

ANNUAL REUNIONS

Goshen College Alumni are now holding at l eight annual reunions in various parts of the wo During the past year such reunions were held India, Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio, Western O Chicago, Central Illinois, Iowa, and Colorado. very elaborate organization for these rather info al meetings may not be necessary, but it would s to be highly desirable that some sort of permar record should be kept of the officers, proceedi visitors, discussions and such other matters as mi interest future students or historians.

The Colorado meeting held in October sent gr ings to the faculty and student body with Presid Yoder. The Iowa meeting in August raised questi and problems that brought the Board of Direc together for a special meeting in September. I alumni led by Melvin Gingerich, '26, advocat greatly enlarged ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER, six iss per year. They desire to see discussion of probl affecting Mennonite youth and a more effec testimony concerning neglected Christian doctri They insist that alumni are interested, not only what their classmates and friends are doing, but in what they are thinking.

The following report of the reunion of East Ohio alumni and friends is typical of most of th happy family gatherings.

"On August 19, 1934, the Goshen College Alu students, prospective students and friends met Hostetler's Grove near Walnut Creek, Ohio.

bountiful basket dinner was served to approxi-
y seventy people. A program was then given
sting of talks and remarks by Leonard Kreider,
Leonard Kreider, Carl Kreider, Irene Eschli-
Ira Amstutz, Miss Royer, H. Clay Miller,
. D. Hostetler and Walter Oswald. The pointed
s brought out and the delightful reminiscences
ed, typified the very spirit of Goshen College.
al music was furnished by two quartets, a
es Co. quartet, consisting of David Miller,
l Sommers, Vernon Miller and Leon Glick, and
ed quartet consisting of Vera Sundheimer, Sar-
ershberger, Roscoe Miller and Leon Glick.
ne reunion voted to continue the organization,
ng Mrs. Emma Rohrer, president, and Irene
iman, secretary-treasurer."

1934 REGISTRATION

e registrar's office reports a total enrollment
ro-hundred fifty-eight distributed as follows:
's, twenty-eight; juniors, thirty; sophomores,
ive; freshmen, one hundred six; special, thirty-
academy, three; post graduates, five. This is a
of more than twenty-five percent over last
One of the outstanding features of the en-
ent is the increase in students from the Far
, especially from Oregon, Idaho, and Kansas
e President Yoder spent several months during
ast summer.

ghty-three women, of which seventy-six are stu-
, occupy every room in Kulp Hall. Seventy-
men, of which seventy-six are students, room
ffman Hall.

JUNIOR ALUMNI REGISTRATION

umni will be interested in the following student
ontaining the names and addresses of the sons
laughters of their classmates and friends who
students on the campus twenty, thirty, even
-five years ago. And a finer group of young
e it would be difficult to find anywhere!

umen:

hard Brenneman, Elida, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs.
n S. Brenneman, ex-'14, (Lessa Diller, ex-'15).

urice Burkholder, Nampa, Idaho; Monroe I.
urkholder, ex-'01.

th Buzzard, R. 2, Goshen, Indiana; A. L.
ard, ex-'01.

rtrude DeBoer, Wassaic, New York; Mrs. Sam-
DeBoer, (Seabie Bruinsma, ex-'14).

is Hartzler, Harrisonville, Missouri; Mrs. L.
artzler (Minnie Hauder, ex-'08).

arles Gardner, Middlebury, Indiana; Jesse
ner, ex-'07.

ward F. Greenawalt, Topeka, Indiana; Elmer
awalt, ex-'08.

rgaret Hartzler, 1422 South Eighth Street,
en, Indiana; Harry Hartzler, ex-'03.

irley Holaway, Nappanee, Indiana; Mr. and
Clarence Holaway, '28, (Ella K. Mullet, '14).

Velma Johns, Canton, Ohio; Bishop and Mrs. Otis N. Johns, ex-'07, (Margaret Rickert, '09).

Mary Kauffman, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Mrs. Eda (Albrecht) Kauffman, ex-'08.

Donald Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider (Adelia Stover, ex-'09).

Waldo Lehman, 1227 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, '04, (Lydia Liechty, '05).

J. Allen Martin, Hagerstown, Maryland; J. Harry Martin, ex-'10.

Katharine Moyer, Elkhart, Indiana; Anthony C. Moyer, '01.

Clara Marie Plank, 1131 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. John S. Plank, '09 (Olive Nafziger, '12).

Myrtle Schnell, Orrville, Ohio; Mrs. Hervey Schnell, (Emma Yoder, ex-'08).

Luther Shetler, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Alvin Shetler, (Sadie Yoder, ex-'09).

Evangeline Weaver, R. 5, Goshen, Indiana; Joel S. Weaver, ex-'10.

Willis Weaver, Danvers, Illinois; Rev. and Mrs. William B. Weaver, '14, (Fannie Stoltzfus, ex-'12).

Herbert Wenger, Smithville, Ohio; Levi J. Wenger, '10.

Lois Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana; Bishop David A. Yoder, ex-'09.

Olive Yoder, R. 3, West Liberty, Ohio; Mrs. Earl Yoder, (Barbara Allgyer, ex-'07).

Philip E. Yoder, R. 1, West Liberty, Ohio; Deacon Eli D. Yoder, ex-'05.

Philip D. Yoder, 802 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana; George C. Yoder, '10.

Mary Ruth Zook, 1133 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. E. J. Zook, (Mary Thut).

Harold Zook, R. 1, West Liberty, Ohio; Mrs. Thomas Zook, (Mary Krabill, ex-'06).

Sophomores:

Amos Baer, Hagerstown, Maryland; Adam Baer, ex-'06.

Mary Esch, 913 South Third Street, Elkhart, Indiana; Mrs. Mina (Brubaker) Esch, ex-'09 (widow of Dr. C. D. Esch, '06).

Leon Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Mrs. C. C. Glick, (Maggie Yoder, ex-'01).

Thelma Hostetler, R. 2, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Charles A. Hostetler, (Inez Esch, ex-'11).

Harriet Lapp, Dhamtari, India; Bishop George J. Lapp, '17.

Lois Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller, '14, (Elta Wolf, '12).

Orden Miller, Springs, Pennsylvania; Bishop N. E. Miller, deceased.

Lois Oyer, St. Johns, Michigan; Mrs. Daniel S. Oyer, (Frances Zook, ex-'08, deceased).

Elizabeth Royer, Orrville, Ohio; I. W. Royer, '00.

Lotus Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, ex-'01.

Harriet Yoder, 514 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Hon. J. S. Yoder, '05, attorney-at-law.

William Yoder, 514 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Hon. J. S. Yoder, '05, attorney-at-law.

Juniors:

Ivan Brunk, 1144 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk, '15, (Alice Yoder, ex-'16).

Lester Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, F. C. O., Argentina; Bishop T. K. Hershey, ex-'11.

Retha Hostetler, R. 2, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Charles A. Hostetler, (Inez Eash, ex-'11).

Carl Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider, (Adelia Stover, ex-'09).

Angelina McPhail, 360 South Depot Street, Constantine, Michigan; Mrs. Theresa E. McPhail (Theresa E. Thorne, ex-'09).

Edward Mininger, 2409 Farrow Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas; Mrs. J. D. Mininger, (Hettie Kulp, '00).

Lewis Powell, Jr., South English, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Powell, '07, (Ida E. Hertzler, ex-'09).

Lowell Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, ex-'01.

Seniors:

Harold Buzzard, R. 2, Goshen, Indiana; A. L. Buzzard. ex-'01.

Ivan Lind, Tangent, Oregon; Bishop and Mrs. Norman A. Lind, ex-'03 (Sarah Flohr, ex-'03).

Robert Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, '10, (Emma Hershey, '09).

Roy Umble, R. 5, Goshen, Indiana; Professor and Mrs. John Umble, '01 (Alice Landis, '01).

Graduate Students:

Samuel Swartz, R. 1, Elida, Ohio; Mrs. Sherman Swartz (Lydia Stemen, ex-'08).

Special Students:

Mary Brunk, South Main Street, Goshen, Indiana; Professor John D. Brunk, deceased.

Mary Johns, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Ira S. Johns, ex-'00, (Elizabeth Rickert, ex-'13).

Pauline Kropf, 107 E. Purl Street, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Lucinda (Kropf) Detweiler, (Lucinda Yoder, '03).

THE CLASS OF 1934

In response to a number of requests we prin song sung by the class of 1934 in their class program in June. The words were written b LaVerne Yoder and Stella Kauffman. We r that we are unable to print the stirring mu score written by Verna Smith.

From far and near we gathered
To seek at learning's shrine
The beauty of a service
Of love and truth divine;
In tribute to our masters
We'll lift our voice in praise,
And to our Alma Mater
Our hymn of love we'll raise.

Chorus:
We pledge you loyal service
And love forevermore,
The sons and daughters of Goshen,
The class of '34.

Forth with thy truth we're going
To bear thy message far.
The friendships formed will follow
To be our guiding star,
And memories still will linger
Within these sacred walls
To lead our thoughts forever
Back to our College halls.

WEDDING BELLS

On Wednesday, August 1, at the residence o officiating minister, Bishop A. J. Metzler, of sontown, Pa., Ellrose D. Zook, '33, and Fra Loucks, ex-'29, both of Scottdale, Pa., were unit marriage. Mrs. Zook is a graduate of the nu school at La Junta, Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. reside in Scottdale where Mr. Zook is employe the Mennonite Publishing House.

Floyd C. Metzler, '27, son of Mr. and Mrs. uel Metzler, and Lillie Culp, daughter of Mr. Mrs. A. N. Culp, of Nappanee, were married day morning, September 2, at the home of the ciating minister, Bishop D. A. Yoder. They at home at 354 North Main Street, Nappanee. the spring they intend to move to the A. N. farm northwest of Nappanee.

On August 2, 1934, H. Clair Amstutz, '3 Bloomington, Indiana, and Florence Baderts of Bloomington, Illinois, were united in marria the Salem Church near Dalton, Ohio, by Re R. Kaiser, the officiating minister. The bride attended Bluffton College and has completed es' training at the Mennonite hospital in Bl ington. Mr. Amstutz is teaching the biolo sciences at Goshen College in the absence of fessor S. W. Witmer at Indiana university.

At the home of the bride's parents Mr. and J. M. Hartzler, of West Liberty, Ohio, Loren H '31, and Dorothy Hartzler were married on tember 9, 1934, Bishop S. E. Allgyer offici

King is employed as truck driver at West rty by an oil company. He takes a prominent in Western Ohio alumni activities.

arles H. Fricke, '27, and Helen Josephine hauer, formerly of New Jersey, were united in iage at the Dombole church in Muluma, Ncheu, aland, on June 16, 1934.

e grandparents of Virginia Brown, '33, Mr. Mrs. Henry Swoveland, celebrated their fiftieth ing anniversary at their home six miles south- of Goshen on Tuesday, July 31.

nar J. Rhodes, '32, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. les, Kalona, Iowa, and Edna Yoder, daughter Ir. and Mrs. Charles Yoder, of Kalona, were ied at the home of the bride's parents, on Au- 12 by Bishop D. J. Fisher. Mr. Rhodes is prin- of the Sharon Center, Iowa, high school. ook work in manual training at Coe College ıg the past summer.

e marriage of Horace F. Conklin, son of Mrs. ryn Conklin, of Battle Creek, Michigan, and Evelyn Miller, ex-'34, daughter of Mr. and R. D. Miller, of Goshen, took place Saturday ing, October 27, at the home of the bride's par- Rev. H. F. Stuckman, pastor of the First hren Church of Elkhart read the service. Mrs. klin received her degree from the American ervatory of Music of Chicago in 1932 and has ucted a studio in Goshen for some time. Mr. klin is cashier of the Security National Bank attle Creek.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

rgil, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Vogt, '27, Ba- hhan, via Dhamtari, C. P., India, was born 4, at Mount Hermon, Darjeeling.

ıry Anna, eight-pound daughter of Mr. and Vernon Gerig (Mable Wyse, ex-'29) Wayland, ı, was born on September 12.

ancy Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight ı, ex-'31 (Lillian Schrock, ex-'32) of Goshen, ana, was born September 14.

hn Philip, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kauff- (Dorcas Yoder, ex-'30) was born October 19.

NECROLOGY

eacon Jacob B., son of the late Levi and Nancy weiler) Yoder, was born in Mifflin county, February 12, 1848, died in Johnson county, ı, July 31, 1934. His parents moved to West rty, Ohio, in 1848. He resided in Lagrange ty, Indiana, from 1876 to 1885 when he and family removed to Iowa. He was the grand- er of Mrs. Newton Yoder (Mary, ex-'30), and er Yoder, '32, both of West Liberty, and of Milton Brunk, (Elsie, ex-'31) all daughters of late Bishop A. I. Yoder.

nnie E., widow of Preacher Jacob M. Herr was Dec. 3, 1849; died at her home in Mechanics- burg, Pa., September 23, 1934. She was a faithful member of the Mennonite Church at Churchtown, Pa. Nine of her ten children survive. She was the mother of Frank E. Herr, ex-'05, Millersville, Pa., and of Jacob O. Herr, '09, Deal, New Jersey.

Noah Smucker was born near Smithville, Ohio, April 3, 1871, died September 25, 1934. He was united in marriage to Katie Gerig, March 2, 1902. He was a brother of Mrs. Emma Rohrer, '32, of Smithville and of Mrs. David Steiner (Katie Smucker, '30). Funeral services at Oak Grove Church near Smithville were in charge of Jesse N. Smucker, '18, and C. Z. Yoder.

J. Forrest King, ex-'31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora King, of Orrville, Ohio, was born February 26, 1905, and died Saturday, October 27, 1934, of cerebral hemorrhage. He lacked only one summer of completing the work for the bachelor's degree at Goshen College. He has been teaching in the rural schools of Wayne county, Ohio for the past several years. Services were at Orrville in charge of I. W. Royer, '00, and P. R. Lantz. Interment was made at Oak Grove near Smithville.

PERSONALS

Nelson Litwiller, '25, missionary on furlough from South America, has been busy preaching in Canada and in the Eastern States during recent months. In August he spent a week in the Franconia district.

Dorothy Detweiler, '33, was chairman of the fourteenth annual Mennonite women's missionary meeting of the Western Ohio district, held at the Bethel Church, West Liberty, Ohio, Sunday, August 5. 1934. Other alumnae on the program were Mrs. Sherman Swartz (Lydia Stemen, ex-'08), Elida, Ohio, and Mrs. S. C. Plank (Golda Yoder, ex-'12) West Liberty.

Mervin Hostetler, '23, who has done graduate work at Leland Stanford and the University of Chicago and who has had several years of experience in administrative work, is superintendent of schools and principal of the high school at Middlebury, Indiana.

Harley Hunsicker, '31, Blooming Glen, Pennsylvania, has resigned his teaching position in the Bangor, Pa., high school to take up the study of chiropody at Temple University.

Dorothy Smith, '28, is instructor in English, German, and music in the North Lima, Ohio, high school.

Lulu P. Smith, '27, who, with her sister Martha, has conducted a variety store at Eureka, Illinois, for several years, is teaching in the high school at Goodfield, Illinois.

The NEWS LETTER is indebted to A. J. "Ajax" Miller, '11, for the following item:

"Several former Goshen students from Springs, Pa., and Grantsville, Md., sang in the Mountain

Choir Festival held at Mountain Lake Park, Md., on August 19, sponsored by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Sr., Mrs. Otto Kahn, and other notable patrons of music. In the Ladies Chorus sang Rhoda Bender, Mrs. Lucretia ("Krish") Bender Maust, and Marion Wisseman, whose beautiful lyric soprano was heard also in a lovely solo passage. Her excellent singing reflects great credit on the voice department of the college.

"Harold Miller appeared on the program as a member of the Male Chorus of the Springs Mennonite Church.

"Participating in this festival were twenty-four church choirs and choruses with a membership of about six hundred. The audience numbered over five thousand.

"The spirit of enthusiastic co-operation which these students bring along back from Goshen is deeply appreciated. Their interest in the finer and cultural things of life is of utmost importance to the church in this time of abandon to the cheap and tawdry on the part of the many who prefer superficiality of thought and triviality of action. May Goshen continue to inculcate a genuine love for the beautiful and an abiding devotion to the good."

Rosa Gish, '31, of Lancaster, Pa., was a teacher in the summer vacation Bible school at Kitchener, Ontario, during July.

Glenwood Schertz, ex-'33, received the degree, bachelor of science, at the University of Illinois during the past summer. He has a position in the Flanagan, Illinois, high school, teaching mathematics and physics and coaching athletics.

Joseph L. Holdeman, ex-'03, 920 Kilbourne Avenue, manager of the firm Holdeman and Son, Elkhart, Indiana, delivered the leading address at the annual Elkhart county 4-H club picnic held at Miller's picnic grounds in Harrison township on August 17. Mr. Holdeman, representing the Elkhart Chamber of Commerce spoke to an audience of six hundred on "Social Justice."

Mrs. Muriel Heintzelman Ebersole, ex-'15, Newton, Kansas, has a teaching position in Newton.

Florence Bender, '22, of Goshen, has been appointed a state supervisor of educational projects under the National Emergency Education program. Miss Bender is one of five supervisors in the emergency nursery schools project in Indiana. First duty of the supervisors will be to aid county and city school administrators in formation of county emergency education councils.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Kaufman, '17 (Elsie Drange, '08), missionaries on furlough from India, after spending several weeks in Pennsylvania and Ohio and taking part in several conferences, located in Portland, Oregon, where they will spend several months visiting their sons, Russell J. and Paul. Their address is 2953 N. W. St. Helens Boulevard, Box 14.

Waldo T. Stalter, '27, was recently elected a member of the board of directors of the Western Rubber company of Goshen. At a special meeting of the board in September he was elected treasurer and sales manager of the company.

Esther Reynolds, ex-'29, music supervisor in the Rolling Prairie, Indiana, schools was a visitor in Goshen on September 14.

Owen J. Yoder, '17, principal of the Monroeville, Indiana, schools spent the summer vacation operating his tourist camp, filling station, and restaurant at Sunny Mede Inn, rural route seven, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Sunny Mede is located on U. S. Route 30 four miles east of the courthouse in Fort Wayne. The Inn is for sale and should prove a good investment for any one who is not employed during the summer months. If interested write to Mr. Yoder at Monroeville.

Carolyn Lehman, '34, has been appointed to succeed Alice Treuschel, '16, resigned, as instructor of Bible in the Goshen city schools. The work is sponsored by the churches of the city.

Lena Smucker, '33, has opened a dressmaking school and salesroom for women's dress materials in West Liberty, Ohio.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, has recovered his health sufficiently to return to his work in the Academy at Dhamtari. In July he had the oversight of the completion of the new academy building.

Mrs. Sarah Lapp, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Graber, '25, (Minnie Swartzendruber, ex-'27) and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Brenneman, '33, (Millie Page, '33) reached India on July 26 after sailing from New York on June 28.

J. Forrest Kanagy, '30, was chairman of the annual eastern Pennsylvania Goshen College reunion, held Saturday, August 11 at Williamson Park, Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Sixty-five alumni met for a period of fellowship and renewing of friendships, ate the noon meal together, and enjoyed a short program. Reports of the meeting indicate that eastern alumni are continuing their warm, sympathetic interest in the work of their Alma Mater. Mr. Kanagy also attended the meeting of Western Ohio alumni at West Liberty on Sept. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist, '04 (Lula Greenwalt '04), Falfurrias, Texas, continue to enjoy their home in the Sunny South. They now have a citrus orchard that includes three hundred orange and grapefruit trees.

Guy H. Rutt, '04, of South Main Street, Goshen reports as proof that the depression is waning that investors are showing renewed interest in Gulf Coast real estate, particularly in Mississippi home sites and winter retreats.

Mrs. H. R. Ditzel (Naomi Reisner, ex-'03) and her daughter Virginia, of Chicago, visited friends at Columbus and Akron, Ohio, and in Goshen during August.

Sylvia Huitema, ex-'24, is an instructor in Bennett Academy, Matheston, Mississippi.

li Stoltzfus, '22, has been elected instructor in ual arts and science in West Liberty, Ohio, school.

race Zook, ex-'33, continues her work as teach- the Couchman consolidated grade school south Vest Liberty, Ohio.

lice Gerig, ex-'34, has a position as governess reat Neck, Long Island.

orence Kirby, ex-'11, is instructor in music in sas State teachers college at Pittsburg, Kansas.

r. Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., ex-'26, 2634 Woodley e, N. W., Washington, D. C., is enjoying his as research economist for the Roosevelt ad- stration. So far as we know he is the only in truster" among Goshen College alumni.

r. and Mrs. J. G. Baumgartner, '23 (Ruth All-), are chaperoning the members of the West- ter choir, of Princeton, New Jersey, on their pean concert tour.

ester Wenger, '28, has now been steadily em- ed at the Keller store in Goshen for more than ar.

r. and Mrs. Sharon Brunk, '29, (Cleo Cook, 1), reside on Pierce Road, rural route three, sing, Michigan. Mr. Brunk has been employed ne Oldsmobile factory since April.

ev. Payson Miller, '18, Wayland, Mass., is a ial instructor in psychology at Simmons Col- and is also on the board of preachers at Ar- on Street Church, Boston, church of W. E. ning, Brooke Herford, and other noted wor- . Rev. Miller preached at Arlington church Sunday, October 28, in exchange with Samuel t, son of Charles W. Eliot.

eonard C. Kreider, '31, is dividing his time a- equally between preparation for his Doctor's inations at Ohio State University, Columbus, , and continuing his research problem in chem- that he worked on all last year. An increase reshman chemistry enrollment from ten hun- last year to over fifteen hundred this year has d four hours to his teaching load. Mrs. Kreider chel Weaver, '31) is continuing her school at O. S. U. and will receive the master's de- in philosophy sometime this year.

ne alumni office is indebted to Tilman R. Smith, principal of the Roanoke, Illinois, township school, for help in locating some "lost alumni."

Maurice Allgyer, ex-'26, is teaching in North School, Columbus, Ohio. His address is 2130 Avenue.

ena Stoltzfus, '23, on September 10 took up her duties as superintendent of nurses at the nonite Hospital, Bloomington, Illinois.

rofessor and Mrs. S. W. Witmer, '14, (Sana er, '16), and daughter Mildred, reside at 430 Fourth Street, Bloomington, Indiana. Pro- r Witmer has nearly completed his work for the doctor's degree in botany. He is writing his thesis and completing a few courses in his minors, zoology and mycology. Mrs. Witmer is enrolled in a course in dietetics. Mildred is enjoying the eighth grade work in Junior High.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk, '14 (Alice Yoder, ex- '16), and family have moved to Goshen. Mr. Brunk has purchased the residence of the late Mrs. Weaver at 1144 South Eighth Street. He is manager of the garment factory installed in the north end of the basement of Coffman Hall. The factory gives employment to twenty-eight students, some of whom are earning all their college expenses by working in the factory.

Orie J. Eigsti, '31, 400 N. H. Bldg., Urbana, Illinois, candidate for the doctor's degree at the University of Illinois, is doing research in morphology on a family of flowering plants, the Resedaceae or Mignonettes.

Esther Brunk, '27, who has now spent nearly five months at the South American Mennonite Mission at Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A., writes an interesting article in the Gospel Herald "Mission Supplement," issue of August 23, 1934. The same issue contains the 1933 annual report of the South American work. Mr. and Mrs. Elvin V. Snyder, '27 (Mary Fretz, ex-'30), Bishop T. K. Hershey, '11, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Weber, '27 (Edna Bowman, '21), and J. W. Shank, '10, write on various phases of the work. During 1933 the net gain in membership was one hundred two, an increase of nearly twenty-eight percent.

Adelia Hostetler, '30, who resigned her teaching position in Idaho to take up her residence in California was recalled by a telegram from her board of education offering a thirty-dollar-a-month increase in salary. She is continuing her work as teacher in the Nampa schools.

Verna Smith, '34, and Fern Smith, ex-'35 are teaching near Eureka, Illinois. The former is also leader of a junior chorus.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Litwiller, '25, and family, plan to sail for Buenos Aires, South America on the S. S. Del Norte, November 10.

Edgar Baxter, ex-'33, Box A, Kalamazoo state hospital, Kalamazoo, Michigan, called at the College for a few hours in early October. He was enroute to St. Louis for a short vacation trip.

Raymond J. Schertz, '22, superintendent of schools at Metamora, Illinois, is president and Erma Schertz, '32, secretary, of the annual reunion of Goshen College alumni in Illinois.

Stanley Lehman, ex-'26 (A.B., Harvard, '27) who has been in China and the Philippines for the past three and one-half years as the representative of the Standard Oil Company, with headquarters at Davao, P. I., ended his first six-months vacation on May 4, sailing from San Francisco for the Orient on that date.

Dr. J. C. Meyer, '16, professor of history, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio concluded a

series of twelve addresses for the Women's City Club in April, another series of six for the In Town Club, a little later, delivered four commencement addresses, and serves on the committee of twenty-four appointed by the Cleveland Board of Education to study the offerings in the city school system on citizenship training. To be sure he does teach a full schedule in the university in addition to his "extra-curricular" activities!

Una Cressman, ex-'31, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada, and Esther Esch, '29, Mio, Michigan, were members of the 1934 class of nine who graduated from the nurses' training school conducted in connection with the Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium, Allen H. Erb, ex-'14, superintendent.

Jeanette Landis, ex-'36, Goshen, Indiana, is office assistant for the Elkhart County Farmers' Cooperative association with office, sales room, and warehouse on West Lincoln Avenue, Goshen. Ernest S. Smoker, '13, 209 East Lafayette Street, Goshen, has been manager of the business for several years.

Christian Raber Kennel, ex-'32, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kennel of Goshen, was graduated from the George Washington university with the degree of bachelor of arts from Columbian College at the university's one hundred and thirteenth commencement, June 6. Mr. Kennel represented his fraternity, Acacia, in the golf tournament in 1933 and played on its inter-fraternity basket ball team for four years. He was also a member of the Masonic club during 1931-32.

Ada, '30, and Barbara Thut, '32, stopped to visit friends in Goshen, June 14, on an auto trip to the west coast.

Mrs. Irvin V. Baumgardner (Fern Headings, ex-'31, of West Liberty, Ohio) has moved to Middlepoint, Ohio, with her husband. Mr. Baumgardner has been principal of the Monroe township high school in Logan county, Ohio, for several years but has resigned to accept a similar position at Middlepoint, midway between Van Wert and Delphos.

Rev. Arthur J. Armstrong, '32, pastor of the M. E. church at Syracuse, Indiana, is statistician of the North Indiana Methodist Episcopal conference. His report to the ninety-first annual session of the conference held at Elkhart in June showed a substantial increase in membership during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebersole, '30 (Nellie Miller, '31), reside at 1715 Lane Avenue, Elkhart. Mr. Ebersole is employed at Montieth Brothers factory.

Verna Schertz, '33, is teaching in the rural school near Metamora, Illinois that her father formerly attended and her brother, Glenwood, ex-'35, last year taught the rural school that his mother taught before her marriage. They are the daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Schertz, '05 (Ellen Schertz, '06), of Metamora, Illinois.

George Luther, ex-'36, is a student of nursing in Pennsylvania Hospital, Corner Eighth and Spruce Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

Wilma Lehman, ex-'35, North Lima, Ohio, completed the elementary teacher training c at the College in 1933 has been elected to teac sixth grade in the home school for the year 193

Dorothy Hoogenboom, ex-'35, who will be a s at Wheaton college next year, has been elected retary of the Women's Glee club of Wheaton co Last year Miss Hoogenboom accompanied the on its two week's annual tour going east as f Boston, Mass.

L. C. Miller, ex-'08, Limon, Colorado, past the Mennonite church at Manitou, underwen appendectomy at the Mennonite Hospital i Junta during April.

John Thut, ex-'03, Harper, Kansas, was speaker at the Prophetic Conference held a Mennonite Gospel Mission, Kansas City, April May 6.

The address of Austen E. Landis, '09, is 1414, Detroit, Michigan.

Dr. W. E. Gordon, '12, 717 McDonald S Elkhart, is another of our many friends to w the depression means a temporary change of He was on C. W. A. in Elkhart last winter although he was tired out by the manual labo being out in the coldest weather revived his no rugged health.

Professor Amos S. Ebersole, '22, 30 Ohio Av Tiffin, Ohio, head of the department of musi Heidelberg College, is alone in his department and consequently, is kept very busy. He m four annual concert tours with his choruses, with the men and two with the women. Mo the members of his choruses are members o class in voice study and he has forty-five tional enjoyable periods a week. He had s seniors giving recitals during the commence season, was in charge of music for all the co events of commencement week and deliver number of special lectures for another institu in Tiffin during the closing weeks of the school

Dr. Lillie F. Shenk, '20, of the medical sta Laurelton State Village, Laurelton, Pa., spent of her vacation in mid-spring visiting friend Goshen. She is under appointment to go to A in the new mission opened by the Eastern Me ite Board of Missions and Charities. She wi accompanied by Alma Hershberger, sister of Hershberger, '23.

Erma Chrisman, ex-'21, formerly of Millers Ind., now writes herself Mrs. John E. Lar Mr. Larimer, also a former student, is princip the Pike Street School in Goshen and one o critic teachers in the elementary teacher tra program of the College.

Clayton Chrisman, ex-'20, resides at 708 Jefferson Street, Goshen.

Doris Baker, ex-'23, is now Mrs. J. Melvin T as. Her husband's salesmanship is responsi a large extent for the great popularity of the rolet in Goshen territory.

s. Lucinda (Kropf) Hartzler (Lucinda Yoder, resides at 107 East Purl Street, Goshen.

ry Hess, '30, has a large class of music stu- at Hesston, Kansas.

ace Schwary, '31, 1333 St. Elmo, N. E., Can- Ohio, is teaching at Louisville, Ohio.

ra Evelyn Hershberger, '31, continues her work teacher near Shipshewana, Indiana, this year.

ma S. Rohrer, '32, teaches in the Smithville, schools.

. and Mrs. Fred N. Burkey, '13 (Frances ole, '09), reside at 833 N. Lombard Avenue, Park, Illinois. Mr. Burkey continues his serv- s superintendent of employment at Moody Institute.

v. Iverson E. Mishler, '32, pastor of the ch of the Brethren in New Paris, Indiana, is ipal of the Rensberger school east of Goshen critic teacher for Goshen College elementary er training cadets.

na Hoover, '10, rural route three, Goshen, In- , continues her many years of faithful and ssful service as a rural school teacher in rt county this year.

v. Elmer D. Mast, '31, 702 North Third Street, i, Illinois, has spent two very fruitful and years as pastor of the Emmanuel Evangel- church at Carmi. The annual conference at ingburg, Indiana, May 2-6, returned him for ird year.

n. J. S. Yoder, '05, attorney at-law, Goshen, na, insists that, depression or no depression, deal or old deal, he is "still a Mark Hanna l rat G. O. P."

nley L. Miller, '32, was enrolled in the 1934 ner Session at Goshen College in further prep- on for his work as rural school teacher at Har- New York, this year.

Albert Hershberger, '26, 92 East Girard, Ken- New York, continues his work as research st with the Du Pont Cellophane Company, lo. It is reported, unofficially, that his allow- for salary and research is more than ten thou- dollars a year.

nes Bucher, former Goshen student, is pastor small Mennonite Mission at North Pomona, miles west of Upland. During the past win- rother Bucher was engaged in picking lemons.

am P. Hallman, '31, Akron, Pa., is a shoe an for the Miller-Hess interests.

nche Brenneman, '32, 37 East Montgomery ne, Ardmore, Pa., is doing general housework.

and Mrs. Jay H. Eberly, '28, formerly at t, Ohio, have removed to Germano, Ohio, Mr. Eberly is superintendent of schools.

a I. Albrecht, '09, resides at rural route two, wa, Illinois.

Arline Yoder, '31, teacher of piano at West Liberty, Ohio is instructing thirty-five pupils in piano and harmony at her studio in West Liberty. She is also superintendent of the junior department in the South Union Sunday School.

Hazel E. Stauffer, '30, 460 North George Street, Millersville, Pa., when school opened in September began her fourth year of teaching in the Mill Creek school, a rural one-room school in Lancaster county. Her work this past year has been very pleasant.

Dr. E. M. Landis, ex-'24, 713 Tennessee Street, Gary, Ind., is building up a lucrative practise as an osteopathic physician.

Eva Yeackley, '32, Milford, Nebraska, is teaching in a rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

Menno E. Miller, '33, rural route one, Middletown, Pa., teaches the Black Oak rural school near his home.

Lucille Kreider, '33, rural route one, after being disappointed a year ago in not being elected to a teaching position and consequently being obliged to do general housework in Wooster, Ohio, is a teacher in the public schools of Rittman, Ohio, since September 1.

Helen Moser, '33, who suffered an experience identical in many ways to that of Miss Kreider, even to working in Wooster, has been employed in the primary grades at Marshallville, Ohio, for the year 1934-35.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyer, '20 (Josephine Lehman, '21) continue their residence at Biglerville, Pa., where Mr. Meyer is employed in the Musselman orchard and canning projects.

Fern Ann Umble, '21, 1987 East Eighty-Third Street, Cleveland, Ohio, is kept extremely busy as proprietress and head of the Umble School of Dressmaking and Designing, but found time during August for an Atlantic cruise and a vacation in the Bermudas.

Rev. Lester Hostetler, '15, conducted a Bible study period of forty-five minutes each day of the Pacific District Conference held in the First Mennonite Church at Aberdeen, Idaho, July 7-10.

Six Central Conference Mennonite Churches in the vicinity of Bloomington, Illinois, sponsored a ten weeks teachers training class at the Carlock Mennonite church, during the spring months. The Life of Christ was studied under the instruction of Rev. Wm. B. Weaver, '14, of Danvers, Illinois. Rev. Weaver has conducted classes at the Mennonite Gospel Mission at Peoria, Illinois, during the past two years for the benefit of workers at that place and to provide training for several candidates for the mission field under the Congo Inland Mission Board. The following courses have been given: "Life of Jesus, Teachings of Jesus, Psychology, Church History, Book of Acts, Christian Ethics, The Pupil and the Teacher, and Sociology."

D. Elban Lehman, '18, of Youngstown, Ohio, received the M.A. degree from the University of Pittsburgh in June. His major was educational psychology and the subject of his thesis, "A Study of Delinquency in Youngstown."

Kenneth Burkholder, ex-'31, Smithville, Ohio, attended O. S. U. during the past year. His school address is 4 Woodruff Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Beulah Yordy, ex-'33, teaches in the Albrecht public school near Flanagan, Illinois this year.

Alma Zehr, ex-'29, teaches the third, fourth and fifth grades this year in the only graded rural school in Tazewell county, Illinois. The school is located at Pleasant Hill. She was enrolled at the College during the summer session.

Clara Bohn, special evening student at the College for the past few years, sailed on June 22 for a tour of Europe.

John Lehman, '29, wrote from Whitmer, Virginia, before the end of school: "I am continuing my teaching work here at Whitmer for my fifth year and enjoy it."

Anna Hertzler, '33, is teaching the first grade in the consolidated schools of Cheraw, Colorado, during 1934-1935.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, registrar and head of the department of education of Goshen College, has been honored by having a "Who's Who in Genealogy" sketch of his work included in the list of leading genealogical researchers in the United States, in the Handbook of American Genealogy recently issued by the Institute of American Genealogy in Chicago. Recognition in the field affords access to the extensive lineage files of the National Clearing House for Genealogical Information as well as professional contact with genealogists in 1,984 cities, in 1,285 counties throughout the United States and in twenty-nine foreign countries.

The Rev. G. T. Soldner, ex-'22, pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite church in Goshen, has been elected president of the Goshen Ministerial Association.

Waldo, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, '04, (Lydia Liechty, '05), on graduation from the Goshen city high school in May, was awarded the medal given annually to the best all-round boy of the graduating class, considering scholarship, activities, and general attitude. He is a freshman in Goshen College.

Clara Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Plank, '09 (Olive Nofziger, '12), received the medal as the most outstanding girl in the 1934 Go city high school graduating class. She, too, freshman in her parents' Alma Mater.

Menno L. Steiner, '00, 1823 Saint Marys Ave Fort Wayne, Indiana, does repair work on vac cleaners and other electrical appliances. He has a warm spot in his heart for old G. C. an pecially for his literary society, the A——. Bu editor must remain neutral!

The address of Mrs. Charles E. Morse (Marg Anderson, '22) was given incorrectly in the A News Letter. It should have been 1823 St Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Theldon Lamb, '28, M.A., Michigan, who been superintendent of schools at Horton, M gan, and Britton, Michigan, is principal of Everett township school at Lansing, Michigan

The address of Mrs. Mahlon Lapp (Esther G ex-'30) is rural route one, Sterling, Illinois.

Mrs. Ralph Baumgartner (Thelma Ropp), ex writes feature articles each week for the "Wom Page" of the "Farmer's Exchange," thriving Paris weekly.

Hubert Miller, '28, has been a partner in Hoosier Hatchery at Millersburg during the season.

Professor Arthur L. Sprunger, '22, won News-Times prize for the best water color in first Spring exhibition of the Midland Academ Art in South Bend with his water color paintin the Elkhart county court house, entitled "O Gray Winter Day." The picture shows the n facade and dome with several bobsleds and sle and an Amish carriage hitched in the foregro Professor Sprunger also exhibited "Amish Stillers."

Leland Brenneman, '34, senior class president editor of the Goshen College Record during past year, has been employed to teach in the p schools of Garfield Heights, Ohio, suburb of C land, for the school year 1934-35.

Gladys Schertz, ex-'36, 1934 graduate from elementary teacher training course is teaching Metamora, Illinois this year.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

JOHN UMBLE, '01.....Editor

THE Alumni office and the NEWS LETTER extend the season's greetings to the whole alumni family and wish every one a bigger, ter, brighter year in 1935.

he treasurer states that the response to his ial appeal for contributions to the "Current ense Fund" of Goshen College is not so gen- as he feels that it should be. The contribus of several alumni have far exceeded expecta-s. One alumnus sent one hundred and fifty ars for needed equipment in the science depart- t and a check for fifty dollars for the "Current ense Fund." Your Alma Mater realizes that many of her alumni can duplicate that fine gift year, but is it not fair to expect that you will ate one, two, five, ten, or twenty-five dollars bring your Alumni Association a little nearer s goal—"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every r."

is encouraging to see numbers of the younger mni taking seriously the slogan, "Every Alum- a Contributor Every Year." They are not ing much and are still paying off the obliga- s that they incurred during their college years, they have resolved to pay something "every " even if it is no more than the one dollar their annual dues. Some have sent their an- l dues and a cash contribution in addition. r Alma Mater does not ask or expect a large ribution, but she does ask you to pay, in an- installments, your debt to the present gen- ion of young people who deserve, as you de- ed five, ten, twenty, thirty, forty years ago, pportunity to prepare for more complete liv-

Many of you would never have had these portunities if Goshen College or the Elkhart In- ute had not extended them to you. You did not then, and have not since that time paid in full the enlarged vision, the inspiration, and enrich- t that your years in school brought into your

Goshen College will continue to serve young le to the best of her ability. But the contribu- s of her alumni will increase that ability.

on't misunderstand us! Goshen College is in mminent danger. Devotion to a cause makes sacrifice easy. But you alumni know that a college is short of funds to the point where thly faculty allowances are cut in half, the ice that a college can render is affected in many s that may not become immediately evident to casual observer or the transient visitor. Even- y the laboratory equipment and library facili- of a college may become inadequate to the t where her usefulness is seriously threatened. may happen to Goshen College if you who v her value and the nature of her services do give her the support that only you are in a ion to realize that she needs. Some of you in a few more years will be looking to Goshen College to advance the training of your boy and girl. And, when that time comes, what grade of college do you wish your Alma Mater to be?

ANNUAL DUES

One way of living up to the slogan of the Goshen College Alumni Association—"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year"—is to pay your annual dues. Dues are one dollar a year, payable at your convenience. The following have paid the annual dues since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER: Dr. Lillie S. Shenk, '20, Laurelton, Pa.; Fannie B. Shantz, '22, Elkhart; Ira H. Eigsti, '23, Buda, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Y. Musselman, '29 (Ruth Miller, '30), Orrtanna, Pa. ($2.00); Nettie Glick, ex-'35, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Leona Yoder, ex-'35, West Liberty, Ohio ($2.00); J. C. Wenger, '34, Telford, Pa.

Thank you!

ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

The treasurer of the Alumni Association gratefully acknowledges contributions to the annual operating fund of Goshen College from the following alumni. The appeal was sent out late this year and many alumni have not yet had time to respond. The letter was sent out on November 12, and the following list, totaling cash and pledges for nearly four hundred dollars, is complete to December 20. Later donations will be acknowledged in the April issue.

Rollo G. Page, South Bend, '98; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist, '04 (Lulu Greenwalt, '04), Falfurrias, Texas; Claude Brunk, '10, Chesterton, Indiana; Mrs. Stephen Yoder (Esther M. Lehman, '08), Harper, Kansas; Anna Hoover, '10, Goshen; Mrs. Ruth (Ebersole) Rasmussen, '11, North Tonawanda, New York; C. B. Shoemaker, '12, Scottdale, Pa.; Dwight L. Miller, '13, Fentress, Virginia; Dr. Clifford F. Brunk, '15, Detroit, Mich.; Martha Martin, '15, Chicago; C. J. Gerber, '17, Wakarusa; Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Krabill, '19, Louisville, Ohio; W. A. Bender, '22, Denver, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Glen S. Kropf, '22, (Vera Schertz, '21) South Bend; Fannie B. Shantz, '22, Elkhart; Mr. and Mrs. Silas Albrecht, '23, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Ira H. Eigsti, '23, Buda, Illinois; Jay H. Eberly, '28, Ohio; John Hershberger, '28, Sitka, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker, '28 (Pearl Detweiler, '29) West Liberty, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Ebersole, '30 (Nellie Miller, '31), Elkhart; ———, '30, Millersburg, Indiana; Adelia Hostetler, '30, Nampa, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler, '30 (Velma Lapp, '32), Flandreau, South Dakota; Hazel E. Stauffer, '30, Millersville, Pa.; Bessie C. Moyer, '30, Perkasie, Pa.; Emma S. Rohrer, '32, Smithville, Ohio; Jacob Sudermann, '32, Goshen;

Irene Eschliman, '33, Dalton, Ohio; Anna Hertzler, '33, Cheraw, Colorado; Mary Alice Jones, ex-'35, La Junta, Colorado; Mildred Risdon, '35, Goshen.

Class of 1930, we are proud of you. Your class leads all others in number of contributors, and your contributions total about one-tenth of the entire amount subscribed to date. Several other members of your class who have never failed us have still to report.

And what about some of the classes that have not registered any contributions? Shall we hear from you?

CAMPUS NOTES

The first term of the Winter Bible School will begin January 3 and close February 3. The second term begins February 3 and ends March 7. The six-year curriculum has been discontinued. The same work is now offered in four years with a nine-week session every year. Each term of the nine-week Winter Bible School is a complete unit. The instructors are Bishop D. A. Yoder, ex-'10; I. W. Royer, '00; President Sanford C. Yoder; Irvin E. Burkhart, '26; Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13; Miss Mary Royer, '30; S. A. Yoder, '28; Walter E. Yoder, '33.

The annual Christian Life Conference will be held February 1-3. Alumni and friends are invited to be present. Although the dormitories are nearly filled, some way will be found to entertain all who come.

Louis Untermeyer, popular poet, lecturer, critic, and anthologist, lectured in Assembly Hall to the Homecomers and friends on Friday evening, November 30. Wit, humor, and striking metaphor characterized a lecture thoroughly enjoyed by the largest audience that has assembled here for a lecture in ten years. Mr. Untermeyer was entertained at the College at dinner and spent the night at the home of a faculty member. Before returning to his winter home at Toledo on Saturday morning he visited the garment factory in the basement of Coffman Hall and purchased a work shirt to wear on his one hundred and sixty acre farm in the Adirondacks next summer.

Communion services were held at the College on Sunday, December 9, in charge of Bishop D. D. Miller, assisted by President Sanford C. Yoder (also a bishop), Pastor C. L. Graber and Irvin E. Burkhart, '26. An unusually large number participated in the services. At the time of the semi-annual counsel meeting held previous to communion, President and Mrs. Yoder, Marguerite Yoder, formerly of the East Union Congregation near Kalona, Iowa, and William Friesen, of Jamgaon, C. P., India, were received by letter. On the Sunday following communion Pastor C. L. Graber preached a stirring missionary sermon in his usual energetic manner.

President Sanford C. Yoder accompanied by Edward Yoder attended a Sunday school meeting at the Central church, Elida, Ohio, October 27. On December 2 he attended a mission board meeting at Detroit, Mich. On December 15, he preached at the Oak Grove church at Smithville, Ohio, and in the evening filled a similar appointment at Orrville. President Yoder and Paul Erb of Hesston College will work together in a Sunday school normal at Fisher, Illinois, during the holiday vaca

Dean H. S. Bender, and Dr. Edward Yoder tended the National Conference of the Fe Council of Churches and Peace Associations representatives of the Mennonite peace prob committee, which was held at Dayton, Ohio, cember 6 and 7. On December 8 Dean Bende dressed the Woman's Club of Mishawaka, Indi December 27-30 he took part in the Young Peo Institute at Harper, Kansas, sponsored by Missouri-Kansas conference.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, registrar of the College, tended the tenth Indiana state conference on dent teaching held at Central Normal college, ville, Indiana, December 13-14. He also gav address at the tenth annual education confer of Bluffton college, Bluffton, Ohio, December 1934, on "The Teacher's Responsibility for C acter Education."

Professor Willard H. Smith, '28, dean of expects to be absent on leave for graduate s at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, ing the second semester and probably all of year. His major is American history and minors economics and political science. Smith's classes will be continued by Professor F. Hershberger who expects to complete his tor's thesis at the University of Iowa in a weeks. His thesis is a case-study of the con of a commonwealth by a pacifist group, the Qu experiment in civil government in Pennsylvani

Two groups of students left the college ca on Friday morning, December 21, for Gospel t extending over the entire holiday season. group of students led by John Coffman toured state of Michigan making the first stop at Det Michigan, on Friday evening. The other grou eight students composed of a men's quartet a full complement of speakers, was led by Hartzler, president of the Y. M. C. A., and to Ohio and western Pennsylvania making their stop with the Central Mennonite congregatio Elida, Ohio, and closing their tour with a prog at West Liberty, Ohio, on January 1.

The Board of Directors of the Goshen Co Alumni Association met on Saturday evening, cember 22, in special session called by Dr. M Lehman, president of the Association, to tra routine business and to discuss the proposed largement of the NEWS LETTER. The followin rectors were present in person or by proxy: M. C. Lehman, president; Dr. Silas Hertzler, s tary; C. P. Martin, treasurer; Dean H. S. Be Dean W. H. Smith, Melvin Gingerich, S. W. mer, Dr. J. C. Meyer, O. O. Miller, H. C. Y Lester Litwiller, LaVerne Yoder, and John U The treasurer's report gives no assurance tha new alumni directory can be printed in J funds in the treasury are not sufficient to and mail the January and April issues of NEWS LETTER. Melvin Gingerich, '26, pres the views of the Iowa Reunion on enlarging usefulness of the alumni publication. A con tee, consisting of the president of the Alumni sociation, the dean of the College, and the e of the NEWS LETTER, was elected to invest the practicability of changing the size, format, content of the publication and to report its fin to a director's meeting to be called in Febru

meeting discussed at considerable length a
e effective service by the Alumni association
urthering the program of the College through
r co-ordination of alumni activities with the
s and ideals of the Mennonite Church.

HOMECOMING IN RETROSPECT

dging from the subscription list, one must con-
e that not more than a hundred or so of you
ni read the Goshen College Record. Hence
re sharing with those of you who could not
resent for homecoming the delightfully informal
y of Mrs. Willard Smith (Verna Graber, '28)
ten for the December issue of the Record. She
it "Homecoming in Retrospect."

r weeks the word "Homecoming" has made us catch
breath in a bustle of happy anticipation.—"Who will
, for how many shall we prepare, how can we entertain
with our dormitories practically full, what kind of
ams will we have?"—These and hundreds of other
ions were anxiously passed from one to another as
ksgiving season drew nearer. We have long learned
programs and entertainments do not make a Home-
ng a success or a failure, but that it is the sharing of
pirit of and the love for Goshen College which brings
the friends of former years.

st to show you the joy of Homecoming.—Thursday
ing as I was watching a group of women pile out of
, each one pulling at her baggage at the same time, I
enly saw a package drop on one side of the sidewalk
a suit case on the other, and someone running toward
ighway. I was glad when I saw it was only the de-
and excitement of two friends meeting.—Scenes simi-
o this one could be witnessed anywhere on the campus
morning until eleven o'clock when we gathered into
mbly Hall for a Thanksgiving service as a fitting
ing to our Homecoming activities.

12:30 we answered the Indian call to the Dining
where many pioneer dishes, such as turkey, oyster
ing, cranberries, and apples, were served in the
tieth century manner. After the feast "Big Chief" H.
e Amstutz called on some of his tribal friends to
k and sing. One speaker, James Steiner, toasted to
ardy frontier spirit of the tribe; another, Mrs. Les-
itwiller, encouraged the younger generation to leave
reaming about luck and seek success with pluck; and
third, Dr. Wallace Miller, toasted to the Chief's
nd-table" who have sacrificed their time and ener-
oward upbuilding the ideals of the tribe. That evening
horuses under the direction of Professor Walter Yo-
gave their first program of the year.

iday morning the students looked at life happily be-
not much in the way of serious thought could be
cted from them. The instructors wondered fearfully
the day would bring forth. I have heard since that
instructors and students were agreeably surprised
the success of the day's work. At three o'clock,
ver, all pretense of seriousness was lost in the en-
asm of the basket ball games.—(I hope the Alumni
mber that "Pride goeth before destruction," and that
Thanksgiving will be here soon.) For the Friday
ng program the committee departed from the usual
—negro singers—and secured Mr. Untermeyer to give
lecture. The twinkle in his eye and his entertaining
ner of speech were reflected in the warm, spirited
siasm of the audience.

turday is the day to which all students look forward.
, better than any other time they can leisurely visit
their friends:—they can go to the dam and walk
the race to renew memories; they can visit the va-
class rooms; or they can just sit and talk. In the
noon the monotony of the day—if there was any—
broken by a pleasant, informal tea. What can give
re comradely feeling than for friends to talk over
ittle "nothings" or to discuss serious problems over
of tea! To add to the charm of the afternoon our
ecoming friends entertained with vocal and instru-
al music. Then in the evening came the Social. First
hairs were arranged in straight rows with aisles be-
n, and we listened to a program of music and speech.
Kreider and Lois Gunden, chairmen of the Y. M.
Y. W. social committees presided. Several of the
cal numbers were pieces we had enjoyed in former
, such as, "Goin' Home" on the Marimba by Bon-
Overholt and "Italian Street Song" by a men's oc-
nd a violin obligato by Karl Massanari. Besides a
speech we heard a debate which was to be judged by the Homecomers. I didn't hear about the decision but I am wondering whether we shall have a private telephone installed between Kulp Hall and Coffman Hall. After the program we arranged our chairs in larger and smaller circles for the last informal social hour of Homecoming for this season.

Sunday morning we were happy to have over four hundred in our two Sunday Schools. Newton Weber of the Ft. Wayne Gospel Mission preached for us on "Love Within." And so Homecoming closed as it had opened—with a service recognizing God as the Giver of all that is good and pure, and lovely.

Once again Homecoming has come and gone. We have been happy to meet many old friends and to make new ones. Already we are anticipating Thanksgiving, 1935, when more can join in another Homecoming.

1934 HOMECOMERS (GRADUATES)

The NEWS LETTER is indebted to the wide-awake alumni editor of the "Goshen College Record," Miss Olive G. Wyse, '26, for the following interesting items:

About 40 graduates of Goshen College travelled between 20 and 1000 miles to attend part or all of the homecoming activities of their Alma Mater. The classes of '32 and '33 could boast the largest number of out-of-the-state representatives, nine each. The classes of '22, '27, '28, and '29, were represented by two from a distance.

'22 homecomers: Florence Bender, Indianapolis, Ind., Indiana state director of nursery school work in the emergency education program under the F. E. R. A.; Eli Stoltzfus, high school instructor, West Liberty, Ohio.

'27 homecomers: Dr. Wallace Miller, high school instructor of biological sciences, Hinsdale, Ill.

'28 homecomers: Chauncey Smucker, farmer, West Liberty, Ohio; Tilman Smith, superintendent of schools, Roanoke, Ill.

'29 homecomers: Ruth (Yoder) Litwiller, homemaker, Morton, Ill.; Pearl (Detweiler) Smucker, homemaker, West Liberty, Ohio.

'30 homecomers: Lois (Lapp) Camp, homemaker, Chicago; Lester Litwiller, engineer for Caterpillar Tractor Company, Morton, Ill.; Alta (Brenneman) Keiser, rural teacher, Wellman, Iowa; Martha Yoder, first and second grade teacher, Smithville, Ohio; Edwin Weaver, superintendent of Mennonite Home Mission, Chicago; Gladys Honderich, home economics instructor in high school, Millersburg, Ind.

'31 homecomers: Grace Schwary, grade teacher, Louisville, Ohio; Titus Weaver, high school principal, Walnut Creek, Ohio; Dora Hershberger, rural teacher, Shipshewana, Ind.; and Ora Keiser, rural teacher, Wellman, Iowa.

'32 homecomers: Ralph Beechy, high school principal, Berlin, Ohio; Blanche Brenneman, Elida, Ohio; Erma Schertz, Metamora, Ill.; Esther Yoder, third and fourth grade teacher, Monroe township, Logan county, Ohio; Eva Yeackley, rural teacher, Flanagan, Ill.; Ada Lapp, rural teacher, Sterling, Ill.; James Steiner, high school instructor, Berlin Center, Ohio; Dorothy Smith, high school instructor, North Lima, Ohio; and Stanley Miller, rural teacher in the Catskills of New York.

'33 homecomers: Arthur Roth, plant superintendent of Orrtanna Canning Co., Orrtanna, Pa.; Linus Eigsti, rural teacher, Tiskilwa, Ill.; Carl Hostetler, high school instructor, Walnut Creek, Ohio; Sarah Esch, medical student, Philadelphia, Pa.; Lena Smucker Stoltzfus, dressmaker, West

Liberty, Ohio; Ezra Beechy, rural teacher, Sherwood, Ohio; Ross Gerber, sixth grade teacher, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Earle Brilhart, Upland, Calif.; and Omar J. Rhodes, superintendent of schools, Sharon Center, Iowa.

'34 homecomers: Verna Smith, rural teacher, Eureka, Ill.; LaVerne Yoder, student at University of Iowa; Elva Gunden, housework, Detroit, Mich.; Leland Brenneman, sixth grade teacher, Cleveland, Ohio; and Edward Gerber, rural teacher, Sugarcreek, Ohio.

Not all of the homecomers registered. Following is a group of names found in the register and not mentioned elsewhere in the NEWS LETTER.

1930. Helen Stauffer, Elkhart, Ind.

ex-'31. Raymond Sommers, Kokomo, Indiana; Earl Byler, West Liberty, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. William Yeager, '31 (Maredith Rupp, ex-'32), Archbold, Ohio.

ex-'33. Milton Rohrer, Orrville, Ohio.

ex-'34. Orval Shoemaker, Dakota, Illinois; Vesta Nafziger, Wauseon, Ohio; Martha Rohrer, Orrville, Ohio; Louella Miller, Smithville, Ohio.

ex-'35. Harold Burkholder, Newville, Pa.; Nettie Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Edna Oyer, St. Johns, Michigan; Thelma Oyer, Roanoke, Illinois; Leona Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio.

ex-'36. Gladys Schertz, Metamora, Illinois; Carolyn Hershberger, 1111 W. King St., Decatur, Illinois, student at James Millikan University; John M. S. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio; Gladys Johns, Canton, Ohio; Lloyd E. Hartzler, Harrisonville, Missouri; Delilah Miller, Louisville, Ohio; J. J. Miller, Bluffton, Ohio, student at Bluffton College; Laura Troyer, Elida, Ohio; Jerald Sommer, Metamora, Illinois; John Hartzler, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Pauline Oyer, Roanoke, Illinois; Evelyn Brenneman, Elida, Ohio; Ferne Smith, Eureka, Illinois.

ex-'37. Edith Mae Schertz, Roanoke, Illinois; Elsie Mast, Millersburg, Ohio; Clark Brenneman, Wellman, Iowa.

THE HOMECOMER

(The following poem appeared anonymously on the English Bulletin Board in Science Hall a few days after the 1933 Homecoming. Several alumni have expressed a desire to see it in print.)

The night came slowly down as I arrived
On Wednesday night and turned into the drive
Under the "Welcome" sign that spanned the Arch.
The fountain danced with thoughts of other days
And happy memories. Lights gleamed in hall
And dormitory. Dusky figures flitted here
And there before the windows and along
The walks. A peal of girlish laughter rang
From out Kulp Hall. The doors of Coffman Hall
Revealed two hatless figures, framed in light,
Suggesting warmth and fellowship within.
Then from the Gym., a whistle shrilled the call
To play, and on the hardwood sounded the thud
Of racing feet. I parked my car along
The drive and felt that this was home to me.

But in the morning when I woke I missed
The old familiar voices. Joe and Ross, alas,
No longer filled the halls with friendly prank
And call. With towel and soap I issued forth
To meet a stranger Freshman's open-eyed,
Half-hostile look of blank astonishment.
Then, as I stood before the glass to test
The edge of my Gillette, some came to dash
A bit of water on their beardless faces, quite
Unused to feel the daily reapings of
The safety's steel. At breakfast time, the girls—
To think we called them women years ago!—
All seemed so young, and ggigly-like; I felt
The years had brought in students less mature.

The buildings, too, seemed smaller than they had.
In Twenty-Nine the top of Science Hall
Seemed near the sky when we were late for lab.
Those few steps up to Kulp Hall porch—
How could they ever have suggested those
Of Jacob's ladder? Then at chapel time
My disappointment grew. How small a group!
And on the platform—those the men in whom
My youthful mind envisioned all the wealth
Of wisdom that the saints and sages taught?
I almost wished I had not come, for then
In ignorance I might have kept my dream
And loved my Alma Mater as I'd imaged her.

But now I've spent four happy days among
Old friends and new. I've walked along the race
With her who's promised me to take life's path
With me. I've sought the old familiar haunts
Made sacred by the hour of fellowship
And high resolve. I've heard the Chapel ring
With songs I loved in other days. I've seen
The College Spirit glowing in the eyes
Of youth. I've sensed its power to beautify,
Enrich, ennoble life, to arm young men
To meet the foes of truth upon life's field.
Old friends from near and far I've met in these
Glad days. With some I've laughed away my cares,
With some I've dropped a tear of sympathy,
With others, I have drunken deep of strength
For days to come. Instructors, standing firm
Upon the rugged truth, inspire with hope
And courage to press on in confidence
That righteousness and faith will yet prevail.
I'm glad I came. And where I have been lax,
May God forgive! Renew my zeal to live
Above the world, but grant me grace to keep
My feet upon the earth where I may walk
In godly peace and humble helpfulness!

WEDDING BELLS

On Wednesday, November 14, Mark Huntley Los Angeles, California, and Marigrace Krutz, '31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Krutz, a of Los Angeles, but formerly of Goshen, were m ried in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Huntley res at 4176 Marine View Avenue, San Diego, Calif nia.

Harry W. Leatherman, ex-'32, son of Mr. a Mrs. Asher Leatherman, of Doylestown, Pa., a Fannie S. Brunk, ex-'32, daughter of Mrs. M Brunk, of South Main Street, Goshen, were marr at the home of the bride's mother on Sunday, N vember 25. Mr. and Mrs. Leatherman reside Galveston, Texas.

David Esch, ex-'33, son of the late Dr. C. Esch and Mrs. Mina (Brubaker) Esch, of Elkha Indiana was married to Evelyn Emmert, daugh of Mrs. Grace Emmert, Topeka, Indiana, at home of the bride's mother, on Sunday, Decem 2, Edwin Yoder, pastor of the Maple Grove M nonite congregation, officiating. Mr. and M Esch will reside in Elkhart where the groom h a position with the Montieth Brothers Compa

On Wednesday evening, November 28, before large audience gathered in the South Union M nonite Church near West Liberty, Ohio, Eli Sto fus, '22, son of the late B. B. and Mrs Em (Rich) Stoltzfus, of West Liberty, Ohio wa ini in marriage to Lena Elizabeth Smucker, ' daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smucker, of W Liberty, Ohio, Bishop S. E. Allgyer, officiati Mr. Stoltzfus is teaching science and manual in the West Liberty high school and Mrs. Stoltz is proprietress of a thriving dressmaking establi ment and salesroom for women's dress materi in West Liberty. They spent a part of their h eymoon trip at the Goshen College Homecoming

On Sunday afternoon, November 4, John P. I

successful German Mennonite farmer of Ob- Illinois, and Dr. Esther Elizabeth Smucker, M. D., of Morton, Illinois, daughter of Mr. Mrs. F. I. Smucker, were united in marriage e home of the bride's parents six miles south- of Tiskilwa, Illinois. Ira Eigsti, '23, cousin e bride, was the officiating minister. Both people are members of the Willow Springs onite congregation near Tiskilwa. The bride s a growing and lucrative medical practice at n. Mr. and Mrs. Hodel spent several days shen during their honeymoon.

l Showalter, ex-'36, La Junta, Colorado, son . and Mrs. Earl E. Showalter, and Ruby Yo- laughter of Mrs. J. L. (Mrs. Irvie Yoder) r, of Cheraw, Colorado, were married Sun- November 25, the father of the groom officiat- The ceremony was performed in the East ook Mennonite church in the presence of the egation and invited guests. After a three- ' honeymoon in California Mr. and Mrs. Sho- r took up their residence in La Junta where Showalter is employed as salesman by the ier Motor Company.

a Hershberger, '34, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. ershberger, of Milford, Nebraska, and Orpha ider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coop- of Hesston, Kansas, were united in marriage onday evening, December 24. The bride is a ate of Hesston College, attended Bethel Col- t Newton and taught school for several years. hley Weaver, ex-'28, son of Mr. Samuel E. er, rural route five, Goshen, and Dorothy , daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Marty were ed on August 1, Rev. Earl Salzman, '31, un- the groom, officiating. Mrs. Weaver taught e Clinton Community School for the past five . Mr. Weaver is a successful farmer, re- winning another gold medal from the Hoos- old Medal Club with his flock of Hampshire . Mr. and Mrs. Weaver reside on Mr. Wea- farm on Highway No. 2, southeast of Goshen. e marriage of Fred Neff, of East Goshen, and aret Bates, '33, was announced Friday eve- December 21, at a meeting of the Goshen tal alumni association. Mrs. Neff is a grad- of the Laura Kindig school for nurses at the n Hospital and is an instructor of nurses at cal institution.

ny of the older alumni will be interested in nnouncement of the marriage of the son of r President and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler, '04 ie Yoder, '08), of Beirut, Syria, and the ter of former Dean and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, Carrie E. Yoder, '05), of South Eleventh , Goshen. John Hartzler and Christine r were united in marriage at the Eighth Mennonite church on Sunday, December 23, ev. G. T. Soldner, pastor of the church, offi- g. Mr. Hartzler was graduated from Woos- llege in 1932 and is teaching in the Jerome- Ohio, high school near Wooster. Mrs. Hartz- as graduated from Bluffton college in 1932.

nk Weaver, ex-'36, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. er, of South Main Street, Goshen, and Janet rbie, ex-'38, daughter of Mr. John Lockerbie, est Pike Street, Goshen, were united in ge on Sunday, December 23, at the First terian church, Goshen. The Rev. Trevor Dillon read the service.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ward Stipe (Helen Knight, ex-'31), of Montpelier, Ohio, became the parents of an eight-pound son, J. Wesley, on November 17. Mrs. Stipe formerly resided in Goshen.

A son, Kenneth Mervin, was born Monday night, November 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Martin, ex-'31 (Clyda Geiser), of rural route five, Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schnell (Helen Yoder, ex-'32), Charlesville, Congo Belge, Africa, are the parents of a daughter, Carolyn Rosa, born October 30.

Janet Dee, nine-pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman, '29 (Ruth Miller, '30), of Orrtanna, Pa., was born on November 1.

The Crown Prince has arrived! Richard Daniel came on Sunday morning, November 25, to live with his five sisters and parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graber. The College family, the College congregation, and many friends far and near find it easy to "rejoice with them that do rejoice."

Betty Ann, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hershberger, '27 (Mary Martin, '29), of 18 Throckmorton Avenue, Red Bank, New Jersey, has a little brother, William Martin, born December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver, '30 (Irene Lehman, '32), are the parents of a daughter Carolyn Grace, born December 10. And are Grandpa and Grandma M. C. Lehman, '04 (Lydia Liechty, '05), happy!

Norma Jean, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Weldy, ex-'28 (Lucille Martin), now has a baby brother, Theron Jay, born October 16, 1934.

NECROLOGY

Carreno, daughter of the late Professor John D. and Mrs. Mary K. (Martin) Brunk, of Goshen, was born January 18, 1901, and after eight years of illness with tuberculosis quietly fell asleep November 5, 1934, at her home two miles south of Goshen. In 1906 she moved to Goshen with her parents. She graduated from Goshen high school in 1919, spent one year in Goshen College, and was married to J. Howard Brown in 1924. In 1925 she graduated from the American Conservatory of Music, Chicago. She, with her father, taught music in Elkhart from 1919 to 1926. She is survived by her husband, her mother, two brothers, J. Milton, ex-'30, of Goshen and Niemann A., '31, of Hagerstown, Maryland; three sisters, Hermion—Mrs. Dorsa Yoder of Ft. Wayne, Fanny, ex-'32—Mrs. Harry Leatherman, and Mary, '36.

Elizabeth Sherk, wife of the late Jacob B. Gingrich was born July 27, 1845, and died Nov. 12. In 1866 she was married to Jacob Gingrich who was ordained to the ministry in 1878 and who preceded her in death in 1920. She was the mother of ten children including Norman, of Mishawaka; Elizabeth '96 (Mrs. W. K. Jacobs, St. Louis, Missouri); Nancy (Mrs. Levi Hostetler, of Goshen); Samuel S., ex-'02, (died in 1904). She was the grandmother of several alumni including Sylvia Hostetler, ex-'29; Cora, ex-'33, and Charles Boyer, ex-'34; and Mary Gingrich, ex-'35.

Deacon Samuel Lantz Warye, son of Bishop John and Rebecca (Lantz) Warye was born in

Champaign county, Ohio, January 9, 1854; died December 1, 1934. On January 20, 1880, he was united in marriage to Emma Kauffman. On November 18, 1889, he was ordained deacon in the Oak Grove church where his father served as minister for over fifty years. Their three children survive the father: Maude, '08 (Mrs. Harry G. Good), of Columbus, Ohio; Edwin, of rural route three, Urbana, Ohio, and John H., '17. Deacon Warye was a progressive pioneer leader in organizing and promoting various church activities: Sunday school, young people's Bible meeting, Bible classes, prayer meetings and Sunday school union meetings. Burial was made in the Oak Grove cemetery on the Ludlow Road where many of his relatives and co-workers sleep their last sleep.

Pauline Herr, '30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram R. Herr, of Lancaster, Pa., was born September 7, 1908; passed away at the Rossmere Sanitarium on Saturday morning, November 10. Miss Herr had been confined to her bed since the summer after her graduation. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, November 13, conducted by her pastor, John Mosemann, text: Romans 8:18. Mr. and Mrs. William Hallman '29 (Beatrice Hershey, '29), Menno E. Miller, '33, and Hazel Stauffer, '30, were among the group of young people who sang the hymn, "Crossing the Bar," which she had requested.

Miss Herr's passing takes from the ranks of the Class of 1930 one of its most talented members and most earnest Christians, one whose cheerful, wholesome outlook on life always brightened the class circle.

John, son of Frederick and Maria (Steffen) Badertscher, was born in Canton Bern, Switzerland, March 29, 1867; died November 21, 1934. At the age of fourteen he emigrated to America and spent most of his life in Wayne county, Ohio. He was admitted to membership in the Sonnenberg congregation by baptism in 1882 and transferred his membership to the Salem church soon after its organization. He is survived by five sons and five daughters. His daughter, Florence (Mrs. H. Claire Amstutz) is a junior in Goshen College.

CLASS OF 1934

The following information concerning the Class of 1934, gathered with the aid of the assistant registrar, Miss Stella A. Kauffman, '34, brings to light several interesting facts. Of the thirty who received the bachelor's degree all are either gainfully employed or are continuing their education. Twelve are engaged in public school teaching. Twelve are students. The other six are performing services in useful callings.

Ezra Hershberger, Milford, Nebraska, is teaching a rural school near his home.

Alice Housour, Elkhart, Indiana, is teaching in the Jamestown schools near her home.

Stella Kauffman, formerly of West Liberty, Ohio, is assistant registrar, but is to serve as assistant librarian of the College after the end of the first semester to succeed Barbara Coffman, '31, who has been forced to resign on account of ill health.

Carolyn Lehman, Goshen, is special week Bible instructor in the Goshen public schools.

Paul Mininger, Souderton, Pa., is continuing seminary studies in Eastern Baptist semin Philadelphia.

Bertha Nohejl, is employed in domestic ser in Ft. Wayne.

Jack O'Shea, Goshen, is employed by the Ba Heater Company.

Elsie Shank, Pehuajo, Argentina, is enrolle Bethany biblical seminary and assists in the v of the Spanish Mennonite Mission in Chic Her address is 1407 South Union Avenue, Chic

Robert Shideler, rural route five, Goshen, is tinuing his study in the physical sciences in shen College.

Verna Smith, Eureka, Illinois, is teaching her home and takes an active part in the yo people's activities in her home congregation.

Hope Stutsman, Lanham, Maryland, spent of the summer in Rhode Island, and in study of commercial branches. She is enrolled as a gr ate student in the University of Maryland wor toward the master of science degree in the fiel educational psychology and will receive the M land high school teacher's license in June.

Sam Swartz is doing graduate work in Bibl Goshen College.

John C. Wenger, Telford, Pa., is pursuing seminary studies at Westminster theological s nary in Philadelphia.

John Williams, Middlebury, Indiana, is com ing the elementary teacher training course in shen College.

Among the second generation students liste the Iowa University Bulletin of December is name of LaVerne Yoder, who is doing grad work in English at the University of Iowa. subject of her master's thesis is "Francis Ba Elizabethan Allusions and Figures of Speech."

Phebe Yoder, Th.B., B.A., Windom, Kansa taking nurse's training at the Mennonite Hos in La Junta, Colorado.

Paul D. Zook, 1133 South Eighth Street, Gos is attendant at Cripe's filling station in west shen near the Bag Factory.

Ross Gerber, B.S., '33, B.A., '34, teaches fifth and sixth grades in the Sugar Creek (O schools.

Ezra Beachy, B.S., Th.B., Sherwood, Ohi teaching an elementary school near his home.

Leland Brenneman is a sixth grade teache the schools of Garfield Heights, a suburb of C land, Ohio.

Harvey Frederick continues his work as pr pal of the grade schools in Nappanee, Indiana.

Edward Gerber is teaching a rural school Sugar Creek in Tuscarawas county, Ohio.

Elva Gunden is employed in domestic servi Detroit, Michigan. Her address is 7 Poplar I Pleasant Ridge, Royal Oak, Michigan.

Carl Hostetler teaches in the Walnut C Ohio, schools where another alumnus, Titus ver, '31, is doing excellent work as superinte of schools.

Marian Messner, Strasburg, Pa., teaches an mentary school near her home.

Helen Oesch, Kent, Ohio, is continuing her at Goshen College as a student. At the end o present year she will be graduated with tw

; in addition to the B.S. she received in 1934: . and B.A.

m Thomas, Millersburg, while waiting for better opportunity to present itself keeps king at the door of opportunity with some of ools of his trade as a carpenter.

enneth Zook, rural route six, Elkhart, contin- eaching in the schools of Concord township at ap.

hn E. Coffman, B.A. '33, Th.B. '34, is taking second year of the graduate Bible course in en College. He serves as proctor of Coffman

rah Esch, B.A. '33, Th.B. '34, is beginning a year medical course in the Woman's Medical ge of Pennsylvania. She is rooming at the of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mininger, 308 Main t, Souderton, Pa.

ie A. Miller, B.A. '33, teaches in his home school at Wayland, Iowa.

udents who received the elementary teacher ing diploma in 1934 have been unusually suc- ul in continuing their educational work. Only member of the class (and that one from choice r than necessity) is not either teaching or ding school.

arie Bender teaches near her home at Springs, John D. Hartzler, near his home at Tiskilwa, Delilah Miller, Louisville, Ohio at Fairmont, ; Atha Stahl, Elkhart, Indiana, at Fayette, ; John M. S. Steiner, North Lima, Ohio, about een miles from home, the fifth and sixth grades Ellsworth, Ohio; Katharine Thoman, West rty, Ohio, the second grade in the Salem town- schools at Kings Creek, Ohio; Laura Troyer, her home at Elida, Ohio; Louise Weaver, en, in a private Methodist Mission school in ucky; Idella Zuercher, private tutoring near home at Dalton, Ohio; George Amstutz, near ome at Apple Creek, Ohio; Esther Eberly near home at Dalton, Ohio; Gladys Johns, rural e 3, Canton, Ohio, one-half of the third grade ie North Canton schools; Glen Mast, Millers- , Ohio, a rural school near Berlin, Ohio; Wil- S. Miller, Berlin, Ohio, in the home school; Mae Roth, Manson, Iowa, near her home and ard Richer, Wauseon, Ohio, near his home.

arion Wisseman, Grantsville, Maryland, whose was saddened by the death of her mother ig the past school year, is spending this year the home folks.

ilma Miller, Colorado Springs, Colorado; Lew- owell, South English, Iowa; and Atlee Beechy, n, Ohio, are pursuing the course leading to the e, bachelor of science in education.

the three academy graduates Jennie Mast, en, is taking the first year of the elementary er training course at Indiana Central, In- apolis; Lois Miller, Akron, Pa., is continuing chool work in Goshen College; and Orval Shoe- r, Dakota, Illinois, is husking "dollar corn" e home community.

PERSONALS

. and Mrs. Dirk V. Tieszen (Mrs. Merle Wil- Tieszen, '30) reside in Albany, New York, e Mr. Tieszen teaches in Albany State Nor- School.

yd J. Martin, '29, of 1135 South Eighth t, Goshen, Indiana, president of the Elkhart County Farmers Union returned December 4, from a two-weeks trip thru South Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota, and Illinois. He attended the national convention of the Farmer's Educational and Co-operative Union of America at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, visited Milo Reno at Des Moines, Iowa, conducted an investigation of farm co-operatives, feed crop supplies and farm debt in Central Illinois, and gathered data on unemployment and relief trends in Chicago.

George B. Smith, '28, is a frequent visitor on the campus. He is taking private instruction in music from Professor B. Frank Hartzler, '29, South Main Street, Goshen.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, '31 (Millie Page Brenneman, '31), Balodgahan, India, find their language study very interesting. Their Pundit is a very fine Christian, converted only a few years ago. Dr. Brenneman writes: "The Christians impress one at once as being better socially, financially, and certainly much happier than the other of the natives."

The Executive Committee of the M. B. of M. and C. at its meeting on Saturday, November 17, decided to grant a furlough to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vogt, '27, Mary M. Good, '19, and Mary Wenger, beginning in the spring of 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hershey, ex-'10, missionaries to South America, who arrived in Buenos Aires for their first period of service in September, 1917, landed in New Orleans on November 7 for a furlough. Their address is 504 West Orange Street, Lancaster, Pa.

Ernest E. Miller, '17, Dhamtari, India, writes that the Bible and Tract money sent to India has been turned over to the Academy to purchase New Testaments and Bibles for the non-Christian boys for use in their Bible classes.

Mrs. J. N. Kaufman (Elsie Drange, '08) was obliged to undergo an operation at Portland hospital on October 25. She is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. G. L. Dobson (Ruth Lininger, Summer Sessions 1930 and 1931), of 500 East Williams Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, who wrote a series of articles for the Christian Monitor on "Old New England Customs" a few years ago, is working on her master's degree at the University of Michigan. She is gathering material for a thesis on "The Old Order Amish of Northern Indiana."

Mark R. Hertzler, '30, in co-operation with Asa M. Hertzler, '16, is making a farm out of an area covered with a dense growth of reeds. The soil is level, fertile and productive but acid in reaction. They now have a few acres of crops; corn, soy beans, and lespedeza and the project gives promise of paying well. Mr. Hertzler hopes to be in Goshen for the first five-year reunion of the class of 1930. His address is Box 144, rural route three, Portsmouth, Virginia.

George Luther, ex-'35, continues his work at the school of nursing at Pennsylvania hospital, Corner Eighth and Spruce Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

Edwin Weaver, '30, superintendent of the Chicago Home Mission, 1907 South Union Avenue, Chicago, Illinois was ordained to the ministry on Sunday, November 11. On November 10, Bishop C. A. Hartzler of Tiskilwa, Illinois and Bishop J. D. Hartzler, of Gridley, Illinois, took the counsel of the church with regard to the ordination and

conducted the ordination services the next day. Three of the members of the Home Mission congregation are in attendance at Goshen College: Levi Hartzler, '35; Virginia Gomoll, '37; and Charles Neff, '38. The Mission appears to be in a prosperous condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Litwiller, '25, and family, arrived at Buenos Aires on December 4, enroute to Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina.

Otto Binkele, '33, continues his work in New York. His address is Fifth Floor, 65 West Seventieth Street, New York City, New York.

Evelyn Brenneman, ex-'35, Elida, Ohio, is teaching a rural school near her home.

C. Warren Long, '29, superintendent of the Peoria, Illinois, Mission reports 118 present for the morning service on Missionary Day November 18. In the evening service Bishop C. A. Hartzler received ten applicants by baptism and one by confession.

Stanley Miller, '31, of Harvard, New York, attended Buffalo State Teacher's College last summer and not the Goshen College Summer Session as stated in the last issue of the NEWS LETTER.

Eva Yeackley, '32, is teaching a rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

The correct address of Mr. and Mrs. Omar J. Rhodes, '32, is rural route three, Iowa City, Iowa. Mr. Rhodes is enjoying his work as principal of the Sharon Center high school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Camp, '28, (Lois Esther Lapp, '30), reside at 919 East 56th Street, Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Camp hopes to have his doctor's thesis in mathematics completed before the end of January, 1935.

Vilas Zuercher, ex-'36, and Kenneth Burkholder, ex-'35, are continuing their college work at O. S. U. Their address is 25 West Frambes Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, '10 (Mary Landis, '12) have moved to 108 East Park Street, Marquette, Michigan.

Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Miller, '27 (Ada Smith, ex-'25) reside at 2 South Thurlow Street, Hinsdale, Illinois. Dr. Miller teaches biological science in the Hinsdale high school.

Frank B. Raber, '29, superintendent of the Detroit Mission, reports five confessions during the evangelistic services that closed on November 29.

J. Harold Smith, '32, who is teaching history, English, and music at Hesston College, Hesston, Kansas, visited friends in Goshen during the Christmas vacation.

Ralph Blosser, '33, is teaching in the Alvan Drew School, Pine Ridge, Kentucky. Ruth Brunk, '31, has taught in the same school for several years.

Agnes M. Weaver, '32 is dietitian at the Goshen City Hospital.

Alice Gerig, 1137 South Eighth Street, Goshen, has returned home from Great Neck, Long Island.

Una Cressman, '31, who has completed the nurse's training course at the Mennonite hospital, La Junta, Colorado, spent a few days on the campus late in November enroute to her home in Kitchener, Ontario.

Ray S. Lantz, '22, formerly of Chalmers, Indiana, is now superintendent of schools at Wolcottville, Indiana.

William J. Hershberger, ex-'19, of Walnut Creek, Ohio, is teaching the fifth and sixth gr in the Walnut Creek schools.

Silas Smucker, '30, has been transferred to Dutch Elm Laboratory at Morristown, New sey. His success in research at Purdue Univer where he studied tomato diseases, led to his pointment to a research project in combatting eases of the American Elm. Mr. Smucker's add is 2 West Park Place, Morristown, New Jerse

Dorothy Kemrer, '25, instructor at E. M was a member of an extension group of teac and students from the Y. P. C. A. of E. M. S. made a trip to the Knoxville, Tennessee, Mis during the Thanksgiving vacation.

Bishop Otis N. Johns, ex-'08, rural route t Canton, Ohio, is a member of the faculty of Johnstown Bible School which opened its teenth annual session on January 1, 1935.

J. W. Shank, '10, Pehuajo, Argentina, is author of a new junior mission study book jus the press, "Our Neighbors in South America." book was printed by the Mennonite Publis House, Scottdale, Pa., and sells for thirty cents.

Maurice A. Yoder, '27, of Hesston, Kansas, ducted studies in the First Epistle of John at Young People's Institute held at Harper, Ka December 26-30.

James Bucher, ex-'12, is pastor of the new gregation organized at North Pomona, Califo on November 20 with twenty-nine charter mem all former members of the Los Angeles congr tion.

Bishop Norman A. Lind, ex-'03, of Tan Oregon, was one of five bishops who orga the new congregation at North Pomona, Califo After the organization Bishop Lind remaine conduct revival meetings at Los Angeles an hold a communion service.

John Thut, ex-'05, of Harper, Kansas, who spent the past three months in the Far Wes livering his series of prophetic lectures returne his home early in December.

J. N. Kaufman, '17, missionary on furlough India and now residing in Oregon was sched to begin a series of evangelistic services with Bethel congregation near Canby, Oregon on cember 18, assisted by James Bucher of Up California.

Dr. M. C. Lehman, '04, is auditing courses i Westminster theological seminary at Philade and fills two or three appointments at church the Franconia Conference every week-end. spent the Christmas vacation conducting eva istic services at the Maple Grove Mennonite Ch in Topeka, Indiana, Edwin J. Yoder, ex-'08, pa

H. F. Reist, '04, on invitation of the three estant ministers of his home town, Falfu Texas, delivered the sermon at the union ser on Thanksgiving eve. Robert, six-foot so Mr. and Mrs. Reist (Lulu Greenwalt, '04), freshman at Hesston college. He spent the C mas vacation with his grandmother and other tives in Goshen.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

JOHN UMBLE, '01.....Editor

HE next issue of the NEWS LETTER will begin a new series. At a called meeting of the Board of Directors of the Goshen College ni Association held on February 16 the dirs voted to issue six numbers of the NEWS ER per year instead of four as formerly. This gement is to continue as an experiment for year. The news features will be edited by ditor as previously, but the news section will nfined to the last four pages. The first four will be edited by an advisory board. These will contain articles dealing with educal problems of the College and with such other ers as the advisory board may see fit to pre- to the editor for publication from time to

By a special arrangement this new feature add but little to the cost of publication. As l above, the directors decided to enlarge the s LETTER as an experiment for one year. her or not the plan will be continued depends s practicability and popularity. Dr. M. C. an, president of the Goshen College Alumni iation, will be chairman of the new advisory l or editorial staff.

ring 1935 the NEWS LETTER will be issued in months of March, May, July, September and mber. If you did not receive the January er, a post-card giving your correct and com- address will bring you the NEWS LETTER.

e NEWS LETTER is sent free to all alumni of en College. If you are not receiving it regu- we probably do not have your correct ad- . We must have your rural route or street er.

e NEWS LETTER is financed with the annual of one dollar, payable at your convenience. times the funds run very low, but thanks to ncreasing number of alumni who are keeping with the slogan adopted by the Board of tors—"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every "—the treasurer has been able to pay all promptly during the past few years.

e editor welcomes wedding and birth anements, notices of change of address or emment, or news of any kind that affects your iness or fortune. If you allow your natural sty to keep you from making your good forknown to the alumni circle, how shall alumni ble to "rejoice with them that do rejoice?" alumni circle is deeply and sympathetically ested also in the sorrows that cross your life. veral hundred alumni are receiving the NEWS ER for the first time, thanks to the painstakconscientious, intelligent industry of Thelma etler, research assistant, who, besides carry- heavy college course, spends about two days eek seeking the addresses of Goshen College ni.

veral years ago at its annual meeting the en College Alumni Association voted to abolish the distinction between graduates and former students by extending alumni membership to all former students who have completed one full year of work at Goshen College. If you have completed one year's work at Goshen College or the Elkhart Institute, you are an alumnus of Goshen College and are entitled to all the rights and privileges of alumni membership. Why not plan now to attend the annual alumni banquet and reunion at Goshen College during the first week in June?

Satisfactory progress is being made on the new directory. The material will be ready for the printer in July unless unforeseen obstacles arise. But the treasurer says that there will not be sufficient funds unless alumni, one hundred and fifty or more, who have not been paying dues send in their dollar between now and July 1. The only cost of the new directory will be the printing. All the work of collecting the correct addresses and preparing the material for publication is being done with F. E. R. A. funds.

Class of 1930, don't forget June 1935!

ANNUAL DUES

An increasing number of younger alumni are paying their annual dues regularly. Some of the older alumni are keeping up the habit. Every cent you pay in annual dues goes for printing the NEWS LETTER and for postage. No one is paid for any work in connection with the editing of the NEWS LETTER and none of the officers of the Alumni Association receive any pay or any allowance for traveling expenses. The following have paid their annual dues since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER went to press: Edna Hanley, Georgia; Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Good, '07 (Maude Warye, '08), Columbus, Ohio ($2.00); Allen Y. King, '22, Cleveland, Ohio; H. H. Bechtel '26, Goshen, ($2.00); Mrs. Dorothy (Hostetler) Yoder, ex-'25, Youngstown, Ohio; Mrs. Erle C. Hutchison (Catherine Martin, '27), Ovid, Michigan; Howard Schertz, '29, New York City, New York; Ross Gerber, '33, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Kenneth Burkholder, ex-'34, Columbus, Ohio; Hope Stutsman, '34, Lanham, Maryland; Iva Smucker, ex-'34, Wooster, Ohio; Idella Zuercher, ex-'36, Dalton, Ohio.

ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

The treasurer gratefully acknowledges receipt of cash donations for the annual operating expense of the College from the following alumni. Some have sent the money direct to the College and some to the alumni treasurer. The President of the College thanks each one of you for helping to make the work of the institution more effective and for lightening the financial burdens of the administration. Most of the donations are in amounts of five or ten dollars; but the list includes

several gifts of one dollar as well as gifts of twenty-five, thirty-five, fifty, one hundred, and two hundred dollars. Every gift, large or small is greatly appreciated not only for its intrinsic value, but also for the fine spirit that prompts the donor to send it in. Ada (Loucks) Martin, Goshen; F. S. Ebersole, '01, Goshen; Dr. S. T. Miller, '02, Elkhart; Dr. A. C. Yoder, Goshen; H. E. Moore, ex-'08, Lititz, Pa.; Asher H. Leatherman; Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller, '15 (Elta Wolfe), Akron, Pa.; Albert F. Holderman, '16, Del Rio, Texas; Dr. Dan D. Hostetler, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Dr. S. E. Yoder, '16, Lancaster, Pa.; Dr. and Mrs. Homer C. Blough (Kathryn Speigle, '16), Johnstown, Pa.; Atlee A. Hostetler, ex-'20, Baltic, Ohio; Allen Y. King, '22, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kropf, '22 (Vera Schertz, '21), South Bend, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yoder, '22 (Ethel Good), Wooster, Ohio; Dr. E. M. Landis, ex-'23, Gary, Indiana; Amanda Frey, '27, Archbold, Ohio; Mrs. Erle C. Hutchison (Catherine Martin, '27), Ovid, Michigan; C. P. Martin, '27, Elkhart; Lulu P. Smith, '27, Eureka, Illinois; John Hershberger, '28, Sitka, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey G. Smucker, '28, (Pearl Detweiler, '29), West Liberty, Ohio; Ira J. Hoover, ex-'29, Goshen; Mabelle Smith, ex-'29, Eureka, Illinois; J. C. Fretz, '30, Merriton, Ontario; Martha V. Yoder, '30, Smithville, Ohio; Orie Eigsti, '31, Urbana, Illinois; Mrs. Perry J. Miller (Lucille Miller, '31), Shipshewana, Indiana; Grace Schwary, '31, Louisville, Ohio; Elma Bixler, ex-'31, Orrville, Ohio; Leah C. Risser, '31, Hershey, Pa.; Jacob Sudermann, '32, Goshen; Iverson Mishler, '32, New Paris; Alta E. Good, ex-'32, Rantoul, Illinois; Irene Eschliman, '33, Dalton, Ohio; Ross L. Gerber, '33, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Roth, '33 (Mary Musselman, '33), Orrtanna, Pa.; Adeline Ashliman, '33, Napoleon, Ohio; Hope Stutsman, '34, Lanham, Maryland; Iva Smucker, ex-'35, Wooster, Ohio.

Every class apparently is represented in 1934-35 in the list of those paying annual dues or in the list of donors to the annual expense fund except '96, '99, '00, '06, '07, '18, and '26. Some of these are represented only by faculty members who have donated a considerable percentage of their salary. The class of 1930 leads in the number of contributors and the class of 1928 in the amount contributed. Hope Stutsman is the first member of the class of 1934 to make a cash contribution to the annual expense fund.

If we fall short of our goal—"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year," can we make it for this year "Every Class at least One Contributor"? Does some member of the above-named non-contributing classes wish to put his class "over the top" with at least one contribution? Amounts are never printed in the NEWS LETTER, but every gift will be appreciated and acknowledged. With only seven classes missing it seems a pity not to make it unanimous.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Sanford C. Yoder spent his holiday vacation with the congregation at Fisher, Illinois where together with Paul Erb from Hesston College, he took part in a Sunday School Normal which is fostered by the Sunday School Committee of the State of Illinois. Following the Ministers Week at Goshen he assisted in a series of meetings among the churches of Fulton County, Ohio, also spent the week-end of March 1 at Ka Iowa, looking after personal affairs, and dentally preached at the East Union Church day morning, March 3, and at the Dayto Church in the evening of the same day.

Dean H. S. Bender spoke at the annual Fa Banquet of the Mothers Club of Elkhart, Ind February 25, 1935. He will spend the se semester in further graduate study in church tory at Heidelberg university, Germany, con ing his work for the degree of doctor of theo The semester begins April 1 and closes Jun It is possible that he will continue his study the first semester of the ensuing academic Mrs. Bender, who is instructor in German a College, will take graduate work in Germa Heidelberg at the same time, but will retur time for the beginning of school in Septe even if Dean Bender continues his study. two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bender will ac pany them on the trip. Elizabeth Binkele, a dent at the College and matron of Kulp whose home is in South Germany not far Heidelberg, will form a part of the group.

C. L. Graber, business manager-pastor, di his time between business and church ma During the Christmas vacation he assisted Bi J. K. Bixler in a Bible Conference at the H man Church near Wakarusa, Indiana. The part of January he assisted in similar ser with N. E. Troyer at the Prairie Street ch Elkhart. Most of his time is taken up with tine management of the College finances. H a vice-president of the Wayland State Bank, land, Iowa. He also has charge of solicit of funds for the College which requires con activity. He has been invited as commence speaker for the Ontario Bible school at Kitch Ontario, on March 21.

The Summer Session begins on Wedne June 5, the day after Commencement. The Week Term ends Tuesday, July 16, and the mer Session closes on Tuesday, August 6. vance reports and estimates indicate a r attendance. Three courses each will be of by most of the following instructors: Dr. Hertzler, psychology and education; Samuel Witmer, biological science; John Umble, Eng Dr. Glen R. Miller, chemistry and mathema Dr. Edward Yoder, German; Guy F. Hershbe history; Walter E. Yoder, music; Mary N. R education; Irvin E. Burkhart, Bible. If you not received the detailed announcement of ings, a card addressed to Dr. Silas Hertzler rector of the Summer Session, will bring you plete information regarding courses, credits, expense.

Professor and Mrs. Willard H. Smith have en up their residence in Bloomington, Ind where Professor Smith is doing graduate wo history and economics.

Dr. Edward Yoder has been appointed t the office of dean of men made vacant by the porary absence of Professor Smith.

Dr. Paul Bender has been appointed a dean of the College to serve in the absen Dean Harold S. Bender. Acting Dean Paul der assumed the duties of his office on the ing of March 5.

On Saturday, February 16, a Goshen C

lty group picture was taken. The following posed the group: President Sanford C. Yoder, n Harold Bender, Business Manager C. L. ber, Professor D. A. Lehman, Dr. Silas Hertz- Professor S. W. Witmer, Professor John Um- Dr. Glen R. Miller, Professors Guy F. Hersh- er, Willard H. Smith, Samuel A. Yoder, Wal- Yoder, Dr. Paul Bender, Professors Paul Min- and I. E. Burkhart, Misses Olive Wyse, a Shenk, and Mary Royer, Mrs. Harold Ben- and H. Claire Amstutz. We may be able to ade the treasurer of the Alumni Association t us make a cut to print in an early issue of NEWS LETTER.

ogram of the Christian Life Conference held oshen College, February 1-3, 1935.

Theme: The Christian's Witness

Friday evening 7:30

Pre-requisites for Witnessing

onal experience.....Oscar Burkholder, Ontario
call to witness.....J. D. Mininger, Kansas City

Saturday afternoon 2:30

The Christian's Message

love of God.....Edwin Weaver, '30, Chicago
er for victory.....J. D. Mininger

Saturday evening 7:30

Opportunities for Witnessing

he Christian world, I. E. Burkhart, '26, Goshen
to yourselves in righteousness . . .
eak up your fallow ground"
A. C. Good, Sterling, Illinois

Sunday afternoon 2:00

Opportunities for Witnessing (cont'd)

he cities.....J. D. Mininger
ne rural districts.....J. K. Bixler, Elkhart

Sunday evening 7:00

Results of Witnessing

owing church.....Oscar Burkholder
ifying God.....A. C. Good
derator: Laban Swartzendruber,
West Liberty, Ohio
orister: Walter Yoder, '13, Goshen

he ninth annual Ministers Week was held on campus, February 12-15. Bishop David A. r, of Elkhart, was moderator. Dean Harold ler gave two addresses on the history of our ish Bible; Dean C. K. Lehman, of E. M. S., on introduction to Christian theology and two he Book of Ephesians; J. B. Smith, of Elida, four on New Testament teachings on the min- ; J. K. Bixler, of Elkhart, two on the Chris- ordinances; and Professor I. E. Burkhart, of en, and President Milo Kauffman, of Hesston, sas, two each on aspects of the minister's . Interest and attendance were good. The st number present at any one session was eight.

the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board ducation, held on the campus in February, all fficers were re-elected: president, Bishop D. oder, Indiana; vice-president, J. B. Smith, ; secretary, Bishop S. F. Coffman, Ontario; urer, H. R. Schertz, Illinois; financial agent, Miller, Pennsylvania.

irty-three students were enrolled in the Win- Bible Term held in January and February. p D. A. Yoder of Wakarusa, and I. W. Royer, rville, Ohio, were special instructors and were ed by members of the regular faculty.

ENLARGED NEWS LETTER

Dr. M. C. Lehman

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association the nature and objectives of the NEWS LETTER were discussed in considerable detail. Suggestions had been received from the regional association in Iowa to the effect that the NEWS LETTER might be enlarged and the additional space used in an endeavor to emphasize church and school loyalties.

This suggestion was sympathetically received and it has been decided to enlarge the NEWS LETTER and to increase the number of issues to six per year. This is to be an experimental feature for the coming year.

It will be the aim of the editor, and of an editorial staff of three to assist in the additional work, to furnish the alumni with information about the Church and their Alma Mater and thereby stimulate loyalties to Church and College. The co-operation of all alumni is earnestly solicited for this undertaking. Some alumni will be approached in the near future to contribute articles that will be helpful in bringing about this new emphasis.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE

The Mennonite Conference on Peace and War, under the auspices of the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference, held at Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana, Friday, February 15 to Sunday, February 17, was well attended and aroused intense interest. The program follows:

Moderators: Orie O. Miller, Akron, Pa.
Jesse B. Martin, Waterloo, Ontario.

Program

Friday Evening, February 15, 7:00-9:00 P. M.

Address of Welcome
President S. C. Yoder, Goshen College
Opening Remarks, Moderator.

THE TEACHING OF THE SCRIPTURES ON WAR AND PEACE

Paper written by S. F. Coffman, Vineland, Ont.
Discussion opened by Chester K. Lehman, Harrisonburg, Va.

Saturday Morning, February 16, 8:30-12:00 A. M.

THE CHRISTIAN'S RELATION TO THE STATE IN TIME OF WAR

A. Our attitude toward participation in war activities.
Address by Edward Yoder, Goshen, Indiana.
Discussion opened by E. L. Frey, Wauseon, Ohio

B. Is Alternative Service Possible and Desirable?
Address by G. F. Hershberger, Iowa City, Ia.
Discussion opened by C. L. Graber, Goshen, Indiana

Saturday Afternoon, 1:30-4:00 P. M.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN OUR PEACE PROGRAM AND THE PROGRAM OF OTHER PEACE MOVEMENTS

A. Non-religious Peace Movements.
Address by Melvin Gingerich, Washington, Iowa
Discussion opened by O. O. Miller, Akron, Pa.

B. Religious Peace Movements.
Paper written by John Horsch, Scottdale, Pa.
Discussion opened by H. S. Bender, Goshen, Indiana

Saturday Evening, 7:00-9:00 P. M.

OUR PEACE TESTIMONY, GOALS AND METHODS

A. Within the Church.
Address by C. F. Yake, Scottdale, Pa.

B. To the World.
Address by H. S. Bender, Goshen, Indiana.

Sunday Morning

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A NON-RESISTANT CHRISTIAN
Exodus 20:13, Matt. 5:30 and 44, Rom. 12:18 and 21
Sermons at surrounding churches

Sunday Afternoon, 2:00-4:00 P. M.
Mass meeting at Goshen College

WAR EXPERIENCES

A. Address by Conscientious Objector in World War, C. L. Graber.

B. Addresses by Bishops who visited the camps, E. L. Frey, D. D. Miller, S. C. Yoder.

C. Address by a Relief Worker, Eli Stoltzfus, West Liberty, Ohio

THE NONRESISTANT CHRISTIAN IN THE NEXT WAR
Address by J. L. Stauffer, Harrisonburg, Va.

Sunday Evening, 7:00-9:00 P. M.
Mass meeting at Goshen College

NONRESISTANCE IN PEACE TIME
Address by Jesse B. Martin, Waterloo, Ont.

CHRISTIAN PEACE vs. WORLD PEACE
Address by Daniel Kauffman, Scottdale, Pa.

The principal addresses of this conference will be available in printed or mimeographed form. The addresses delivered on Saturday morning, February 16, are printed in the January number of the Mennonite Quarterly Review, printed at Scottdale, Pa.

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATING

Interest in debating is growing. Four freshman and two sophomore teams made possible three intramural contests—two freshman-sophomore debates and one within the freshman class. In intercollegiate contests Goshen varsity debaters lost four debates and won eight, losing to Wabash, Northwestern, Rose Polytechnic Institute and St. Viator and winning from Anderson (2), Hanover, Olivet, Manchester (2), Wheaton, and Taylor. In the invitational debate tournament at Manchester College, February 22, 23, the varsity won six out of ten contests. In the Goshen, Anderson, and Taylor triangular debate on March 1, Goshen's negative defeated Anderson college at Anderson and the affirmative defeated Taylor University at Goshen. Taylor lost to Anderson's negative at Taylor. Roy Umble, captain of the varsity negative, led his team to five victories in six debates during the season, a record percentage for a Goshen College debate team in intercollegiate competition.

Five letter-men graduate in June: Atlee Beechy, Berlin, Ohio; Levi Hartzler, West Liberty, Ohio; Rollin Krabill, Louisville, Ohio; Roy Umble, Goshen; and Paton Yoder, Goshen. Two lettermen remain: Carl Kreider, '36, Wadsworth, Ohio; and Donald Sahli, '37, North Lima, Ohio. These two with Don Kreider, '38, Wadsworth, Ohio, who made the varsity negative this year, will form the nucleus of next year's squad. The class of 1938 will present a number of strong competitor positions on the varsity teams next year.

The question used by Goshen debaters i debates this season was: Resolved, that all c tive bargaining be negotiated by non-com unions safeguarded by law. The aim of deb in Goshen college is to gather information subject, organize it in an intelligent way and sent it clearly. Debaters are taught that every debatable question may have two sides, the duty of a debater to gather and presen available information on one side of the que and to be awake to fallacies in arguments sented by the opposition. The net result of d ing should be a well-rounded knowledge of sides of a subject and expertness in clear, ple delivery. With this view of debating it is no consistent for a debater to discuss a questi which he is fundamentally opposed. He m presents as logically as he can whatever facts authority he can find. Debating is not necess a matter of presenting one's convictions. It be entirely a matter of presenting the view accepted authorities in order to gain a knowledge of the subject.

Just as the student of history studies the Fr Revolution, not because he intends to sta revolution, nor because he expects to be conv that the methods of Danton, Marat and R pierre were proper and right, so the debater presents the affirmative arguments for colle bargaining thru non-company unions may no vor collective bargaining, he may be oppose non-company unions or any other type of u and he may not be convinced that they shou safe-guarded by law. But in undertaking t bate the affirmative of the question he simply himself to collect all the available informa evidence—real or supposed, and the statemen well-known authorities on various phases o labor question. Then he organizes and pre this material as well as he knows how. Th sult is not conviction of the truth or falsc of a proposition, merely a broader knowledg a subject, knowledge that may serve as a dation for independent judgment.

The writer has not heard any of his deb assert that debating for a proposition has vinced him of its truth. But Goshen debater practically unanimous in stating that stud presenting, and defending one side of a pro tion and hearing the other side presented an fended by a clever debating team broadens knowledge of a subject and gives a sounder for forming an individual opinion than long arduous, independent study of a subject.

BUY G. C. WORK-SHIRTS

Alumni can render a distinct service to Alma Mater by increasing the demand fo excellent work-shirts manufactured in the fa installed last September in the basement of man Hall. The complete plant was purchas Maryland—eighteen sewing machines, includ button-hole machine, a button-sewer, a four-n front machine, a feed-on-the-arm two-needle s and a two-needle flat-bed joiner. There are cutting tables and an electric cutting ma patterns, and all necessary equipment.

The next time you need a work-shirt insi G. C. shirts. Don't "tell the man," "I w

k-shirt." But say, "Give me one of those good C. Dependable Work-Shirts manufactured by Maple City Shirt Company at Goshen College." eral loyal friends of the College have created emand for these shirts in their local community refusing to accept any other, thus inducing ir dealer to stock G. C. Dependable Work-Shirts. ou can help to increase the demand and thus ist the College in extending aid to the twenty young men and women employed in the fac-. Joe Brunk can make enough shirts to sup- every community where friends of Goshen Col- reside. He is making them by the hundreds dozens, "G. C. Dependable Work-Shirts," as d shirts as can be purchased; but right now needs several good boosters in every community nsist on buying only "G. C. Dependable Work-rts." If you keep asking for these shirts at the nter, your merchant will begin to inquire where can get them and that is where Joe Brunk es in. Wear "those good G. C. Dependable rk-Shirts," and tell your friends to ask for them!

CHICAGO REUNION

Bertha R. Leaman, '21

he Chicago Branch of the Goshen College mni Association held its annual dinner reunion Saturday evening, February 23. The meeting year was in honor of Professor D. A. Lehman whose fine personality and highly successful fessional career the Association wished to pay ute. Professor Lehman, who gave the prin- l address of the evening, was preceded by J. Kurtz, '01, who gave a splendid and fitting in- luction of the speaker. Mrs. Esther Schott nse, '19, also gave a short talk, devoting her e to "Recollections." Dr. Silas Hertzler, '13, a representative of the Goshen College Alumni ociation, spoke briefly at the beginning of the ting on the "Relation of the Alumni groups to College." The program was interspersed with ic, vocal and instrumental, which was fur- ed by a ladies' octet, by John Thut, '23, and Samuel Burkhart, ex-'26.

he climax of the evening was reached when a was presented to Professor Lehman as tan- e evidence of appreciation of him. Dr. Chas. Hershey, '14, president of the Association, act- as toastmaster, and Miss Maude Miller, '22, is dietitian at the McCormick Y. W. C. A. re the meeting was held, served a most ex- nt dinner. An attendance of sixty-one is suffi- t evidence of the appreciation felt for the st of the evening.

PHILADELPHIA ALUMNI MEETING

Dr. M. C. Lehman

n the evening of March 9, a group of twenty- alumni living in Philadelphia and its environs ered at the Young Friends' Society headquar- at 140 Fifteenth Street for a time of fellow- and renewal of old acquaintances.

dinner was served at six o'clock and a number hort talks given. The occasion was thoroughly yed by everyone present. It was decided to mpt an organization with a view to having meetings annually. There were a number ent who had not attended an annual meeting he College for many years. It was a pleasure uch to hear about the growth of the College and to know that the ideals of their Alma Mater were being perpetuated. May this event be a significant suggestion for alumni living in some of our larger cities where a group of sufficient size could effect a similar organization.

WEDDINGS

In the assembly room of the Eastern Mennonite School on Sunday afternoon, February 24, John L. Horst, editor of the Christian Monitor and warm friend of many alumni, was united in marriage to Emma Zimmerman, until recently matron in the School. Bishop J. L. Stauffer preached an appropriate sermon for the occasion and Bishop S. H. Rhodes performed the ceremony. The bride and groom are at home to their many friends in their new residence in Scottdale, Pa.

On January 24, Marvin Hostetler, ex-'35 of the Martin congregation near Orrville, Ohio, and Doris Newcomer of the Bethel congregation near Wadsworth, Ohio, were united in marriage, Bishop I. J. Buchwalter, of Dalton, Ohio, officiating.

On January 1, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan B. Amstutz near Dalton, Ohio, Milton Rohrer, ex-'31, of the Oak Grove congregation, near Smithville, Ohio, and Ella Amstutz, of the Sonnenberg congregation were united in marriage, Bishop J. S. Gerig, of Smithville, Ohio, officiating.

On January 12, Ezra Beachy, '33, of Sherwood, Ohio, and Bertha Nohejl, '34, of Goshen, were united in marriage at the Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Mission, President Sanford C. Yoder officiating.

Even at this late date the NEWS LETTER is happy to announce the marriage (December 8, 1933) of Loyal Neff, ex-'34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Neff, of New Paris, and Marguerite Weston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weston, of Bremen, Indiana. Their address is rural route one, Millersburg, Indiana, and they reside on a 105-acre farm one and one-half miles west of that village. Mr. Neff won championship in the Guernsey class at the Elkhart county fair three years in succession. He has both purebred Guernseys and Holsteins in his dairy herd.

On Sunday evening, February 17, Jacob R. Hershey, of Kinzers, Pa., and Rozella M. Gramley, '29, of Freeport, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's grandparents, Deacon and Mrs. John V. Fortner, of Dakota, Illinois, Bishop J. S. Shoemaker officiating.

Bishop and Mrs. Eli B. Stoltzfus, of Aurora, Portage county, Ohio, grandparents of Genevieve Yoder, ex-'37, and of Joy Hooley, '37, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on February 16. They were married on February 19, 1885, at the home of the bride's parents, Bishop and Mrs. Jonas Yoder near West Liberty, Ohio, and left immediately for Lyon county, Kansas, where the groom had purchased a quarter section of virgin prairie and erected a dwelling house during the preceding summer. Present at the anniversary celebration were relatives and friends from Indiana, Pennsylvania and Ohio. Among the guests was Bishop S. E. Allgyer, of West Liberty, Ohio, who ordained Bishop Stoltzfus to the ministry and also to the office of bishop and who was present at the wedding fifty years ago.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

A daughter, Carolyn Joyce, was born Saturday, January 26, to Professor and Mrs. Irvin Burkhart, '26 (Gladys Loucks, '25), 1135 South Eighth Street, Goshen.

Patricia Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roupp, '30, Wichita, Kansas, came to live with her two sisters and her brother on January 21.

Clifford Lee was born to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kauffman, West Liberty, Ohio, (Leahbelle Smucker, '30) on January 31.

Ardeth Ann, seven-pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker, '10 (Mary Landis, '12), of Marquette, Michigan, was born on February 16. Ardeth Ann's oldest brother, Robert, is a senior in college, her sister, Ruth, a senior in high school, and her youngest brother, Carl, is twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Miller, ex-'32, of Berlin, Ohio, announce the arrival of an eight and three-quarter pound daughter, Winifred Ruth on March 2. Mr. Miller is pastor of the Berlin Community Gospel Church, Berlin, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Buzzard, ex-'30, of rural route two, Goshen, announce the birth of a son, Gerald Kieth, March 5.

Ann Bullard, ten pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crist Emmert (Marion Hamm, ex-'34), of South Third Street, Goshen, was born on March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvan D. Brunk, ex-'31, of rural route four, Harrisonburg, Virginia, announce the birth of a son, Don Wendell, on March 3.

A son, Paul Franklin, was born to Professor and Mrs. Guy F. Hershberger on December 7.

NECROLOGY

Malinda (Good) Shenk, daughter of Preacher Henry H. and Susan Good was born May 28, 1873, in Rockingham county, Virginia, and died January 5, at her home in Virginia. In 1896 she was united in marriage to Bishop John M. Shenk's son, Abram J., who died March 6, 1933. She was the mother of Lydia F., '29, instructor in French, Goshen College; and of Dr. Lillie S., '20, Laurelton, Pa., under appointment as a missionary to East Africa. Mrs. Shenk was a sister to Mary M. Good, '19, R. N., Dhamtari, C. P., India.

Donald Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers, '29, was born at Goshen, Indiana, December 7, 1932, and died of lobar pneumonia at Dunlap on January 12, 1935. He leaves, besides his parents, one sister, Aleta Jane, and one brother, Richard Lee. Funeral services were held at the home in Dunlap near Goshen and at the Howard-Miami church near Kokomo, Indiana, by Pastor C. L. Graber. Interment was made in the Mast cemetery near the church.

Annie Metzler Hess, wife of Preacher Samuel Hess, of Shiremanstown, Pa., was born April 6, 1853, and died January 16. She was born in Lancaster county, Pa., the daughter of the late Abram and Susan Metzler and the sister of the late Bishop Abram Metzler of Martinsburg, Pa. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Abram, '06, and Isaac. Funeral services were conducted by Bishop Noah H. Mack and interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the Slate Hill church.

John J. Hostetler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hostetler, was born in LaGrange county, Indiana, February 25, 1863, and died Friday evening, February 8, at his home 307 South Seventh Stre Goshen. He was married to Lydia Troyer Holmes county, Ohio, in 1889, and was the fatl of Grace, '16 (Mrs. Paul Blosser), of New Sta Ohio; Ann, ex-'18 (Mrs. W. W. Wagner, of E hart; and Orpha, '22 (Mrs. Menno C. Landis), Goshen. Mr. Hostetler was a prominent buildi contractor, constructing the Goshen high sch building in 1922 and a number of buildings Iowa, Purdue, Indiana, and DePauw universiti Funeral services were held at the Eighth Str Mennonite Church on Monday, February 11, charge of his pastor, the Rev. G. T. Soldner, a burial was made in Violett cemetery.

Mrs. Mary A. Greenawalt, daughter of Jose and Nancy Smoker, was born in Noble coun Indiana, November 17, 1856, and died at her ho 1225 South Eighth Street, Goshen, on Febru 9. On November 16, 1880, she was united marriage to Emanuel K. Greenawalt, who p ceded her in death August 24, 1931. She was t mother of Lulu, '04 (Mrs. H. Frank Reist), Falfurrias, Texas; Elva W., '08, Goshen; a Leland B., '11, of Sturgis, Michigan. Fune services were held at her late residence, in char of Pastor C. L. Graber on Monday, February Interment was made in the Alwine cemetery the Elkhart prairie, south of Goshen.

Mrs. Greenawalt and her late husband w much interested in missionary work and had ma friends among the Mennonite missionaries in various fields.

Ella Mann, daughter of Christopher and M dalena Mann, was born in Elkhart county, diana, January 1, 1873, and died in Vinela Ontario, February 9, 1935. On November 1901, she was united in marriage to S. F. C man, going to Vineland, Ontario, with him in same year. She was the mother of John E., graduate student in Goshen College and proc of Coffman Hall, and of Barbara F., '31, wh health forced her resignation as librarian at shen College in December, 1934.

Mahala (Kauffman) Lantz was born in Elkh county, Indiana, February 25, 1868, and d February 16. She was united in marriage to W liam Lantz on October 5, 1904. She was mother of Paul, ex-'32, of Middlebury. Fune services at the Clinton Frame church were charge of Bishop D. D. Troyer and Ira S. Joh

William Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deln Hershberger, '28 (Mary Martin, '29), whose bi notice appeared in the January issue of the NE LETTER, died at the home of his parents in N Jersey on Sunday morning, February 3. body was brought to Mrs. Hershberger's paren home near Elkhart, Indiana, for the funeral se ices on Tuesday afternoon, February 5.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebers '30, (Nellie Miller, '31), born on January 3, d the same day. Mr. and Mrs. Ebersole are liv at 1715 Lane Avenue, Elkhart, Indiana. Ebersole has a position with Montieth Broth Company.

PERSONALS

Vilas Zuercher, ex-'35, a junior in the sch of veterinary medicine at Ohio State universi has been elected president of his class.

ank S. Ebersole, '01, of Goshen, was re-elect- director of the First National Bank at the al election on January 8.

rginia Brown, '31, has been regularly em- d at the Morris Stores in Goshen since the stmas holidays.

ulah Loucks, '27, highly efficient proof reader he Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, attended the Peace Conference at the College, uary 15-17, and spent several days visiting ives and friends in Goshen.

pe Stutzman, '34, of Lanham, Maryland, in ng to the treasurer her annual dues and a some gift for the annual expense fund sub- es herself—"Yours for a bigger, but can there better, Goshen College."

rgil Blosser, ex-'35, is one of the Sunday ol superintendents of the Orchard Street con- tion, Iowa City, Iowa. The address of Mr. Mrs. Blosser is 22 North Gilbert, Iowa City. Blosser is employed in a creamery and pro- station.

aurice A. Yoder, '27, member of the faculty esston college, is a patient in the Axtell hos- Newton, Kansas. Professor Yoder's injury is leg in an accident several years ago has been healing satisfactorily and his physicians to amputate the injured member. A serious k of pneumonia has delayed the operation.

the annual meeting of the South American ion Council held at Pehuajo, December 27- ary 6, the election of officers placed several ni in responsible positions. J. W. Shank, was elected president and L. S. Weber, '27, president. Nelson Litwiller, '25, and Elvin er, '27, also are members of the executive nittee. Alumni members of standing commit- are: auditing—L. S. Weber, Nelson Litwiller; nage—J. W. Shank, L. S. Weber, Nelson iller. L. S. Weber is secretary of the de- ment of religious instruction, J. W. Shank of ar education, L. S. Weber of English publica- and J. W. Shank of Spanish publications. the return to South America of the Bible ol Director, Nelson Litwiller, the school has moved to Bragado where a house has been d for the Litwiller family and the Bible ol.

a Housour, '32, who has been dietitian at La Junta hospital, is registered in the College mplete a teaching major in English.

ace Brunk, '25, has resigned as supervisor at La Junta Hospital to return to her home in isonburg, Va.

nest E. Miller, '17, writes from Dhamtari, , under date of January 24: "The Vogts will Dhamtari the last week in February as they ailing from Colombo on March 5. They are g home via the Pacific and expect to reach Francisco about April 12. Sisters Wenger Good are to sail from Bombay about March They will stop for a short visit to Palestine te and expect to be in New York by May 5. his is the touring season and at present the ks. Smuckers, Hostetlers, Friesens and Sister Lapp are out on tour in the villages of respective districts in company with their gelists and Bible Women."

ra Shantz, '27, writes from Mohadi Station, di via Dhamtari, India, on January 28: ing the year an increasing number of pa- tients came to the Dispensary for help. A number of cases received daily care over a period of weeks. . . . Our work is varied in its demands. We must be doctor, nurse and druggist and through this contact we try to show them the love of Christ. . . . The middle of next month I will leave the work here in Mohadi because my new appointment is at Balodgahan."

At the annual meeting of the Chicago Branch of Goshen College Alumni held Saturday evening, February 23, Dr. L. E. Blauch, '16, was elected president; Mrs. Edwin Weaver (Irene Lehman, '31), vice-president; and Mrs. Frank King (Laura Smith, ex-'16), secretary-treasurer.

Howard Schertz, '29, 414 West 121st Street, New York City, New York, visited on the campus during the Christmas holidays. He is employed by La Salle University Extension in sales promotion and is handling collections for "Stenotypy."

Kenneth Burkholder, ex-'34, of 2054 Tuller Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, a student at Ohio State, sends in his annual dues and writes: "I enjoy the NEWS LETTER very much and am glad to keep in touch with the College."

Earl C. Mast, ex-'30, of Bard Hall, 50 Haven Avenue, New York City, medical student, was awarded a scholarship of $250 early in January.

O. W. Shenk, ex-'36, whose address is Hotel Hermitage, 42nd Street and Seventh Avenue, New York City, has a lucrative position as designer with a publishing house in the metropolis.

At the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education in February, the Board elected John C. Wenger, '34, of Telford, Pa., to succeed Leidy Hunsicker as board member representing the Franconia conference.

It was the editor's privilege to accompany I. W. Royer, '00, special instructor in the Winter Bible School at Goshen College, to Elida on January 19, spend the night at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Brenneman (parents of Evelyn Brenneman, ex-'36), attend Sunday school and church services at the Salem Mennonite church in the forenoon of January 20, and a Summer Bible School Conference at the Central Mennonite church in the afternoon and evening. I. W. Royer preached at Salem in the morning and gave an address at Central in the afternoon on the subject, "Is it practical to have Summer Bible Schools in our Rural Communities?" Herman Smucker, ex-'34, of West Liberty, Ohio, discussed the subject, "Why we have Bible Schools." S. G. Shetler of Johnstown, Pa., delivered two able addresses.

Bishop T. K. Hershey, ex-'10, missionary on furlough from South America, is booked to begin a series of evangelistic services at the Midway and North Lima churches near Columbiana, Ohio, April 14-21. After this date he expects to go to Aurora, Portage county, Ohio, and to Orrville in Wayne county for a week's meetings at each place.

At the annual Sunday school election in the Walnut Creek Mennonite Church, Walnut Creek, Ohio, the following were elected: superintendents, Ross Gerber, '33, and William J. Hershberger, ex-'23; superintendent of Y. P. B. M., Edward Gerber, '34; assistant supt. of Y. P. B. M., John V. Trover (Winter Bible term 1934, 1935); chorister, Carl Hostetler.

J. Paul Sauder, '25, of New Holland, Pa., was one of the speakers at the Sunday school meeting held at E. M. S. on February 9.

Barbara Zook, ex-'31, directed a presentation of the Louisa May Alcott story, "Little Women," in the Goshen high school auditorium, January 24 and 25. Miss Zook has done a considerable amount of this type of work since her graduation from Earlham College in 1931.

Mrs. Dorothy Hostetler Yoder, ex-'25, 542 Broadway, Youngstown, Ohio, is engaged in social service work at Christ Mission Settlement, Youngstown.

Mrs. John C. Powell (Anna Hostetler), ex-'17, resides at 870 7th Place, West, Birmingham, Alabama.

Mary S. Blocher, ex-'21, of Wakarusa, Indiana, is a teacher in Central high school, Elkhart. She has been teaching every year since she left Goshen College except one winter when she graduated from Manchester college.

Ethel M. Ellars, ex-'25, formerly of Bennetts Switch, Indiana, has been teaching grades three and four in the Clay township schools, Bunker Hill, Indiana, rural route one. Her home address is rural route four, Kokomo, Indiana.

Mrs. Ralph H. Elwell (Gladys Hollingsworth, ex-'18), formerly of Goshen, and a student in Goshen College 1914-15 and 1915-16, now resides on rural route three, Rushville, Indiana. She was graduated from Indiana University in 1919 with the degree of A. B.

Delsey Baker, ex-'18, formerly of Goshen, married William G. Bartlemay of Goshen in 1919. Her husband died June 25, 1933. Her present address is Eastgate Hotel, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Josephine Brubaker, ex-'22, is married to Claire R. Seeley, teacher of science in Point Loma high school, at San Diego, California. Their address is 3917 Alicia Drive, San Diego.

Emma Brubaker, '20, is teaching in Garfield junior high at Berkeley, California. Her address is 2239½ Summer street, Berkeley.

Berniece Baker, ex-'19, of East Sixth street, Ligonier, Indiana, is a clerk in Stansbury's Dry Goods store.

Orpha Mae Huffman, ex-'26, of rural route one, Edwardsburg, Michigan, teaches mathematics in Central junior high school at Elkhart.

Grace Jane Benson, ex-'26, formerly of Milford, Indiana, is in the insurance business at 715 East Green street, Pasadena, California.

The address of Mrs. Lena C. Bellinger (Lena Bainter, '09) formerly of Goshen, is Box 143, Walkerton, Indiana. Her husband, Herman W. Bellinger, died December 11, 1932.

Mrs. A. Hershey Leaman, who as M. Amanda Eby was a student at the Elkhart Institute in 1899, resides at 4216 Greenview Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, with her husband and two daughters A. Miriam, ex-'24, and Eunice M. (Mrs. Elmer J. Kimball).

Reuben Detweiler, '13, of 11171 McCormick, North Hollywood, Los Angeles, California, is pastor of the North Hollywood Methodist Church.

Roscoe O. Abbett, '20, formerly of Goshen, now of 4120 Pleasant street, Des Moines, Iowa, teaches in the Des Moines public schools. His wife was Pearl Hester Stutsman before her marriage to Mr. Abbett.

LaFayette M. Hile, ex-'22, formerly of Howe, now of Roann, Indiana, has been a member of the Northern Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church as minister since 1920.

Evangeline Franks, ex-'19, of Wawaka, Indi has been teaching in the public schools since ing college and is at present employed in F. E A. Adult Education.

Mabel Banta, ex-'21, whose home address 223 South Third Street, Goshen, Indiana, been teaching Spanish and Latin in J. Ster Morton high school, Cicero, Illinois, since 1 She has her A.B. from Wells college and has graduate work in the University of Chicago Harvard University.

Edna M. Baker, ex-'16, of Laotto, Indi teaches in the primary grades in Laotto.

Jonas Hoover, ex-'14, formerly of Kinzers, teaches in State college at Tempe, Arizona.

Roscoe Dillman, ex-'23 formerly of Goshen, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., is teaching at Shaull's solidated school near Harrisburg, Pa.

We are indebted to Mrs. Oscar Lehman, Grosvenor Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, for address of Mrs. Percy Platt, Box 201, Sara Florida. Mrs. Platt, before her marriage Nora Brubaker, ex-'20, of Freeport, Illinois.

George Atherston Fischer, ex-'15, formerly Bristol, Indiana, now of 325 East State st Long Beach, California, has lived in California the past seven years because his health will permit him to live in the climate of northern diana.

Mrs. Leo L. Mishler (Dora Helmuth, ex-'2 Kokomo, Indiana) lives at 1336 South Wash ton, Kokomo.

Evelyn Franks, ex-'24, of Wawaka, Indi became Mrs. Howard Carlyle Herald on Febr 9, 1922, and is living on a dairy farm on r route three, Ligonier, Indiana.

Grace E. Butte, ex-'31, formerly of Millersb Indiana, is now Mrs. George E. Miller, of W man, Iowa.

George Hawks Davis, ex-'23, formerly of shen, Indiana, is employed by the Shell Petrol Corporation at Jacksonville, Florida. His add is 2925 Riverside.

Esther Cooper, ex-'22, of Milford, Indiana now Mrs. Perry W. Haab, of Milford.

The address of Jacob P. Boehr, ex-'15, form of Wisner, Nebraska, is now rural route, New Kansas. He has lived at Newton for eigh years.

Those of the older alumni who missed the lowing item in **Who's Who in America** will b terested in seeing it reprinted here: Anna E beth Yoder, educator, b. South Bend, Indiana Nov. 7, 1879, dau. Rev. Samuel and Eliza (Woods) Y.; H. S., Elkhart, Ind. grad. Scho Oratory, Northwestern Univ. 1902, P.G., Teacher Goshen College, 1902-05; Cornell Mt. Vernon, Iowa. 1906-08; with U. of Sout California, 1908-29; director of Elizabeth Y School (collegiate school for American girls) Ramberg gia della Stufa, Florence, Italy, Sept., 1929. Lecturer and dramatic reader. dress: 1112 S. Gramercy Drive, Los Angeles, fornia; 197 Via Vittoria Emanuel, Florence,

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1935 COMMENCEMENT

Program by the College Choruses	May 30, 8:00 P. M.
Senior Class Program	May 31, 7:00 P. M.
Alumni Day	June 1
Literary Society Reunions	10:00 A. M.
Class Reunions	2:00 P. M.
Annual Banquet	6:00 P. M.
Address by T. K. Hershey of South America	
Sunday	June 2
Sunday School	9:30 A. M.
Missionary Sermon	10:45 A. M.
Missionary Program	2:30 P. M.
Baccalaureate Service	8:00 P. M.
Annual Commencement	June 3, 8:00 P. M.

(All events scheduled according to Central Standard Daylight Saving Time.)

TEACHER TRAINING AT GOSHEN COLLEGE

Professor Silas Hertzler, Ph.D.

GOSHEN COLLEGE, as the Elkhart Institute, began in 1894 as a teacher training institution. For forty-one years this has been one of the major functions of the school. Today, as heretofore, perhaps eighty-five percent of its graduates wish to teach.

The present teacher training program of Goshen College aims to care for the teacher training needs of all Mennonite and other students who wish to avail themselves of its privileges. The college prepares teachers for both the elementary field and for the high school field. For the training of Indiana teachers the College is accredited by the State Board of Education to recommend its graduates for licenses without examination for teaching in the elementary schools, in the junior high schools, and in the senior high schools.

In the elementary field it is still possible to secure a license in Indiana after two years of training, following high school graduation, although a four year curriculum is being advocated by the state department of public instruction. The college is accredited to give work leading to licenses good in the rural schools, in the primary grades, and in the intermediate grammar grades. Senior high school licenses are good in the junior high school.

The course for the training of teachers for the elementary schools of the state is prescribed to the last semester hour. For the present, plans are to offer chiefly the primary and intermediate-grammar grade curriculums. Either of these licenses is good in all grades of a rural school, though in city schools the primary license is good only in grades one to three, while the intermediate-grammar license is good only in grades four to eight. For those interested in further details, an exact statement of the particular subjects required will be found in the college catalog.

The accreditment for elementary teacher training in Indiana holds also for the surrounding states from which students come. Large numbers of students each year attend from Ohio, Illinois, and Pennsylvania, with fewer from Michigan, Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri. License to teach in the elementary schools of all these states are regularly granted to Goshen College students when the conditions specified by the officials of these states are met. In some of these states it is sufficient to graduate from the two year course at the college. This is true for Ohio, for Illinois, and for Colorado. A few states require in addition, brief residence in schools of their own states. This is true in Pennsylvania and in Kansas, where the student must spend a minimum of six weeks attending schools of those states after completing the two year course at Goshen. Iowa requires no necessary residence in the state, but a two semester hour course in political science, including Iowa government, must be a part of the course, or in addition to it. If desired, such a course may be taken by correspondence from some institution within the state. In addition to states previously mentioned, elementary school licenses have been granted recently on the basis of work completed in Goshen College in North Carolina, Kentucky, Texas, Tennessee, and West Virginia.

The accreditment of the college includes the privilege of recommending teachers for licenses in the secondary school field. For Indiana high school licenses, the minimum essentials include both academic and professional requirements. In each of two fields the student must complete a minimum of twenty-four semester hours of work as a part of the four year course leading to a bachelor's degree. In some cases, when several closely related fields are combined for a teaching major, a minimum of thirty-six hours of work is needed to satisfy the requirement. This is illustrated by the history and social science combination. In this case the specifications are twelve hours of general history, twelve hours of American history, and twelve hours divided between the fields of economics, sociology and political science. In education courses the nineteen hours demanded are: psychology, six hours; general education courses, six hours; special methods in the two teaching fields, two hours each; and supervised teaching three hours. In many high school teaching fields exact courses within the department are fixed in addition to the total hour requirement. English will serve to illustrate this fact. Here the state specifies six hours of English composition, six hours of American literature, nine hours of English literature, and three hours of public speaking. A similar exact list of subjects to be covered is found in the statement of specifications for a license in mathematics.

States other than Indiana likewise accept high school teacher training work taken at Goshen for the granting of licenses in their respective states. In recent years such licenses have been granted to graduates of the College in the following states other than Indiana: Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Delaware, West Virginia, Virginia, Iowa, Wisconsin, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, and Colorado.

Numerous states, other than those mentioned, recognized the work taken at the college for high school licenses. In a few cases it is necessary to receive graduate standing at some recognized university, and then take six hours of graduate work there, before a license will be granted. This is true for Idaho, for Kansas, and for South Dakota.

A graduate of Goshen College can teach in any North Central Association high school if he receives graduate standing at a university and takes six hours of graduate work there. To teach in a North Central Association high school within the state of

Indiana it is necessary only to receive graduate standing at Indiana University. This recognition is now being given to the better qualified graduates of the College without actual attendance at the University.

GOSHEN COLLEGE SURVEY COMMISSION

Professor Edward Yoder, Ph.D.

Searchings of heart and efforts at adjustment to changing conditions are common among educational agencies in this day. The administration and faculty of Goshen College are at work now making a complete survey of their institution as part of a comprehensive program for increasing its educational efficiency and ranking. The survey is designed to aid in making an evaluation of the College's present level of achievement and further to suggest concrete improvements in its program where necessary.

The immediate impulse for the survey has come from the announcement of its new policy for accrediting colleges made by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools last year. According to this announced policy the Association established a new principle by which it will rate colleges that seek admission to its approved list of schools. It no longer fixes detailed minimum standards for accreditment. Instead of the earlier quantitative requirements for a standard college, by the new policy an institution will be measured qualitatively in terms of the total pattern of its achievement. A college will still be rated on such essential points as faculty, equipment, library, finances, etc. If in any one particular it has a superior rating or can show outstanding achievement, such excellence may in the total pattern compensate for inferior ranking in another particular.

By this plan for rating colleges, the individuality of institutions is not only respected, but it is directly encouraged. Colleges, the North Central Association would say, should not all be standardized to a particular pattern. Each college must now first of all clearly and specifically define its objectives, state exactly what it seeks to accomplish, what constituency it proposes to serve, and what kind of training it aims to give. The Association will then examine the institution and the work it is actually doing in the light of its own professed objectives. It will form its judgment on the basis of whether the college has the equipment, the teaching force, the finances, and the other things necessary to do the work it professes to do and to perform that work well. This new plan for accreditment accordingly, we believe, places emphasis where it rightly should be, namely, on superior educational achievement in the field which the college sets for itself. Even after an institution has been placed on the accredited list, it is expected constantly to study its own program and put forth continual efforts to improve its own efficiency in achieving the objectives which it has set up for itself.

Since the individuality of colleges is thus recognized and directly encouraged by this important accrediting agency, Goshen College is free to define its own objectives in accordance with the needs of its supporting constituency. The College has, of course, as its main purpose that of serving the Mennonite Church, training her young people for Christian service, and fitting them for effective work in life. Naturally this point will be included in the statement of objectives and if clearly and frankly stated will be a point in favor of the College, for it will show to the accrediting agencies that Goshen College is not merely one more college among the hundreds in the country, but has a unique reason for its existence and a definite place to fill. The one concern of the Association will be to judge whether the College fills this place creditably from an educational viewpoint.

The present Survey of the College is in charge of a Survey Commission composed of, Dean H. S. Bender, chairman; Edward Yoder, secretary; President S. C. Yoder; Silas Hertzler; Paul Bender; C. L. Graber; Orie O. Miller (of Akron, Pennsylvania, representing the executive committee of the Mennonite Board of Education). The task of gathering data and facts for the Survey is further organized and assigned to eight sub-committees, in the work of which other members of the faculty participate. These sub-committees, with the phases of study assigned to them and the persons in charge as chairmen are as follows: 1. Faculty Survey, Dean Bender; 2. Curriculum Survey, Dean Bender; 3. Instructional Survey, Dr. Hertzler; 4. Library Survey, Dr. Edward Yoder; 5. Survey of Student Induction and Personnel Services, Dr. Paul Bender; 6. Administrative Survey, President Yoder; 7. Financial Survey, Mr. Graber; 8. Physical Plant Survey, Mr. Graber.

The commission was organized in June, 1934. Some of the sub-committees began work in July, and others got their work under way after the opening of school in September. Most of these completed the assignments of gathering facts pertaining to their study by the close of the first semester of this year. Several meetings of the faculty have been given to the hearing and discussion of reports on the findings of certain phases of the Survey. Other parts of the commission's report will from time to time form the basis for discussion of ways and means to improve the quality of instruction given in the college, the efficiency of its administrative procedure, the status of personnel services in the way of counseling and guiding students in all matters that pertain to their welfare. Already minor changes have been initiated on certain points of curriculum administration and organization as a result of the stimulus received from the activity of the Survey. Members of the faculty welcome the inspiration and stimulation that comes from this sincere effort to survey and evaluate for themselves their achievement as educators. Quite apart from the immediate purpose of this effort, that is, of serving as a step toward gaining admission for Goshen College to the North Central Association, the Survey will prove very well worth while because of the enlarged vision and the renewed zeal which it is bringing to the faculty and the administration. Much credit for the vigor and the thoroughness with which the Survey has been prosecuted belongs to Dean H. S. Bender, chairman of the commission, who has devoted almost endless time and energy to its promotion.

What are the specific points which are investigated in this Survey? Naturally they are the points which will be considered by the accrediting Association were it to investigate the eligibility of Goshen College for accreditment. Samples of these items of investigation may be of interest. When the time comes that Goshen College seeks admission to the North Central Association, it will be investigated and rated on a series of points. The faculty will be rated on the basis of whether it is competent as a teaching staff, as shown, not by the particular degrees its members hold, but by the amount and kind of training they have had, by their experience in educational work, and by their activity in scholarship. The faculty must be organized for effective service as is shown by the ratio of the number of the faculty to the number of students, their distribution over the teaching fields, and whether they teach in the fields for which they have been trained. The College will be asked about the working conditions of its faculty as indicated by such items as salary, tenure, teaching load, aids to faculty growth, provisions for leaves of absence and retirement.

As to curriculum, the college will be judged on whether its curriculum is so constructed that it serves best the declared purposes of the institution *(Continued on page 9)*

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The official family of the Alumni Association hopes that you will enjoy the new style and format of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER. We aim to bring you more and better news of your Alma Mater and to continue to serve as a clearing house for news of your fellow alumni. The advisory committee of associate editors is planning a number of interesting articles for the NEWS-LETTER during the coming year.

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The Directory is nearly ready for the press. It will contain the name, address and present occupation of every graduate of the Elkhart Institute and of Goshen College and of every former student who has spent at least one full year in college or academy. The directory, indexed both by classes and by states, will be printed in July provided a sufficient number of alumni pay their dues for the coming year before July 1. If the directory is printed and mailed in July, the next issue of the NEWS-LETTER will be the September number which will be mailed about August 15.

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Remember, if you are not receiving the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER regularly, we know of only one reason: we do not have your complete correct address. We aim to send every issue of the NEWS-LETTER to every alumnus, graduate or non-graduate, whether his dues are paid or not. And remember, it costs us two cents every time that you fail to receive your NEWS-LETTER.

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See the announcement of the 1935 June Reunion in another column and plan now to be present. You are an alumnus of Goshen College if you have been in school here for one year and if the class of which you were a member has now graduated. Every alumnus is entitled to all the rights and privileges enjoyed by any member of the Goshen College Alumni Association—attendance at the annual banquet and reunion, voting, and holding office. An amendment, passed several years ago, abolished all membership distinctions between graduates and non-graduates.

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"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year," the popular slogan of the Goshen College Alumni Association, is accumulating new force and significance with every issue of the NEWS-LETTER. Join the growing group that can say, "I have contributed to the work of my Alma Mater every year since my graduation from Goshen College." Several alumni within recent months made their first contribution to Goshen College. Others paid up all their back dues and can now be called a "Contributor Every Year."

The editor deeply regrets that an unpardonable oversight caused us to state in the March NEWS-LETTER, that the classes of '18 and '26 had made no contributions during the current year. We are glad to acknowledge our mistake and we beg the pardon of the contributing members of those classes. The class of 1926 is represented and the class of 1918 is now represented by at least six contributions.

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This NEWS-LETTER is your invitation to the annual banquet and reunion to be held on Saturday evening, June 1. It is also your official notification that your annual dues of one dollar for the year 1935-36 are due and payable at your earliest convenience.

ANNUAL DUES

The alumni treasurer is wearing a happy smile these days. The following have paid their annual dues for one or more years since the last issue of the NEWS-LETTER went to press early in April: M. C. Lehman, 04; Elwood E. Landis, 08, rural route five, Goshen; Vernon S. Culp, 13, Akron, Ohio; John H. Warye, rural route three, Urbana, Ohio; S. Jay Hostetler, 18, Dhamtari, C. P., India, $2.00; Mr. and Mrs. ———, Illinois, $10.00; Irvin G. Baumann, 19, Columbiana, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreider, ex-23 (Hettie Shoup, 22), Istanbul, Turkey, $2.00; Mr. and Mrs. W. Delmar Hershberger, 27 (Mary Martin, 29), Long Branch, New Jersey, $2.00; Quintus Leatherman, 27, Blooming Glen, Pa., $8.00; Silas J. Smucker, 30, Morristown, New Jersey; Leonard and Rachel Weaver Kreider, 31, Columbus, Ohio, $2.00; Ora M. Yoder, 31, Shipshewana, Indiana, $2.00; Vesta Nafziger, 32, rural route five, Wauseon, Ohio; George Bishop, ex-34, Doylestown, Pa.

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

The alumni office and the administration of Goshen College gratefully acknowledge receipt of contributions to the current expenses of the College from the following alumni: Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess, 06 (Miss Anna H. Kauffman), Shiremanstown, Pa.; S. Jay Hostetler, 18, Dhamtari, C. P., India; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hershberger, 23 (Dula Roth, 29), Goshen, Indiana; Dr. Floyd S. Martin, 29, New York City; Lloyd J. Martin, 29, Goshen; Bessie Moyer, 30, Perkasie, Pa.; Ora M. Yoder, 31, Shipshewana, Indiana; Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, 33 (Millie Page Brenneman, 33), Dhamtari, C. P., India; Lucille Kreider, 33, rural route one, Wadsworth, Ohio.

At present every class, beginning with the Class of 1901, has supplied from one to ten contributors to one of the two alumni funds—annual dues of the Alumni Association and Current Expense Fund of Goshen College. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess upheld the honor of the Class of 1906 singlehanded, with their generous gift of Dehydrated Sweet Corn.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLASS OF 1915

Officers of the Class of 1915 request that the editor call attention to the twentieth anniversary of the graduation of the class. Plans are being perfected to hold a reunion of the class on the campus during the 1935 commencement season. The officers urge that every member put forth every effort to be present. Bring the children and prepare to spend a whole day renewing old acquaintances. And don't

plan for too short a stay. You will be surprised at the number of old friends that you will find on the campus.

CLASS OF 1930

Your class officers wish to remind you of your solemn promise, made at graduation, to revisit the campus in 1935. We want a one hundred per cent attendance of the surviving members and advance reports indicate that it is not only possible but probable. Make the English cottage on the College Road your headquarters. The latch string is always out.

CLASS OF 1905

Thirty years ago you graduated from Goshen College. What about your class reunion? There will be one this year, of course. But will you be present? C. B., "Sam," Carrie, "Yonie," Lyddie, and Jack are in or near Goshen, but it won't seem like a reunion unless Louie and Ellen, Manda, Blanche, Rube, Lyddy Belle, Boyd, and the rest are present. Why not make it a real family gathering? Would you rather be talked about or help do the talking?

FOREIGN VOLUNTEERS, ATTENTION

On Sunday morning, June 2, the Foreign Volunteer Band will have breakfast after the regular meeting of the Christian Workers Band. All former regular members of the Band are invited to be present. Be sure to include this breakfast in your list of commencement functions.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Sanford C. Yoder accompanied the remains of Herbert Wenger to Orrville, Ohio, and conducted the funeral service at the Oak Grove Church on Sunday afternoon of April 7. He filled a preaching appointment at the Orrville Church in the morning and at Oak Grove in the evening.

He left for Colorado on April 11, to attend a meeting of the Hospital Board at La Junta on the thirteenth. Following this he underwent a tonsillotomy at the Hospital and spent the greater part of the week following recuperating and visiting former Goshen students and friends.

Dean and Mrs. Harold S. Bender, (Elizabeth Horsch, 18), and two little daughters, sailed for Germany on March 25 where Dean and Mrs. Bender will attend Heidelberg University during the spring and summer sessions. They were accompanied by Elizabeth Binkele, 36, whose home is in Krozingen, Germany.

Professors John Umble, 01, and Samuel Yoder 28, of the department of English, attended a meeting of Indiana college teachers of English at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, on May 17 and 18.

Instead of taking the men's chorus on the western tour this year Professor Walter E. Yoder took the A Cappella Chorus. The organization made the trip in two busses, one for the men and one for the women. Mrs. Walter Yoder accompanied the women in their bus. The tour was successful in every way. Alumni cannot realize how much it means to these undergraduates to meet old grads and former students. They return to the campus with an exalted opinion of their Alma Mater after they have seen the important role that alumni are playing in the religious, social and civic life of the various communities visited. Members of the official body of the College feel grateful to the constituency for their cordial hospitality and hearty welcome to the chorus.

Dr. Glen Miller, head of the chemistry department, with six of his mineralogy students, and Dr. Paul Bender, head of the physics department with two of his students, spent Easter vacation on a special study tour in the Smoky mountains of eastern Tennessee.

Dr. Edward Yoder, head of the department of ancient languages, addressed the conference of college teachers of Latin and Greek in Indiana at Ball State Teachers College, at Muncie, Indiana, on April 13, on the subject, "Aulus Gellius, a Classical Scholar of the Second Century."

Dr. Silas Hertzler, 13, registrar, and head of the department of education, attended the fortieth annual meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools held at Chicago, April 11-13. He gave a report of the meeting to faculty members and their wives at an informal meeting held at the home of Professor and Mrs. Walter Yoder on South Eighth street, on the evening of May 6.

Miss Stella Kauffman, 34, assistant to the registrar and librarian-elect, underwent a tonsillotomy at the Goshen hospital during the Easter vacation.

UNCONDITIONAL GRADUATE STANDING

Indiana University seems to be adopting a more liberal attitude toward Goshen College graduates. The two members in the Class of 1935 and one from the Class of 1934 who have submitted their credits to the state university for evaluation have been granted unconditional graduate standing. They are Dona Belle Hepler whose majors are Latin and English; Roy Umble, English, speech, and social science; and Kenneth Zook, history and biological science. Students who are granted unconditional graduate standing by Indiana University are licensed to teach in any fully accredited Indiana high school in the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Goshen graduates whose recent record as students at Indiana University has no doubt had its effect in changing the attitude of the accrediting authorities have been Professor S. W. Witmer, 14, botany; Dr. Jonathan G. Yoder, 27, medicine; Professor Willard H. Smith, 28, social science; Dorothy Smith, 32, English and music; and H. Claire Amstutz, 33, medicine. Still more important, no doubt, is the friendly attitude of Mr. C. L. Murray, ex-23, state director of teacher training, who has expressed warm sympathy and appreciation for the work and ideals of the College and confidence in the soundness of its educational program.

1935 SUMMER SESSION

Dr. Silas Hertzler, director of the Summer Session, reports that advance registration points toward a record attendance this summer. Several new courses are being offered. The offering includes three courses by each of the following instructors: Dr. Hertzler, Professors S. W. Witmer, John Umble, Guy F. Hershberger, and Miss Mary Royer, as well as courses in Bible, public school music methods, mathematics, intermediate German, and quantitative analysis. A three hour course in contemporary American poetry and prose is being offered for the first time.

Courses are intended for elementary teachers, high school teachers and students who wish to continue their regular college course.

FORENSICS

The annual peace oratorical contest, held on April 4, was won by Levi Hartzler, 35, of West Liberty, Ohio. Wilmer Landis, 35, of Pennsylvania, won second place. In the state contest held at Valparaiso University on May 3, Hartzler won fifth place. Two of the judges placed him third.

Donald Sahli, 37, of North Lima, Ohio, won the annual discussion contest with his discussion of the instrument board of an airplane. John Lehman, 36, of Columbiana, Ohio, speaking on Huey Long, won second place.

A new platform feature this year was a freshman men's discussion contest. The Class of 1938 surprised everyone by staging one of the best contests ever held on the campus. Ten men appeared on the program. Don Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Waldo Lehman, Goshen; and Paul Yoder, Hubbard, Oregon, won first, second, and third places, respectively. F. S. Ebersole, of the Class of 1904, gave three cash prizes for this contest: $2.50, $1.50, and $1.00. The judges were Professor D. A. Lehman, Dr. Edward Yoder, and Mrs. Paul Bender (Miss Bertha Burkholder).

WEDDING BELLS

Edward J. Bontrager, ex-22, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bontrager, of 508 South Fifth street, Goshen, and Wilhelmina Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller, of Bristol, were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian Church in Goshen on April 1, the Rev. Trevor V. D. Dillon officiating. Mr. Bontrager has been associated in business with his father for the past nine years in the Maple City Ice Cream Company.

On April 4, Earl Stauffer and Frances Christophel, 30, of the Yellow Creek congregation, near Goshen, were united in marriage by the bride's grandfather, Bishop J. W. Christophel.

On April 12, 1935, at the home of the officiating bishop, D. D. Miller, of Elkhart, Indiana, John Wesley Mecum and Dorothy Marie Blough, of Middlebury, Indiana, congregation were united in marriage. Mrs. Mecum is a graduate of the Winter Bible School and was registered in the Bible school during the first semester.

On June 10, 1934, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver, of Wakarusa, Indiana, Myron Weldy, ex-35, and Cleo Weaver, ex-33, both of the Holdeman congregation near Wakarusa, were united in marriage by the bride's uncle, Silas Weldy.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stoutenour, ex-24 (Wilhelmina Nymeyer, ex-32) of South Seventh street, Goshen, are the parents of a daughter, Wilhelmina, born March 25.

Evelyn Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Raber, ex-33, of rural route two, Goshen, was born March 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Yoder, 27 (Miss Elsie Mae Landis), of rural route five, Goshen, are the parents of an eight and one-half pound daughter, born April 20.

Merrill Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raber, 29, ex-32, of Detroit, Michigan, was born February 13.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl E. Miller, ex-31, of Berlin, Ohio, announce the arrival of an eight and three-fourths pound daughter, Winifred Ruth, on March 2. Rev. Miller is pastor of the Berlin Community Gospel church.

NECROLOGY

Daniel Conrad, son of Joseph and Catherine Kreibill Conrad, was born in Stark county, Ohio, January 1, 1873, and died at his home near Louisville, Ohio, March 22, 1935. He was the father of Mrs. Mahlon O. Krabill, of Lloyd, '38, and of five other children. He served as Sunday school teacher and superintendent for nearly forty years.

Herbert Marion Wenger, '38, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wenger, of Smithville, Ohio, died at the Goshen City hospital on April 5 following a two weeks' illness from blood poisoning. Herbert was the type of student who makes a real contribution to the life of the campus of a Christian college. Quiet and unassuming in manner, he devoted his time and energy to the pursuit of the higher values. Before coming to the College as a student he had been superintendent of the Pleasant Hill Sunday school in Wayne county.

Elsie, 06, daughter of Joseph and Christina Blough, was born in Elkhart county, Indiana, September 18, 1883, and died at the Elkhart General hospital, May 7, following an emergency operation for appendicitis. In 1906 she was married to Moses M. Treesh who died in 1926. Mrs. Treesh was a regular attendant at the Yellow Creek Mennonite Church where the funeral services were held. Burial was made in the adjoining cemetery. Mrs. Treesh is survived by a son, Wendell, student in high school, and by three sisters and one brother, all of Elkhart county.

PERSONALS

Walter E. Oswald, '21, and Paul Swope, '31, are superintendents of the adult department of the Midway Sunday school near Columbiana, Ohio, for 1935. James A. Steiner, '32, son of Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00, has been re-elected as one of the superintendents of the North Lima, Ohio, Mennonite Sunday school.

J. J. Miller, ex-'36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, of South Main street, Goshen, has been named All-Northwest (Ohio) Conference basketball center by the United Press. He is a student at Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio.

Amanda Frey, '27, whose leg was crushed in an automobile accident in Elkhart almost a year ago is at last able to walk without the aid of crutches.

On February 5, Joe Eckstadt, ex-'34, was appointed electrical inspector for Goshen by the new fire chief, Jesse Delcamp. Fire Chief Delcamp is the husband of Helen Long, '29.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, '31, (Millie Page Brenneman, '31), are busy studying Hindi. They expect to spend April, May, and June at Landour in further study and then beginning July 1 they

will be located at the Medical Station in Dhamtari where they will work in conjunction with Dr. Troyer until he leaves for furlough.

Rosa Gish, '31, teaches the third and fourth grades in Schwenkville, Pa.

Clarence Wyse, ex-'32, is enrolled in the dental college, State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.

Gerald Boshart, ex-'33, is teaching music in the high school at Delta, Iowa.

Iva Smucker, ex-'35, of Smithville, Ohio, is employed at Holden Hall, Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess, 06 (Miss Anna Kauffman, instructor in Goshen College 1903-10) donated to the College a fifty pound package of their excellent Dehydrated Sweet Corn in response to the appeal by the Alumni Association with the slogan "Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year." Mr. Hess is proprietor of the Keewaydin Farm at Shiremanstown, Pa., and makes a specialty of evaporated sweet corn.

Ernest Stahley, ex-20, of rural route two, Middlebury, Indiana, is giving F. A. E. courses in French, Spanish, and history at Middlebury.

Charles Stahley, ex-18, is operator of a filling station at St. Petersburg, Florida.

Allan W. Grissom, A.M., instructor in English in Goshen College, 1922-23, has been an instructor in the department of English, in Chicago Junior college, North Branch, Chicago, Illinois.

Professor A. S. Ebersole, 22, head of the conservatory of music at Heidelberg College, Tiffin, Ohio, presented his men's glee club in a concert at the First Reformed Church in Goshen on March 26.

A. D. Zook, ex-13, is a candidate for the nomination for mayor of Akron, Ohio, subject to the Republican primary to be held in August. He is serving his fourth year on the Akron city council.

D. B. Zook, 02, mathematics instructor in South High in Akron, Ohio, is regular night school instructor in higher algebra and trigonometry in Akron University.

Hope Stutsman, 34, of Lanham, Maryland, graduate student in educational psychology in the University of Maryland during the first semester, has been forced to discontinue her study on account of her health. She is visiting friends in Goshen, but plans to continue work in the university next year.

Rev. J. W. Zerbe, former student at the Elkhart Institute and now pastor of three rural churches near Albia, Iowa, has walked 15,400 miles of the 66,000 miles he has covered in his thirty-three years of service, according to an Iowa newspaper.

Robert Welty, ex-35, senior in the DePauw music school has written a special arrangement of Bach's "Concerto in D Minor." His production was selected for presentation by the symphony orchestra in the final concert of the season. In addition to playing in the symphony, Mr. Welty is a member of the concert band and of Delta Upsilon.

Maude Miller, 22, formerly at Ann Arbor, Michigan, is dietitian at the Y. M. C. A., 1001 North Dearborn, Chicago.

Edwin Weaver, 26, of Wakarusa, is a graduate student in English at the University of Chicago.

John H. Warye, 17, of rural route three, Urbana, Ohio, resides on the old home place north of Urbana and has an administrative position in the Urbana city schools.

F. S. Ebersole, 04, of South Eighth Street, Goshen, has been elected a director of the Knife and Fork Club, a leading social and literary organization in South Bend.

Wilbur D. Shenk, 29, formerly of Continental, Ohio, now of 210 Lakeview Drive, Collingswood, N. J., is a biology teacher in the Collingswood high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baumgartner (Thelma Ropp, ex-29) and children have moved to Syracuse, Indiana, into a home they purchased a short time ago.

Bessie Moyer, 30, of rural route two, Perkasie, Pa., is enjoying her school work. Her pupils won five honor pins in the annual scholastic meet and twenty-four points this year as against no points four years ago at the end of her first year.

Through the courtesy of George Bishop, ex-34, we are able to print a complete list of alumni present at the Goshen reunion held at Philadelphia on March 9. Dr. M. C. Lehman, 04; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Yoder, 09 (Lesse Blosser, 09); C. A. Fulmer, 22; Rev. Ernest Bohn, 23; Quintus Leatherman, 27; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith, 28 (Gertrude Bishop, ex-34); Wilbur D. Shenk, 29; John E. Bender, 30; Silas J. Smucker, 30; Ada Thut, 30; Harley Hunsicker, 31; Howard Nase, 32; Barbara E. Thut, 32; Sarah Esch, 33; Marie L. Kulp, ex-33; George Bishop, ex-34; Paul Mininger, 34; J. C. Wenger, 34; and George Luther, ex-35.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vogt, 27, missionaries on their first furlough from India, reached the homeland via the Pacific in April. Their address is Hesston, Kansas.

Edwin Herner, 28, has gone to the La Junta, Colorado, Sanitarium for treatment for tuberculosis.

Gladys Burkhart, 32, secretary to President Yoder for the past few years, has accepted a position as junior typist under the T.V.A. Her address is 1730 Dandridge Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

Professor Maurice Yoder, 27, of Hesston College, had his leg amputated above the knee during the Easter vacation.

At Sundarganj, C. P., India, two teams of four boys were selected from the Academy for village evangelism during the month of May. One team went to Mohadi to work with S. J. Hostetler, 23, and the other to Dondi to work with A. C. Brunk, 12. From April 10 to 18, J. D. Graber, 25, took the second year of the Christian Workers Class on an evangelistic tour of the villages of the district.

The Mennonite Bible School at Bragado in the Argentine opened on March 18, under the direction of Nelson Litwiller, 25. J. W. Shank, 10, and L. S. Weber, 27, also teach in the school.

On Sunday afternoon and evening, March 17, a farewell service was held at Weavers Church near Harrisonburg, Virginia, for Dr. Lillie Shenk, 20, and Elma Hershberger, missionaries under appointment to Africa. Miss Hershberger is a sister of Glen Hershberger, 23. O. O. Miller, 15, of Akron, Pa., spoke on the subjects, "History of Our Work in

Africa," and "Plans for the Future." Dr. Shenk embarked for England on March 25.

Harley Hunsicker, 31, student at the School of Chiropody of Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., has been elected president of the student council for the coming year. This body governs the schools of Chiropody, Dentistry and Pharmacy. Mr. Hunsicker was elected president of the reunion of Goshen College alumni held in Philadelphia on March 9. He and Howard Nase, 32, are members of the North Penn Male Chorus which gave its second annual winter concert at Perkasie, Pa., on March 28.

Paul Sauder, 25, of New Holland, Pennsylvania, has been appointed superintendent of the Mennonite mission at Tampa, Florida.

Menno Miller, 33, of Middletown, Pennsylvania, editor of the College Record in 1932-33, has been chosen editor of the Missionary Messenger, official organ of the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

Dr. F. S. Martin, 29, M.D., who has held a highly desirable interneship at the Metropolitan Hospital in New York since graduating from Northwestern University Medical School in Chicago in 1933, has been appointed to a residency in surgery at the Metropolitan Hospital.

Dr. Samuel Burkhard, 11, head of the department of education of Arizona State Teachers College at Tempe, Arizona, was director of the human relations conference held at that institution on April 26 and 27. Dr. Albert A. Coe of Columbia University was the principal speaker.

I. W. Royer, 00, of Orrville, Ohio, secretary of the Ohio Mennonite Sunday school conference announces that the annual conference will be held at the Walnut Creek Church near Walnut Creek, Ohio, July 30 to August 1, 1935.

C. A. Fulmer, 22, who has been teaching history and social science in the Washington Senior High School, Wilmington, Delaware, has been promoted to the principalship of that high school.

Mary M. Good, 19, and Mary A. Wenger, ex-29, missionaries at Balodgahan, C. P., India, reached New York for their furlough early in May.

GOSHEN COLLEGE SURVEY COMMISSION

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and also on the consistency with which the institution enforces the requirements published in its catalogue. The college must show furthermore what it does to insure effective instruction, in what ways it stimulates improvement in the quality of its instruction, how it stimulates student scholarship, and similar points. When it comes to library facilities, the Association will not stop with a bare report on the number of volumes the library contains. It will find out whether the books on hand are recent and up-to-date, whether they are adequate in number and variety for the courses the College professes to give, and whether there are on hand sufficient works of general and special reference. The library's holdings of magazines and periodicals will also figure in the rating of the library as a whole, and so will the qualifications of the library staff, the average expenditures for the library over a period of years, and the use that is actually made of the library facilities by students and teachers.

The Association will further investigate the manner in which Goshen College admits its students, what it does to guide them in the selection of courses, and how it introduces the student to the life and work of the institution and helps him to become adjusted to the same. The College will also receive a rating on the personnel service it renders the students, that is, in counseling them personally on all phases of their life and activities as students. Here also will figure such items as the supervision of extra-curriculum activities, the conditions of student housing and boarding, the control of student conduct, and how financial assistance is given to students.

In its administration the College must demonstrate that its organization functions efficiently. The manner of its organization and how it is controlled will be points for investigation by the Association. In finance again no figures are set down as required. But in evaluating the finances of the College such points as the following will be taken into account, the expenditure per student for educational purposes, the percentage of this expenditure that is derived from student fees, the stability of the financial program. Physical plant and facilities will also receive a rating, on the basis of whether these are adequate for the objectives and the program that the College has.

The College Survey so far seems to reveal among others the following facts that may be of interest to readers of the News Letter. On faculty the showing is considered good, and will be strengthened further by four more doctor's degrees in the near future. Improved policies in faculty ranking, tenure, and salaries are being put into effect. The curriculum status appears good and has been improved by a general tightening up in its administration. The showing of the library is also good. Some weak points are, the absence of certain essential reference works, the lack of a trained librarian, and not enough money spent on the library during the recent "depression" years. Plans are made to have soon a librarian with a full year of training in library science and ranked as a regular member of the faculty. The status of the administration and physical plant show up well. Two weak features in the work of the College at present are the absence of a thoroughly planned program of personnel service for students and the inadequate stability of the College finances. It is the purpose of the College administration to push a vigorous program for improved efficiency on all points, and to put as much of this as possible into operation with the next school year. And as soon as there is a reasonable possibility of securing it the intention is to make application for admission to the North Central Association. Such a step would add very greatly to the service and usefulness of Goshen College. The Mennonite Board of Education at its recent annual meeting granted permission to the College to make its application as soon as the officials think it advisable to proceed to that point.

GOSHEN COLLEGE FACULTY

Above is the first faculty group picture in the past ten years. The group includes all of the regular full time instructors in service now, three that are on leave for graduate study, one visiting professor, one instructor who is supplying for another who is absent on leave, and one whose term of service will begin in September, 1935.

Top row—left to right: H. Claire Amstutz, 33; Olive G. Wyse, 26, M.S. (Iowa); Mary N. Royer, 30, M.A. (George Peabody); Mrs. Elizabeth Horsch Bender, 18; Lydia F. Shenk, 29, M.A. (Michigan); Paul Mininger, 34, B.D. (K. C. B. Theol. Sem.).

Second row—Assistant Professor Irvin E. Burkhart, 26, Th.M., M.A. (Pittsburgh); Assistant Professor Willard H. Smith, 28, M.A. (Michigan); Professor Glen R. Miller, Ph.D. (Iowa); Professor Paul Bender, Ph.D. (Iowa); Professor John Umble, '01, M.A. (Northwestern); Assistant Professor Samuel A. Yoder, 28, M.A. (Harvard); Walter E. Yoder, 33; M. C. Lehman, '04, Ph.D. (Yale).

Bottom row—Professor Edward Yoder, Ph.D. (Pennsylvania); Professor Daniel A. Lehman, M.A. (Western Reserve); Dean Harold S. Bender, M.A. (Princeton), B.D. (Garrett), Th.M. (Princeton Theol. S.); President Sanford Calvin Yoder, M.A. (Winona), B.D. (No. Bap. Theol. Sem.); Chris L. Graber, Bus. Mgr.; Professor Samuel W. Witmer, 14, M.A. (Wisconsin); Professor Silas Hertzler, 13, registrar, B.D. (Yale Divinity), Ph.D. (Yale); and Professor Guy Franklin Hershberger, M.A., (Iowa).

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EDITORIAL CHAT

On the wrapper of this NEWS-LETTER is typed your present occupation as it will be printed in the 1935 *Directory* which we hope to mail in September. If your occupation is not given or if our information is not correct, please write us a card giving your occupation as you wish it to appear in the Directory.

We might as well be frank. Two unforeseen circumstances delay the printing of the *Alumni Directory*: the task of gathering approximately 2500 addresses and occupational items was larger than anticipated, and the cost of printing will be greater. The material can be ready for the printer by September or before. But we need between $150 and $200 more before we feel justified in going forward with the printing. We do not expect the 300 who have already paid their dues to assume any further share of the burden this year for printing the NEWS-LETTER and the *Directory*, but—we are looking to the other 2200 who have not yet learned to enjoy the Association slogan, "Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year." Get the habit! And start now. Annual dues are one dollar. Pay to C. P. Martin, Treasurer, First Old State Bank, Elkhart, Indiana, or to Dr. Silas Hertzler, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana.

The present NEWS-LETTER takes the place of the *Directory* in our mailing plan. If the younger alumni respond as we think they will, the *Directory* will be mailed in September. Be sure that we have your correct address.

List of contributors to the Goshen College Expense Fund will be printed in the next issue of the NEWS-LETTER.

Lack of space prevents the printing of a whole sheaf of interesting news items. They will appear later.

ANNUAL ALUMNI DUES

"Every Alumnus a Contributor every Year."

Mrs. N. E. Byers (Emma LeFevre) 1898, Bluffton, Ohio; A. C. Moyer, 01, Elkhart, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Christophel, 02 (Alta Kurtz, 02), Mishawaka, Ind.; F. S. Ebersole, 04, Goshen, Ind.; J. S. Yoder, 05, Goshen, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, 05 (Anna Holdeman, 03), Elkhart, Ind.; Lena I. Albrecht, 09, Tiskilwa, Ill.; Austin Landis, 09, Detroit, Mich.; Benjamin Ebersole, 10, Elkhart, Ind., $2.00; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler, ex-10 (Sadie Yoder, ex-09), Goshen, Ind.; Anna Hoover, 10, Goshen, Ind.

Chas. B. Shoemaker, 12, Scottdale, Pa.; Dr. O. R. Yoder, 12, Ypsilanti, Mich., $2.00; Vernon S. Culp, 13, Akron, Ohio; Dr. S. Lloyd Johnson, 14, Catonville, Md.; Wm. E. Landis, 14, Sterling, Ill., $2.00; J. R. Allgyer, 15, Columbus, Ohio; Dr. C. F. Brunk, 15, Detroit, Mich., $5.00; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk, 15, Goshen, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kreider, 15 (Stella Shoemaker, 16), Newton, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Miller, 15 (Elta Wolf, 12) Akron, Pa.

Mrs. Kathryn Speigle Blough, 16, Johnstown, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lehman, 16 (Lita R. Miller, 15), Columbus, Ohio; Alice G. Treuschel, 16, Elkhart, Ind.; Dr. S. E. Yoder, 16, Lancaster, Pa.; C. J. Gerber, 17, Wakarusa, Ind.; Homer A. Yoder, 18, Glendale, Calif.; Irvin Bauman, 19, Columbiana, Ohio; Elvina Cressman, ex-19, Preston, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Eschliman, 20, (Anna Mary Allgyer, 20), Alpena, S. D.; Mrs. Ruby Beery Murray, 20, Bluffton, Ohio; Elva May Schrock, ex-20, Nappanee, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyer, 20 (Josephine Lehman, 21), Biglerville, Pa.

A. Fay Grassmyer, 21, Greenwood, Del., $2.00; L. G. Hershberger, 21, Canton, Ohio, $2.00; Lena Stoltzfus, 21, Bloomington, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Smoker, 21 (Lydia Stemen, 22), Osceola, Ind.; Fred Bryner, 22, Goshen, Ind.; Walter A. Bender, 22, Denver, Pa.; Arthur Sprunger, 22, Goshen, Ind.; Mrs. J. M. Stutzman (Berdine Thornton) 22, Sturgis, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Yoder, 22 (Ethel Good, ex-24), Smithville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Silas Albrecht, 23 (Alma E. Miller, ex-25), Tiskilwa, Ill.; Ira H. Eigsti, 23, Buda, Ill.; Ruth Leaman Erb, 23, Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. Mabel Metzler Miller, 23, Columbiana, Ohio, $2.00; Florence Cripe, 25, Goshen, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gingrich, 26 (Verna Mae Roth, ex-29), Washington, Iowa; Amanda Frey, 27, Archbold, Ohio; Hubert Miller, 27, Syracuse, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Yoder, 27 (Fyrne Anna Miller, 30), North Lima, Ohio; Jay H. Eberly, 28, Germano, Ohio; John Hershberger, 28, Sitka, Alaska; Mrs. Raymond Summers (Edna Cook), 28, Lansing, Mich.; C. K. Bender, 29, Goshen, Ind.; Amasa Kauffman, 29, Goshen, Ind.; Edna M. Oyer, 29, St. Johns, Mich.; Mrs. Ervin Reschley (Esther Roth), 29, Wayland, Iowa; Esther Leininger, ex-29, Elkhart, Ind.; Joanna Suderman Andres, 30, Newton, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Ebersole, 30 (Nellie Miller, 31), Elkhart, Ind.; Joseph C. Fretz, 30, Baden, Ont., $2.00; Gladys Honderich, 30, Millersburg, Ind.; Mary Hess, 30, Hesston, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler, 30 (Velma E., 32), Flandreau, S. D.; Bessie Clymer Moyer, 30, Perkasie Pa.; Helen M. Stauffer, 30, Elkhart, Ind.; S. J. Smucker, 30, Morristown, N. J.; Mrs. Mahlon Lapp (Esther Good), ex-30, $2.00.

A. P. Hallman, 31, Akron, Pa.; Loren King, ex-31, West Liberty, Ohio, $2.00; Paul Swope, 31, Columbiana, Ohio; Esther Graber, 32, Wayland, Iowa; Gilbert Gerber, ex-32, Bayport, Mich.; Alta Good, ex-32, Rantoul, Ill.; Ada Lapp, 32, Sterling, Ill.; Iverson Mishler, 32, New Paris, Ind.; Dorothy Smith, 32, Goshen, Ind.; Erma Schertz, 32, Metamora, Ill.; Esther Yoder, 32, West Liberty, Ohio; Adeline Aschliman, 33, Napoleon, Ohio; Virginia Brown, 33, Goshen, Ind.; John Baer, ex-33, Hagerstown, Md.; Evelyn Brenneman, 33, Elida, Ohio, $2.00; Irene Eschliman, 33, Dalton, Ohio, $2.00; Edwin Herner, 33, La Junta, Colo., $2.00; Anna Hertzler, 33, Hesston, Kans.; Wilma Lehman, 33, North Lima, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs.

Menno Miller, 33 (Hazel Stauffer, 33), Millersville, Pa.; Agnes E. Nafziger, ex-33, Hopedale, Ill.; Joe Swope, 33, Youngstown, Ohio; Helen Moser, 33, Orrville, Ohio, $2.00; Verna Schertz, 33, Roanoke, Ill.; Ezra Hershberger, 34, Milford, Nebr.; Gladys Johns, 34, Canton, Ohio; Willard Richer, 34, Wauseon, Ohio; Verna Smith, 34, Eureka, Ill.; Laura Troyer, 34, Elida, Ohio; John C. Wenger, 34, Telford, Pa.; Mary E. Hertzler, ex-36, Belleville, Pa., $2.00.

This is the longest list ever published in any one issue of the NEWS LETTER. The treasurer is very happy.

AUGUST REUNION

Don't forget the annual get-together on the campus on the last Sunday in August. Several new faces appear in the group every year and everyone who attends "wouldn't have missed it for anything." Last year Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Burkhard and their youngsters from Tempe, Arizona, stopped off on a transcontinental tour. Be sure to bring the youngsters along. They enjoy meeting the sons and daughters of the people whose faces they have seen in the Goshen College Reflector or the Maple Leaf. We usually bring our baskets, eat together in the College Dining Hall, and then we just visit in the most delightfully informal fashion. Don't forget—Sunday, August 25. The chairman of the committee on arrangements this year is Walter E. Yoder, 1221 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana.

SUMMER SESSION 1935

The 1935 Summer Session opened on June 4 and closed on August 3. Seventy-eight students were enrolled, seven full-time and four part-time instructors were employed, and twenty-two courses of college grade were offered. Dr. Silas Hertzler was director of the Summer Session. At a meeting of students called early in the Session by the Director, Atlee Beechy, 35, was elected Chairman of Activities. He appointed Wilmer Landis chairman of the devotional committee, Levi Hartzler, 35, of the social committee, and Eugene Raber, 37, of recreation. The devotional committee arranged a regular schedule of student prayer meetings and the Friday devotional period conducted by students during the chapel period. Daily chapel exercises were conducted by faculty members.

For the first time in many years the College published a summer number of the Goshen College Record. Raymond Troyer, 36, was editor and Atlee Beechy, 35, business manager. A chorus under the direction of Professor B. Frank Hartzler rendered the cantata "The Rose Maiden," on the evening of July 30. The public speaking classes gave two public programs. The annual outing gave students and faculty a day of study and recreation at Indiana State Dunes Park.

The Summer Session closed with the annual Summer convocation held in Assembly Hall on Saturday morning, Aug. 3. The list of graduates is given below under the heading "Graduates 1935." The program for the convocation was as follows:

Invocation ..... President Sanford C. Yoder
Music ..... Ladies' Sextette
Devotional Exercises ..... Pastor C. L. Graber
Convocation Address.....Rev. Jasper A. Huffman, D. D.
Dean of the Winona Lake School of Theology
"The Relation of Education to Christianity"
Granting of Diplomas and Conferring of Degrees
President Sanford C. Yoder
Music ..... Ladies' Sextette

PROFESSOR WITMER RECEIVES DEGREE

Professor Samuel W. Witmer, head of the department of biology at the college has been awarded the degree Doctor of Philosophy by the graduate faculty of Indiana university. His major graduate study and research has been in the field of botany, with minor studies in zoology. The dissertation he submitted to the university faculty is entitled: The Morphology and Cytology of Vallisneria Spiralis. This was an investigational study of the Eel Grass (vallisneria spiralis), also known commonly as tape grass, wild celery, etc., a plant found in shallow parts of inland ponds, lakes and streams. Plant material for the study was gathered by the author at Madison, Wisconsin and at Goshen and Bloomington, Indiana.

Professor Witmer received the master's degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1915. His studies there were also chiefly in the field of botany. He joined the

SAMUEL WENGER WITMER, PH. D.

faculty of Goshen college the same year and has been professor of the biological sciences continuously since. He has spent a number of summers in residence study at other universities, among them Illinois, Chicago and Indiana university.

Mr. Witmer in past years has made valuable studies in the migratory habits of birds by joining in the project of bird-banding. In 1933 he published in the Year Book of the Indiana Audubon society an article on: "About My Banded Song Sparrows," which presented observations and studies extending over several years. Two years ago Mr. Witmer was elected to membership in Sigma Xi, the national honor society to which are elected scholars who have demonstrated their ability to do creditable scientific research. He has also held membership in other learned scientific societies.—From the **Goshen Daily News-Times and Democrat.**

THE SHIRT FACTORY

Ten students were employed in making those good G. C. Dependable Work Shirts this summer. The factory now has a man on the road selling shirts direct to merchants. He has been successful in moving the stock on the shelves. He expects to be a student in Goshen College in 1935-36 and will pay his tuition

with sales commissions. The shelves will be cleared by September 15, and the factory will again employ a double shift of workers during the next school year. Joe Brunk, 15, expects that, with many experienced workers back in school next year, production can be stepped up appreciably over last year.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

President Sanford C. Yoder has been spending the summer at the College office and traveling in the interest of church and school interests. Soon after the close of the school year he attended the Annual Meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities of which he is Secretary, held at Hopedale, Illinois. July first he left for an extended trip west which took him to the various churches in Oregon and Idaho, and also to Chappell and Milford, Nebraska. While on this trip he assisted in the ordination of C. I. Kropf to the office of Bishop at the Zion Congregation near Hubbard, Oregon, and filled preaching appointments at Bethel, Hopewell, Albany, Fairview, and Harrisburg. He reports that the churches are prospering and the interest in the education of young people increasing.

Dean H. S. Bender is completing his work for the degree of doctor of theology at Heidelberg, Germany, where he has been in residence since May. He expects to return in November.

Professor D. A. Lehman, senior member of the Goshen College faculty is living at the College this summer. Although not actively engaged in teaching, he often proves helpful to those puzzled with mathematical problems.

Dr. S. W. Witmer took up his summer school teaching immediately on completing his graduate studies at Indiana University. He is teaching courses in physiology, zoology and nature study.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, director of the Summer Session, is also continuing his work in the education department. In addition, he is registrar and director of teacher training.

Professor Hershberger is instructing in history and social science. He hopes to complete his Ph.D. thesis by August. The Hershbergers are living in the college apartments.

Dr. Glen Miller has foregone his usual summer motor tour to remain as instructor in the physical science department. He has found some time for swimming, fishing, and golf, however.

Professor John Umble is remaining for the summer to teach English and speech. In addition to acting as faculty adviser for the Record writers, he finds a few hours for his shrubs and garden.

Dr. Paul Bender is taking a welcome vacation in the East, at the home of Mrs. Bender's parents in Virginia.

Professor W. H. Smith is finishing work for his doctor's degree at Indiana University. He expects to remain in graduate study during the coming year.

Mrs. Pearl Klopfenstein Miller, regular instructor in speech, is conducting a class in Plays and Games this summer.

Although Dr. Edward Yoder is not holding classes during the summer, he nevertheless is actively associated with the summer school as dean of men. He also delivered a series of interesting talks during chapel one week.

Professor H. L. Burkholder, of Newville, Pa., professor of education in the State Normal School at Shippensburg, Pa., is assisting Dr. Hertzler in the education department during the Summer Session.

Professor Samuel Yoder is continuing graduate study in English at the University of Michigan where he is a candidate for the doctor's degree. He has been offered an assistantship in English at Indiana State University beginning in September. He will continue his graduate study at Indiana or Michigan next year.

Professor I. E. Burkhart is another of the faculty members remaining to teach during the warm months. He is filling his usual position as instructor in Bible.

Miss Mary Royer is doing graduate study in primary education at George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tennessee.

Miss Shenk, instructor in French, has travelled farther than any other faculty member during the vacation this summer. In company with her sister, Dr. Lillie Shenk, she sailed the latter part of the second semester for European points of interest. She expects to spend some time in France.

Paul Mininger has been granted another year's leave of absence to continue study in Philadelphia. He has been studying at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary and is now at the University of Pennsylvania.

After spending several weeks as director of the Summer Bible School of the Goshen College Congregation, Professor Walter Yoder began graduate study in the School of Music of Northwestern University late in June.

A trip to the Pacific Coast was a part of the summer plans of Miss Olive Wyse after she had spent several weeks at her home near Wayland, Iowa.

Mrs. H. S. Bender expects to return from Germany in time to take up her work in the German department at the opening of the fall semester. Mrs. Bender has been studying German in Heidelberg University in Germany since May.

Dr. M. C. Lehman has been engaged in evangelistic work and in soliciting students for the college in the middle West during June and July.

(All but the first of the foregoing items are taken from the Summer Session number of the Goshen College Record.—Ed.)

MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1935

The following were graduated at the annual Commencement in June, 1935:

Bachelor of Arts: Herbert Hatch Adams, Goshen, history, economics and commerce; Rose Elizabeth Adams, Goshen, mathematics, history; Bonita Elisabeth Birky, Stanford, Ill., mathematics, physical science; Harold Irvin Buzzard, Goshen, biological science, English; James Rittenhouse Clemens, Lansdale, Pa., English, French; Ruth Gnagy, Topeka, Ind., mathematics, biological science; Elizabeth Graber, Noble, Iowa, education, English; Charles Edgar Harper, Goshen, physical science, economics; Dona Belle Hepler, Goshen, Latin, English; Alma Elsie Kaufmann, Tiskilwa, Ill., English, history; Ivan Reuben Lind, Tangent, Ore., history, English; Marian Elizabeth Messner, B.S. in Ed., Strasburg, Pa., English, Latin; Helen Oesch, B.S. in Ed., Kent, Ohio, Bible, education; Robert Josephus Shank, Pehuajo, F. C. O. Argentina, physics, mathematics; Roy Herman Umble, Goshen, speech, English, social science; Paton Wesley Yoder, Goshen, English, history.

Bachelor of Science in Education: Arthur Lorne Burkholder, Markham, Ont., Bible, education; Mary Katherine Frey, R. N., Sterling, Ill., education, Bible; Elsie Ruth Hertzler, Belleville, Pa., English, commerce; Lloyd N. Hostetler, Goshen, biological science, history; Alta Myra Housour, A.B., Elkhart, Ind., home economics, biological science; John Milton Williams, B.A., Middlebury, Ind., mathematics, physical science.

Bachelor of Theology: Helen Oesch, B.A., B.S., in Ed., Kent, Ohio.

Elementary Teacher Training Diploma: Arlene Catharine Blough, Hollsopple, Pa.; Esther Ruth Ebersole, Elkhart, Ind.; Merle Leon Glick, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Cloyse Dale Hershberger, Sugarcreek, Ohio; John Edwin Lehman, North Lima, Ohio; Ernest Edward Miller, Goshen; Lois Lorraine Oyer, Howell, Mich.; Verna Caroline Yoder, Goshen; Lloyd Zuercher, Sugarcreek, Ohio.

Academy Diploma: Agnes Aschliman, R. N., Wauseon, Ohio; Hannah Elizabeth Baer, R. N., Hagerstown, Md.; Roscoe Bernard Brown, Wakarusa, Ind.; Vera Cressman, R. N., Kitchener, Ont.; Mary Edna Good, R. N., Harrisonburg, Va.; Sarah Mabel Hostetler, Middlebury, Ind.

The following were graduated on August 3 at the annual Summer Convocation:

Bachelor of Arts: Florence Badertscher Amstutz, R. N., Goshen, biological science, education; Ivan Wilson Brunk, Goshen, physics, mathematics; Levi Clement Hartzler, Chicago, Ill., English, history; George W. Holderman, La Junta, Colo., Bible, physical science.

Bachelor of Science in Education: Atlee Beechy, Berlin, Ohio, education, history; Rollin Ward Krabill, Louisville, Ohio, history, English; Wilmer Myers Landis, Perkasie, Pa., biological science, education; Ernest Grey Lehman, Molalla, Ore., history, education; Rhoda Magdalena Ressler, Scottdale, Pa., English, education; Mildred Risdon, Goshen, English, philosophy; Mary Magdalena Troyer, Paris, Ohio, English, home economics.

Elementary Teacher Training Diploma: Lowell Daniel Brown, Elkhart, Ind.; Frances Catherine Hepfer, Pearl City, Ill.; Aurelia Joy Hooley, Ligonier, Ind.; Elsie Kathryn Mast, Millersbury, Ohio; Arnold Eugene Raber, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Lorene Kathryn Rocke, Tiskilwa, Ill.; Cloha Zuila Zook, Ligonier, Ind.; Grace Evangeline Zook, West Liberty, Ohio.

Academy Diploma: Luella Amstutz Gerber, Goshen.

AIRPLANE VIEW OF PARKSIDE

AUTUMN 1933

Looking southwest and showing portions of Main and Eighth Streets, the race, Shoup's Woods, Gra-Roy Drive, the Elkhart River above the dam and College Point. In the middle distance toward the right is a faint trace of the Elkhart River as it turns north below the dam.

CLASS OF 1935

Members of the Class of 1935 have been more fortunate in securing employment than any class since the "depression years" began.

John Williams, B.A. 34, B.S. in Ed. 35, who had been elected to teach a one-room school in Middlebury township, has accepted a position as teacher of the seventh and eighth grades in the Clinton township community school five miles east of Goshen.

Alta Housour, B.S. in Ed., will teach home economics and English in the Jamestown high school, her home school, near Elkhart, Indiana.

Atlee Beechy, B.S. in Ed., will teach a rural school in Holmes county, Ohio.

Ruth Hertzler, B.S. in Ed., will be instructor in the secretarial courses given at Goshen College.

Alma Kaufmann, B. A., has accepted a rural teaching position near her home at Tiskilwa, Illinois.

Wilmer Landis, B.S. in Ed., has a position as instructor in general science and mathematics in the Junior high school at Kulpsville, Pa.

Mary Frey, R. N., is employed as a floor supervisor in the Mennonite hospital at La Junta, Colorado.

Ernest Lehman, B.S. in Ed., has been elected principal of an elementary school near his home at Corvallis, Oregon.

Rhoda Ressler, B.S. in Ed., will continue her work as instructor in the school for the deaf at Edgewood, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mildred Risdon, B.S. in Ed., will teach grades five and six in the Waterford school in Elkhart township, south of Goshen.

Paton Yoder, B.A., has received unconditional graduate standing at Indiana University and will do graduate work in history there beginning in September.

Robert Shank, B.A., is spending the summer studying electrical engineering at Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, and expects to continue his work there next year.

Ivan Brunk, B. A., expects to study next year at Purdue University. He is completing his college course in about three years.

Mary Troyer, B.S. in Ed., will continue her work as secretary to the Registrar of Goshen College.

Roy Umble, B.A., who will teach English and speech and coach softball and baseball in the Hoopole, Illinois, high school next year, is spending the summer in further graduate study in the Northwestern University School of Speech. He is majoring in literary interpretation.

John Lehman, ex-36, has just been elected to a rural school teaching position not far from his home at North Lima, Ohio.

Wilma Miller, ex-36, will teach in a rural school near Thurman, Colo.

Leon Glick, ex-37, Cloyse Hershberger, ex-37, and Eugene Raber, ex-37, will all teach in the rural schools of the same township near their homes in Holmes and Tuscarawas counties, Ohio.

Frances Hepfer, ex-37, will begin her teaching experience in the primary grades near her home at Pearl City, Illinois.

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Lois Oyer, ex-37, after spending the summer in the Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, Normal School, will teach in a rural school near her home at Tiskilwa, Illinois.

Inez Yordy, ex-37, is spending the summer in Goshen College. She will teach in an Illinois rural school next year.

Lloyd Zuercher, ex-37, will begin his teaching experience in a rural school in Holmes county, Ohio, next fall.

Mrs. Cloha Zook completes the requirements for a first grade Indiana elementary school license on August 3. In September she will again teach the first grade in a consolidated township school near Ligonier, Indiana.

Hannah Baer, R. N., has obtained employment in the hospital at Hagerstown, Maryland.

Elsie Mast, ex-37, after teaching one year in Holmes county, Ohio, on a county license is now completing requirements for a four year provisional state license in Ohio. She will resume her teaching in the rural schools of Holmes county in September.

Grace Zook, ex-33, after five years of teaching in Ohio on licenses granted as a result of passing county examinations, graduates from the elementary teacher training course on August 3. She will continue her teaching at the Couchman school south of West Liberty, Ohio, in September on a state provisional teachers' license.

Lowell Brown changes his second grade Indiana license to a first grade Intermediate-Grammar license on August 3. This entitles him to continue his teaching in the rural schools of Harrison township, Elkhart county, Indiana.

Mary Good, R. N., is employed in the Elkhart general hospital, at Elkhart, Indiana.

Beulah Schrock, R. N., will be instructress of nurses in the Laura A. Kindig School for Nurses, Goshen, Indiana.

Verna Yoder, 35, will teach in Middlebury township in the school made vacant by the promotion of S. S. Miller, ex-29, to the Benton Schools.

Evelyn Harper, ex-37, will teach the rural school near Middlebury left vacant by the resignation of John Williams, 35.

(Most of these items are taken from the Summer Session number of the **Goshen College Record.**—Ed.)

WEDDING BELLS

On Sunday, April 14, Paul E. Weaver, ex-32, son of Mrs. D. A. Weaver, and Jennie Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Snyder, were united in marriage at La Junta, Colorado, by Allen H. Erb, ex-11, pastor of the La Junta Mennonite congregation. The bride is employed in the office of the county treasurer and Mr. Weaver is the bookkeeper at the Gardner Motor company.

Joe W. Swope, 33, son of Mr. and the late Mrs. Emanuel Swope of Columbiana, Ohio, and Mary Hertzler, ex-36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Hertzler of Belleville, Pa., were married on the lawn of the beautiful Belleville home of the bride's parents on June 15 in the presence of 150 guests, Bishop A. J. Steiner, 00, officiating. The bride has been employed in the office of the Hertzler-Zook company in Belleville. Mr. Swope is salesman for the Electrolux Company at Youngstown, Ohio, where Mr. and Mrs. Swope will reside.

On June 9, 1934, J. Warren Martin, of Fairfield, Pa., and Cora Boyer, ex-33, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boyer, of Biglerville, Pa., were united in marriage at the Fairfield church.

Kenneth Bream and Arlene Benner, ex-36, were married at Orrtanna, Pa., on June 15, at the Fairfield Mennonite church, Pastor A. W. Geigley, officiating.

Menno E. Miller, 33, son of Pastor and Mrs. David Z. Miller of Strickler's congregation, Middletown, Pa., and Hazel E. Stauffer, 33, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah S. Stauffer of the Millersville, Pa., congregation were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on June 15, the father of the groom officiating. They will reside at 460 North George St., Millersville, and Mr. Miller will teach the Mill Creek school which Mrs. Miller taught the past year.

On May 12, William Jennings, Jr., 31, son of Pastor and Mrs. William Jennings, Sr. of Concord, Tenn., and Mabel Ann Miller, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. D. D. Miller, of Elkhart, Indiana, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, the father of the bride officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Jennings will reside in Knoxville, Tenn., where Mr. Jennings is a teacher in the public schools.

James Steiner, 32, son of Bishop and Mrs. A. J. Steiner, 00, of North Lima, Ohio, and Ruth Metzler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Metzler of Columbiana, Ohio, were united in marriage on June 15, the groom's father officiating. Mr. Steiner will continue his work as a teacher in the public schools of Mahoning county.

Samuel L. Hershberger, ex-34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim D. Hershberger of Kalona, Iowa, and Kathryn Marie Yoder, ex-34, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Yoder, also of Kalona, were married at the home of the bride's parents, on June 20, by Bishop D. J. Fisher, pastor of the East Union congregation of which both young people are members. Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger have been engaged in public school teaching for the past several years. Mr. Hershberger will continue teaching the seventh and eighth grades in the Tiffin, Iowa, public schools.

Ralph Y. Blosser, B.S. in Ed., 33, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blosser, 05 (Carrie E. Yoder, 05), of Goshen, and Elizabeth Habeggar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Habeggar, of Berne, Indiana, were united in marriage at the latter place on Sunday, July 29. The bride has been a music instructor. Mr. Blosser is biology instructor in the Alvin Drew school at Pine Ridge, Ky.

On June 8, LaMar Schrock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schrock, and Lucille Weaver, ex-36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weaver, of Foraker, Indiana, were united in marriage. Mr. Schrock is with the Mogul Rubber company of Goshen.

Clayton A. Murray and Ruby Beery, 20, were married on October 6, 1934. They are living in Bluffton, Ohio.

Loren S. King, 31, and Dorothy M. Hartzler, both of West Liberty, Ohio, were married on September 9, 1934, and are residing in West Liberty, where they have purchased a home. Mr. King is sales manager of the Kingscreek Mills south of West Liberty.

W. A. Newell, of Juniata, Nebraska, and R. Alice Snyder, 18, were united in marriage on Dec. 7, 1933. Mrs. Newell did graduate nursing work from 1922 until her marriage with Mr. Newell. They reside on a farm near Juniata.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Martin (Cora Boyer, ex-33), of Fairfield, Pa., are the parents of an eight-pound daughter, Joanne, born April 20.

Barbara Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stahley Weaver, ex-27, was born on June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mininger, 34, (Mrs. Mary Erb Mininger, ex-35), are the parents of a daughter, Grace Eleanor, born May 7.

NECROLOGY

Menno L., son of Levi L. and Barbara (Mishler) Frey, was born Mar. 20, 1871, in Holmes Co., Ohio; died Feb. 4, 1935, at his home in Miami Co., Ind. He was the father of Mrs. Katie Troyer and Lewis, ex-28.

Christian K. Hostetler was born near Smithville, Ohio, Dec. 18, 1865; died in Youngstown, Ohio, April 18, 1935. On September 13, 1894, he was united in marriage with Mary E. Shanower. He was the father of Anna (Mrs. J. C. Powell) ex-17, and of Dorothy (Mrs. Dorothy Yoder) ex-25, Youngstown, Ohio. He united with the Oak Grove Mennonite Church near Smithville, Ohio, when a young man, and served this church for some years as Sunday school superintendent and in other capacities. He taught public school, edited the Young People's Paper, served as business manager of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College, held a prominent position on the Mission Board, served as Sunday school superintendent of one of the large Sunday schools in Birmingham, Ala., for several years, and was superintendent of the Youngstown Mennonite Mission for a number of years. In his last years he was associated with the Christ Mission of Youngstown. He held his membership and attended whenever convenient at the Mennonite church near North Lima. Interment in the Union Cemetery near Smithville, Ohio.

Jan. 12, 1860, in Switzerland, there was born to John and Cecile Thoman, a son, John. At the age of 21, he emigrated to the United States and finally stopped at the home of Jacob Leichty, Logan Co., Ohio, and remained in this vicinity until Feb. 5, 1895, when he married Arah E. Knepp who died May 24, 1896. On Dec. 28, 1897, he was married to Saloma B. Kanagy. He was the father of Catherine, 34. He was a member of South Union Church near West Liberty when he died on April 21. Burial in Yoder Cemetery on the Ludlow road.

Sarah Rickert, widow of the late Allen Rickert of North Lima, Ohio, was born near Columbiana, Ohio, Dec. 23, 1850; died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Metzler, near Columbiana, Ohio, May 1, 1935. She was the mother of Elizabeth (Mrs. Ira S. Johns) ex-02 of Goshen, Ind.; Margaret (Mrs. O. N. Johns) ex-06, of Canton, Ohio; Edwin L., ex-16, Comersville, Ind.; Isaiah A., 15, of Youngstown, Ohio; and Harvey L., ex-11, New Waterford, Ohio. She with her husband united with the Mennonite Church many years ago. Interment in the Midway cemetery.

Joseph S. Lehman, aged nearly 87, died May 2, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John B. Leaman, 823 Columbia Ave., Lancaster, Pa. Interment was in the Landisville Cemetery. He was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite Church over fifty years ago, near Freeport, Ill. After serving that congregation for a number of years, he was called to Elkhart, Ind., where he was associate pastor of the Elkhart Mennonite Church, also serving as general manager of the Mennonite Publishing Co., Elkhart, Ind. He was a member of the East Chestnut St. Mennonite Church in Lancaster at his death. He was the father of Arthur, ex-02 (deceased) and Grace (Mrs. John B. Leaman) ex-03.

Mrs. Malinda Mumaw, 82, who spent most of her life in Elkhart and for many years was an active member of the Mennonite church, died May 11 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Aaron C. (Phoebe Mumaw) Kolb, in Kitchener, Ontario. The daughter of Andrew and Salome Blosser, Mrs. Mumaw was born Dec. 27, 1852, near Logan, Ohio. In 1871 she came to Elkhart to visit a sister, Mrs. Henry B. (Matilda) Brenneman, and remained until April, 1872, taking a position in the bindery department of the printing establishment of J. F. Funk and Bro. There she met Henry A. Mumaw who then was printer foreman, and they were married in Ohio on June 27, 1872. Her husband, Dr. Mumaw, founded the Words of Cheer and established the Elkhart Normal school and later the Elkhart institute, which was the beginning of Goshen college. Mrs. Mumaw was the last survivor of the nine charter members of the first Mennonite congregation in Elkhart, organized in 1872. At the age of 17 she united with the Turkey Run Mennonite church in Fairfield county, Ohio.

Sarah Elizabeth, daughter of the late Bishop J. N. and Melissa Jane (Steele) Durr, was born April 9, 1879; died May 21, at her home near Elida, Ohio. On Dec. 24, 1899, she was united in marriage to Andrew Brenneman, now pastor of the Central Mennonite church at Elida, Ohio. She was the mother of Mary Esther, ex-31, of La Junta, Colo., and also of Paul and Timothy who spent several summers in residence at the College. Funeral services were held at the Central Church in Elida, and also in the Methodist church across the street. The two churches were connected by use of a megaphone, and both were filled.

Mary, the daughter of Joseph and Catherine (Krabill) Conrad, was born Aug. 26, 1857, in Stark Co., Ohio; died May 21, 1935. On March 1, 1883 she was united in marriage to Jacob G. Meyer. She was the mother of Professor J. C. Meyer, 16, and E. A. Meyer, 20. She united with the Mennonite Church in her youth and remained a faithful and devoted member throughout life. Burial in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

The infant son born to Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Roth of Goshen on July 14 died at the Goshen city hospital.

PERSONALS

C. A. Fullmer, 22, has been promoted to the principalship of the Wilmington (Del.) senior high school.

Vernon Smucker, 15, who has been teaching English at the Wooster (Ohio) senior high school, has been promoted to the principalship.

Professor Willard Smith, 28, absent on leave for graduate study in political science and economics at Indiana University has been elected president of the history and government club at I. U. for the year 1935-36.

Paul Mininger, 34, B.D., B.A., instructor in Bible, absent on leave for graduate study is spending the summer in residence at the University of Pennsylvania. By June, 1936, he expects to complete his work for the degree, master of religious education, at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary and for the M.A. at U. of P.

Miss Lydia Shenk, 31, and Mrs. Mabelle Lehman Stump, 21, sailed for Europe on May 29.

Ralph Beechy, 33, principal of the Berlin (Ohio) high school is doing graduate work at O. S. U. this summer.

Samuel S. Miller, 32, who has been teaching a one-room rural school in Middlebury township, Elkhart county, has been employed to teach the upper grades in the two-room school at Benton, Indiana, Elkhart county.

Gladys Honderich, 30, home economics teacher in the Millersburg (Indiana) high school is at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Indiana, for the last term of the summer session working for a special license in home economics.

Mary Bartholomew, 22, since leaving Goshen College, has secured a master's degree, completed considerable work in pre-medics, and has more than a year's credit in medical school. Her address is c-o United Charities of Chicago, 203 North Wabash Avenue.

AIRPLANE VIEW OF NORTH CAMPUS
AUTUMN 1933

Looking west across the railroad tracks and along College Avenue. On the right, north of College Avenue, the College Apartments (old East Hall and, later, "The Barn"), also the Mission Home, purchased as a residence by the late Dean Oyer, now occupied by Mrs. Siddie Oyer, matron of Coffman Hall, and her family. At the upper left, the College buildings, Coffman Hall, Science Hall, the Administration Building and Kulp Hall beyond which in the middle distance the race appears, curving east from behind Shoup's Woods. The gymnasium is faintly distinguishable directly south of Coffman Hall.

Samuel Burkhard, 11, is teaching two courses in the University of Hawaii this summer—history of education in the United States and comparative education. Mrs. Burkhard (Elsie Byler, 11) accompanied him to the islands.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, head of the education department and director of the Summer Session, and Professor Walter E. Yoder, head of the music department attended a summer Bible school conference at Metamora, Illinois, early in June.

I. E. Burkhart, visiting professor in Bible, gave an address before the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities held at Hopedale, Illinois, in June.

Dorothy Smith, 32, high school teacher of English and music at North Lima, Ohio, is continuing graduate work at Indiana University this summer.

Carl Hostetler, 34, high school teacher at Walnut Creek, Ohio, and Samuel C. Swartz, 34, instructor-elect at Hesston College were in residence at Iowa University this summer.

Arrangements are being made by the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities to send Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Weaver, 30 (Irene Lehman, 32) and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. King, (Nellie Zook, 27) to India as missionaries this coming October. Elsie Shank, 34, is being sent to South America at the same time. Mrs. Weaver and Miss Shank are the first second-generation missionaries to receive appointment under the Board for their respective fields. The new missionaries will no doubt add much strength and bring much inspiration to the forces already on the field.

Charles B. Shoemaker, 12, of 815 Market St., Scottdale, Pa., is manager of the book department of the Mennonite Publishing House.

Dr. Clifford F. Brunk, 15, of 7815 East Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, physician, and proprietor of the Memorial hospital in Detroit, in filling out the blank under "News items concerning yourself or an Alumni friend" facetiously writes: "Single. O. K."

Adeline Aschliman, 33, senior nurse at the Heller Memorial hospital, Napoleon, Ohio, is acting superintendent of the hospital while the superintendent is absent on sick leave.

Benj. Ebersole, 10, of 1113 West Lexington Avenue, Elkhart, Indiana, is secretary-treasurer of the Ziesel Brothers Company department store in Elkhart.

Alta Good, 32, Rantoul, Illinois, has resigned her position at Ludlow, Illinois, where she has taught the upper grades during the past four years. She expects to be at home next year.

Ezra S. Hershberger, 34, Milford, Nebraska, will teach the same school next year as last. He is directing an A Cappella chorus of sixty voices.

Florence Cripe, 25, 315 South Eighth St., Goshen, is instructor in mathematics in the Riley high school in South Bend.

Edna M. Oyer, 29, has been re-engaged for next year at her school near Maple Rapids, Michigan.

W. D. Hershberger, 27, 49 Norwood Ave., Long Branch, New Jersey, has been promoted to physicist in the Signal Corps Laboratories at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Fred Bryner, 22, of 511 South Eighth St., Goshen, teacher in the Goshen city schools, is spending part of his vacation in summer activities with his Scout Troop.

Professor and Mrs. Arthur L. Sprunger have purchased and remodeled the residence at 605 South Seventh Street, Goshen.

Alice G. Treuschel, 16, 1511 West Lexington Ave., Elkhart, Indiana, is not teaching at present.

Laura Troyer, 34, has been teaching the primary grades in the Tileville school near Lima, Ohio, during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Smoker, 21 (Lydia Stemen, 22) reside on R. R. 1, Osceola, Indiana. Mr. Smoker is employed as post office clerk at South Bend.

Frank Umble, of rural route 5, Box 107, Meadow Lodge farms, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, who has been employed at the Purity Bakery in Goshen for the past year, accepted a position on July 1 as official test cow milker for Judge J. S. Hayes who has the finest Guernsey herd in Oklahoma and probably the second best in the United States.

J. R. Allgyer, 15, formerly of 1384 Inglis Ave., Columbus, Ohio, and formerly regional director of rural rehabilitation under the Department of Agriculture, has been promoted to Director of Rehabilitation with offices in Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Allgyer (Anne Reisner, 13) reside in Washington.

Homer A. Yoder, 18, of 912 Osceola Way, Glendale, California, is state bond clerk in the Los Angeles treasury department.

Adam R. Rupp, 15, of 6562 Barton, Hollywood, Calif., is a contractor.

Mrs. Mahlon Lapp (Esther Good, ex-30) of R. 1, Sterling, Illinois, continues her work as rural school teacher.

John Hershberger, 28, magnetic observer in charge of the United States government magnetic observatory at Sitka, Alaska, has now held his present position for nearly two years. His task is to obtain continuous records of the strength and direction of the earth's magnetism and records of earthquakes.

Virginia Brown, 33, of rural route 5, Box 245, Goshen, is clerk in the Morris Five and Ten Store in Goshen.

Vera L. Snyder, ex-34, 221 Broad St., Wadsworth, Ohio, is doing general office work in the Citizens Bank of Wadsworth.

Joseph C. Fretz, 30, is principal of the public and junior high school at Baden, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Eschliman, 30 (Anne Mary Allgyer, 20) reside at Alpena, South Dakota, where Mr. Eschliman is a Methodist minister. After five years as director of religious training for the South Dakota council of religious education he is now trying out the principles of religious education from the angle of the pastor.

Esther Leininger, 29, of 1323 Kinzie St., Elkhart, Indiana, enjoys her work as secretary to the manager of the carton division of American Coating Mills, Inc., largest producers of Clay Coated Boxboard in the world.

Ella S. Wenger, 05, of 1209 Prairie St., Elkhart, Indiana, is a dressmaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas L. Albrecht, 21 (Alma E. Miller, 22), continue to enjoy farming on rural route one, Tiskilwa, Illinois.

Bessie C. Moyer, 30, of rural route 2, Perkasie, Pa., rural school teacher, is continuing her study by taking a correspondence course in American literature at Goshen College.

Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Ruth Landis, 12) of 1137 South Eighth Street, Goshen, visited Dr. Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., at Washington, D. C., during July.

A. Fay Grassmyer, 21, teacher at Greenwood, Delaware, paid the College a pleasant visit in July.

Esther Yoder, 32, of West Liberty, Ohio, teaches grades three and four in the Monroe township schools near West Liberty.

William E. Landis, 14, farmer on rural route one, Sterling, Illinois, is superintendent of the adult department of the Sunday school in the Sterling Mennonite church.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Yoder, 16, of 610 Race Avenue, Lancaster, Pa., and their two sons, S. Elmer and J. Carl, spent the month of June in Philadelphia where Dr. Yoder was enrolled in the graduate school of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy.

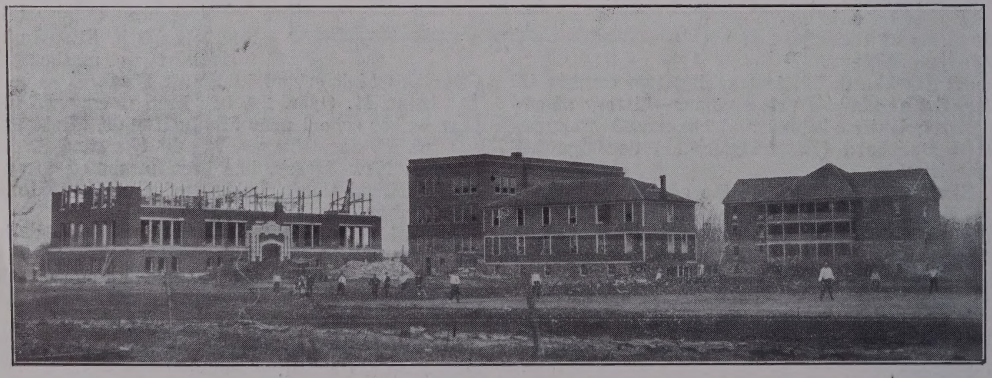
Hubert Miller, 27, of Syracuse, Indiana, is a high school instructor in Chili, Indiana.

Edwin Herner, 28, of Goshen seems to be having more than his share of ill fortune. He is a T. B. patient in the Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado. His wife, children, and his mother expect to move to La Junta in time for Eddie Junior to start to school.

A. E. Kreider, 15, has resigned the pastorate of the First Mennonite church in Bluffton, Ohio, to accept the professorship in New Testament at Bethel College, Newton, Kansas.

S. J. Smucker, 30, of the division of forest pathology in the bureau of plant industry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, is fighting diseases of the American Elm at the Dutch Elm Disease laboratory, 8 Whippany Road, Morristown, New Jersey.

Anna Hertzler, 33, is teaching the first grade in the Cheraw, Colorado, consolidated schools with thirteen teachers and over three hundred pupils, including the high school.



GOSHEN COLLEGE CAMPUS TWENTY YEARS AGO (1915)

In this picture East Hall, now the remodeled Goshen College Apartments, still occupies the site where it was erected in July and August, 1903, and Science Hall is under construction. Professor S. W. Witmer began his service at Goshen College, as instructor in biology, in Science Hall in the autumn of 1915. This picture shows the only buildings on the campus at that time.

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THE PRINCIPLE OF SEPARATION IN HISTORY

Edward Yoder, Ph.D.

(Abstract of a paper read at a Conference on Nonconformity held prior to Mennonite General Conference at Kitchener, Ontario, August, 1935.)

IN ALL PERIODS of Christian history there have been believers who lived a life separated from that which prevailed on the general level of society about them, whether this society was pagan or nominally Christian. They accepted the status of a dissenting minority as the normal one for themselves. This practice of separation has been based upon certain essential facts.

There are in the world two spiritual realities, the kingdom of evil and the Kingdom of God, which two are arrayed against each other in irrepressible conflict. The Kingdom of God must move forward against the opposition of strong forces that resist its advance. Furthermore it is a fact that man as a social creature is inclined to pattern his behavior after his immediate environment more than according to the revealed will of God. Unless an individual's spiritual perception is acute, he tends to become a mere conformist to the unspiritual mode of life about him. Again the Scriptures and history alike teach the lesson that spiritual life, spiritual power and energy, quickening ideas and ideals are not developed on the mass level of mankind. The forces that advance the Kingdom of God among men require special conditions for their development and nurture.

The application of the principle of separation can be seen in the history of the Old Testament. Abram was called of Jehovah to leave Ur of the Chaldees to become the ancestor of a separated nation. This separation had for its object that of making his seed a blessing to all the world. The idea of separation from the world and the idea of world mission are always closely connected in the Divine purpose. Throughout many centuries the nation of Israel was schooled, trained, and disciplined by Jehovah to be a source and a channel of spiritual blessings to all the world.

In general, Israel fulfilled its destiny, though there were many failures in its history. During the period of its national history the prophets speak of a remnant among them, a spiritual minority, who did not share in the apostasy and worldliness of the majority, but became in the different periods nuclei for new spiritual progress and revival among their nation as a whole.

In the New Testament Jesus makes no provision for the corporate separateness or isolation of His people. They do have a new life within them, a moral and spiritual vitality that distinguishes them and separates them from all that is sinful and unholy in the world. When asked by the disciples after the resurrection whether He would restore to Israel its erstwhile corporate isolation, He told them not to think about such

separation, but to wait for that power to come upon them which would send them out even to the ends of the earth as effective witnesses for Himself. They are the light of the world and the salt of the earth, a means of blessing to all men.

The early Christian Church was for a long time essentially a sect within the Roman Empire, a minority group distinctly marked off and separated from the surrounding life of the world in life and in worship. By the witnessing power of the Holy Spirit the church made rapid progress. But in the course of time its spiritual life began to wane. Christian writers of the second and third centuries protest against a growing worldliness. A worldly ecclesiastical organization gradually took the place of the simple fellowship of the early believers. Puritan movements like Montanism, sought to reform the church along spiritual lines from within. By the time of Constantine the church had become the dominant form of life, with an inclusive membership, with lowered moral and spiritual standards, and was no longer a sect at all.

But the moral declension and the surrender of spiritual power among Christians was by no means universal when Constantine proclaimed Christianity the official religion of the Roman Empire. In outlying places and parts hidden away there were groups and congregations who paid no heed to the dominant type of Christianity, refused to conform to the life of the Catholic Church, but went on living and worshiping more or less according to the pattern of the early church as described in the New Testament.

While ecclesiastical Christianity served its purpose in advancing the Kingdom of Christ, spiritual Christianity during the Middle Ages flowed on in two principal channels. Both were nonconformed and separated from the general stream of the life of the dominant Church. Inside the Catholic Church was monasticism in its various forms cultivating spiritual life, piety, holiness, promoting culture, learning, morals, and missionary work. Outside the Church were the scattered groups and sects, steadily persecuted as heretics by the Catholics. In many ways which can no longer be traced these nonconformed groups cultivated holiness and piety, simplicity of life and worship, brought spiritual blessings to countless lives and maintained a line of Scriptural testimony which contributed substantially to the religious and spiritual awakening that accompanied the Reformation in Europe.

Following the Reformation some form of Protestant Christianity became dominant in many countries and allied itself with the civil power of the State as an established church. And again there were congregations and sects who dissented from such dominant churches, because they saw that the reformed churches had not returned to the simple spiritual ideals of the New Testament. Some of the principles they suffered for have since been widely adopted in some form, even if not permanently established, such as religious liberty and the separation of church and state. The nonconformist sects have been a persistent force for spiritual advance and revival, though they have often been persecuted minorities. America has become the haven for the sects and many have found refuge here from persecution.

And so the succession of separated, nonconformist, dissenting groups of believers has continued through history, exerting an all-important influence upon the world for the advancement of the Kingdom of God, cultivating spiritual power, bringing spiritual blessings to mankind. In America today external pressure upon dissenting sects in the form of active persecution is absent. The spirit of democracy appears to act as a stronger solvent upon the sects than the earlier persecution. Some have developed

into general church bodies, a few have become petrified, others are struggling to maintain the nonconformed sect attitude.

The psychosis and the group attitudes that were once built up under persecution will hardly serve to keep a group nonconformed under democracy and religious liberty. New attitudes can be built up. The essence of the sect psychosis is that a group regards itself as a dissenting minority, aims not to cover the whole scope of Christian activities in its denominational set-up, but thinks of itself as a group of spiritual specialists, who through an intense and closely knit fellowship dedicate themselves one and all to the promotion of the things of the spirit. Without working primarily to increase their own numbers or expand their institutions, they use every opportunity to teach the truth of the Word of God to all men. They witness aggressively to fellow Christians and to non-Christians alike of the truth about salvation, victorious living, the simple life, nonresistance, and whatever truths they find neglected in their day. The Holy Spirit alone can guide and energize an aggressive sect attitude.

SOME OBJECTIONS TO WATSONIAN BEHAVIORISM

M. C. Lehman, Ph.D.

By Watsonian Behaviorism we mean what the principal promoter of this school of thought in modern psychology himself calls it. "Behaviorism is a return to early common sense." . . . "Given a certain object or situation, what will the individual do when confronted with it. Or the inverse of this formulation: Seeing an individual doing something, to be able to predict what object or situation is calling forth that act."

"The Behaviorist says, (1) Why don't we make what we can observe the real field of psychology." (2) Referring to observed conduct the Behaviorist asks, "Can I describe this bit of behavior in terms of stimulus and response?" (3) "The Behaviorist's psychology is based upon reflexes such as the neuro-psychologist studies." (4) "We need nothing to explain behavior but the ordinary laws of physics and chemistry." (5) "The Behaviorist finds no scientific evidence for the existence of any vitalistic principle such as purpose in his explanation of the increasing perplexity of behavior as we pass from infancy to childhood."

From these statements by Watson we may construct the following shorter definition. Behaviorism is an interpretation of the conduct of people on the basis of purely mechanical and physiological reaction to stimuli and devoid of any element of purpose and without a recognition of consciousness, perception, will or image.

In this light it professes to be a return to "early common sense" as an evaluation of the source of human conduct and would reduce the whole of the educative process to a system of "conditioning" physiological reactions to guide them into right channels until they acquire a "set." This whole process of conditioning depends in turn on the factors, recency and frequency. The entire fund of data as to human conduct would accordingly be found by observation rather than by introspection.

Objection Taken to This Interpretation

1. Can any evaluation of the conduct of one experimented upon or "observed" be made by a behaviorist except in terms of his own psychic experience? Is not the experimenter or observer of necessity bound to interpret his findings in the observation of the

behavior of another in terms of his own thought processes? In other words purely objective observation is impossible unless we grant that the experimenter can absolutely dissociate his own thought process from the act of observation. In reality he to some extent uses introspection in observation. Dr. Watson in observing uses introspection which is the very factor which he leaves out of account as untrustworthy when enumerating methods of collecting data. He very considerably weakens his own argument by using what he declares untrustworthy.

2. How can memory be accounted for on a purely physiological basis?

To this Watson replies, "Memory is a general term to express the fact that after a period of no practice in certain habits . . . the function is not lost but is retained as a part of the individual organization, although it may through disuse have suffered greater or less impairment."

To this one would rejoin by asking Dr. Watson how he is aware of the lapse of time between the instant of his falling asleep and waking. During this time there is no physiological or neurological reaction which should make one aware of sequence (if Dr. Watson indeed allows the conception of awareness). No possible association with events occurring during the time of unconsciousness is to be made. It is hard to conceive how a record could be made on sensory nerve centers during a time when the physique is not impressionable to stimuli. Yet a certainty of the awareness of time is part of human experience. Can Dr. Watson explain this without recourse to recognition of mental process and the acknowledgment that this mental process records an interruption of the stream of consciousness?

3. If as Dr. Watson says, "We need nothing to explain ordinary behavior but the "laws of physics and chemistry," what about sentiments in human relationships? Does he regard his wife and children as automatons who express love for him merely from the fact of mechanical or physiological necessity? Did he court his wife as a sweetheart aware that her reaction to his advances were not from purpose or even from consciousness? Did he regard her entire attitude to him as mere "musculature?"

Human nature is so constituted that it interprets its relationships in terms of consciousness, purpose and the freedom of choice. Human emotions and sentiments depend on it. Make automatons of individuals, and society loses its progressive, conserving, and binding force.

In this respect Watsonian behaviorism is not likely to vitally effect the relations of humanity on a general scale. They are based too permanently on the conception of mentality involving choice and purpose. Is it impolite to ask if Dr. Watson himself has found his conception of the mechanical source and control of human behavior satisfying in conserving domestic tranquillity in his own home?

4. If we should accept the Watsonian theory that human behavior is entirely mechanical as to source and control how would we explain appreciation of the arts? "The music of Bach and Beethoven, the painting of Raphael and Rembrandt, the dramas of Shakespeare and Calderon, the sculpture of Phidias and Michael Angelo, and the poetry of Homer and Dante; all the result of purposeless mechanical reaction to be explained by the "laws of physics and chemistry?" The whole of art appreciation and production breaks down with the Watsonian theory of human conduct.

5. What of religion in connection with this interpretation of behavior? Watson explicitly declares himself as not considering religion as an essential phase of life. His declarations along this line are as follows. "The modern child from the beginning is confronted by the dicta of the medicine man—be that his father, (*Continued on page* 12)

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EDITORIAL CHAT

After months of patient waiting on the part of alumni and considerable hard work by the office force, the 1935 Directory has been printed and mailed. If you have not received a copy, we do not have your complete mailing address. Several alumni have been kind enough to point out a few errors and omissions. We shall appreciate any help you can give us in correcting and completing our mailing list.

In a few weeks alumni will receive the annual appeal from the President of the College and from the officers of the Alumni Association for contributions to the annual expense fund of Goshen College. Economic conditions seem better than at any time since 1930, the student body is made up of the largest number of bona fide college students in the history of the institution, and the financial set-up is a marvel for economy and efficiency. But you alumni are in the best position to realize that colleges must depend on outside sources of income, in addition to tuition and student fees, if their work is to command the attention and respect of educators and of organized accrediting agencies. The need for taking the association slogan seriously was never greater than now—"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year."

In keeping with the policy adopted by the Board of Directors of the Goshen College Alumni Association, we are again printing, on pages 1-4, scholarly articles of general interest, dealing with current problems. Dr. Edward Yoder, professor of ancient languages in Goshen College, presents a study of nonconformity based on research in Biblical and church history. Dr. Lehman's paper seeks to show that Watsonian Behaviorism breaks down as a working theory because it must be discarded when it comes to actual living. If comments on this feature of the NEWS-LETTER continue as favorable as they have in the past, the advisory board of associate editors plans to print articles of a similar type in future issues.

ANNUAL DUES

The following alumni have paid their annual dues since the July NEWS-LETTER went to press: Mrs. Etta Gilliom Davis, 09, Detroit, Michigan; C. L. Shank, 10, 14, North Canton, Ohio, $2.00; Vernon Smucker, 11, 15, Wooster, Ohio; John L. Yoder, 11, West Liberty, Ohio, $10.00; G. W. Phillips, 13, Elkhart, Indiana; I. A. Rickert, 15, R. 2, Poland, Ohio, $2.00; L. E. Blauch, 16, Chicago, Illinois, $5.00; Maude Miller, 17, 22, 1001 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois, $2.00; Dr. and Mrs. Chauncey D. King, x19, (Rozella Conrad, 17, 20), Fremont, Ohio, $2.00; Mrs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott, 19), 1539 S. Springfield, Chicago, Illinois; W. E. Eigsti, 22, Homewood, Illinois; C. Warren Long, 23, 29, Peoria, Illinois, $2.00; Oliver M. Yoder, x23, Belleville, Pennsylvania, $2.00; Henry A. Mumaw, x24, Elkhart, Indiana; Mrs. William Miller (Esther Miller), 26, Rensselaer, Indiana; W. T. Stalter, 27, Goshen, Indiana; J. Forrest Kanagy, 30, Biglerville, Pa.; Raymond Litwiller, 31, 6050 Ingleside Ave., Chicago, Illinois; Blanche Brenneman, 32, R. 2, Elida, Ohio; Omar J. Rhodes, 33, R. 3, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Carl Hostetler, 33, 34, Walnut Creek, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Ellrose Zook, 33, (Frances Loucks, x31), Scottdale, Pa.; Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, 33, (Millie Page Brenneman, 33), Dhamtari, India, $4.00; Elmo Hiatt, x34, Elkhart, Indiana; Mary Gross, x34, Nurses' Home, La Junta, Colorado; Rhoda Ressler, 35, Scottdale, Pa., $5.00; Ruth Hertzler, 35, Belleville, Pa.

"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year." The treasurer still needs over one hundred dollars to pay the balance on the cost of printing the Directory.

ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

The following have contributed to the annual expense fund since the May NEWS-LETTER went to press: Lena I. Albrecht, 09, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Austin Landis, 09, P. O. Box 1414, Detroit, Michigan; S. Lloyd Johnson, 12, 14, Catonsville, Maryland; Dr. Clifford F. Brunk, 15, 7815 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Michigan; James Hostetler, 21, Middlefield, Ohio; Ira H. Eigsti, 23, Buda, Illinois; Melvin Gingerich, 26, Washington, Iowa; J. Forrest Kanagy, 30, Biglerville, Pa.; Esther Graber, 32, Goshen; Esther Yoder, 32, West Liberty, Ohio; John C. Wenger, 34, Telford, Pa.; Ruth Hertzler, 35, Belleville, Pa.

Alumni who contribute to the support of the educational program of their Alma Mater enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that they are helping to increase the efficiency of their college. And the more efficient the educational service of Goshen College becomes the more prestige she acquires among educators —the more valuable is the diploma or the degree you have received here. By helping your college you help yourself.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Sanford C. Yoder spent the ten days following October 11 in looking after the interests of the College and the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities in Oklahoma, Kansas, and Colorado, and in filling preaching appointments along the way. Sunday, October 6, he preached at the Oak Grove Mission Church near Adair, Okla., and in the evening at the Pleasant Valley Church near Pryor in the same state. The following week he spent at the Children's Welfare Home, Kansas City, at Hesston College, and in the oil fields of the College near Eureka, Kansas. At the latter place he filled a preaching appointment Wednesday evening. The following days were given to work at La Junta where he attended a meeting of the hospital board on Saturday, October 12, and preached at the Sanatorium and at the La Junta Church Sunday morning and at Holbrook Valley Sunday evening. Incidentally he also was present at the Annual meeting of Goshen College Alumni at the "Cedars." He reports a very enthusiastic Goshen group in Colorado.

With the growing student body and the changing program due to economic changes the work of the Business Manager becomes more and more complicated. Between general supervision of the Maple City Shirt Company and as director of student aid from the government and as supervisor of all the student employment on the campus, C. L. Graber, Business Manager, has an endless amount of detail to look after. As solicitor of funds and budget director he has experiences that take a good deal of energy. Goshen College has made steady progress against odds the last few years, but under the direction of the business manager and his efficient office staff all progress has been substantial.

GUY F. HERSHBERGER, Ph.D.

Professor Guy F. Hershberger, head of the department of history, was awarded the Ph.D. degree at the State University of Iowa in August. For his doctoral thesis he prepared a dissertation on, *Quaker Pacifism and the Provincial Government of Pennsylvania,* 1682-1756. This is a study of William Penn's so-called Holy Experiment, the attempt to carry on a political state in strict accordance with the New Testament ethics of love and kindness. Dr. Hershberger has examined fully the conditions of Penn's "experiment" and the reasons for its failure.

Professor Hershberger received the master's degree from Iowa in 1925. He joined the Goshen College faculty the same year as professor of history and has spent two quarters in graduate study at the University of Chicago. His major studies have been in American history, with minor studies in Modern European history and in political theory. Dr. Hershberger has contributed articles and reviews to the Mennonite Quarterly Review of which he is also an associate editor, and he has been a contributor to Social Science Abstracts.

DEAN HAROLD STAUFFER BENDER, Th.D.

The latest member of the faculty to receive the doctorate is Dean Harold S. Bender who fulfilled the final requirements for the Th.D. degree from the theological faculty of Heidelberg University, Germany, on Saturday, September 21. On August 1, Dean Bender concluded the research for his dissertation and on September 21 stood for the final examinations, which he passed with the academic honor magna cum laude. The title of his thesis is, *Conrad Grebel—The First Leader of the Swiss Brethren,* which is a part of the result of years of study and investigation into the earliest Anabaptist and Mennonite origins. The thesis, although written in German, will be printed in English next spring.

Professor Bender received the B.D. degree from Garrett Biblical Institute in 1922, the M.A. degree from Princeton University in 1923, and the same year the Th.M. degree from Princeton Theological Seminary. Awarded the Thomas S. Green Traveling Fellowship in Old Testament at Princeton, he was able to study for a year at Tuebingen University, Germany, 1923-1924. He spent one semester at Heidelberg in 1930 and another semester there this year.

Dr. Bender is the author of a book, *Two Centuries of American Mennonite Literature,* published in 1930. He has served as editor-in-chief of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review* since its founding in 1927, and of the series of *Studies in Anabaptist and Mennonite History.* He is president of the Mennonite Historical Society at the College and has collected a valuable library of Mennonite historical material, one of the largest collections of its kind in the world. As a member of the Historical Committee of Mennonite General Conference he has been named as author of the American part of a newly projected history of the

Mennonites. He has also been serving on the Peace Problems Committee of Mennonite General Conference and on the Mennonite Central Committee, which has been active in rendering assistance and relief to migrating Mennonites in different parts of the world during the past fifteen years.

GOSHEN COLLEGE CHORUSES

Professor Walter E. Yoder, director of the college choruses is concentrating on the work of Bach and Handel in preparation for a Bach-Handel program in commemoration of the two hundred fiftieth anniversary of the birth of both of these composers in 1685. The regular A Cappella Chorus numbers twenty-six men and thirty-two women. On account of the increasing interest and the large amount of talent available, Professor Yoder has organized a second A Cappella Chorus of about sixty voices. Karl Massanari, a music major of the class of 1936, directs the rehearsals of the latter group.

HOMECOMING PROGRAM

Thursday, November 28
11:00 Thanksgiving Service
President Sanford C. Yoder
1:00 Thanksgiving Dinner and Program
8:00 Program—Selections from Bach and Handel College Choruses

Friday, November 29
7:30-3:00 Regular Classes
3:00 Basketball—College vs. Alumni
8:00 Lecture Course ..... Arthur Kallet
Director of Consumer's Research
Co-Author of 100 *Million Guinea Pigs*

Saturday, November 30
3:00-4:30 Tea (Kulp Hall Social Room)
7:30 Homecoming Social

Sunday, December 1
9:30 Sunday School
10:45 Sermon ..... M. C. Lehman
3:00 Vespers

1935 REGISTRATION

The registrar's office reports a total enrollment of two hundred eighty-six distributed as follows: seniors, twenty-nine; juniors, thirty-nine; sophomores, eighty-four; freshmen, ninety-three; special, thirty-five; post graduates, six. This is an increase of twenty-seven over last year.

Ninety-four women, of whom ninety-two are students, fill all the rooms in Kulp Hall. Sixty-seven men, of whom sixty-five are students, room in Coffman Hall.

AUGUST REUNION

Although the group was not so large as last year the August reunion was a success in every way—bountiful dinner, excellent spirit of old-time friendship, and a delightfully informal social hour. D. S. Gerig, "Yonie" Yoder, Sam Miller, Walter Christophel and Will Oesch formed the nucleus of an animated group bent on giving F.D.R.'s brain trust some valuable pointers. Opinion seemed unanimous on only two points, namely, that F.D.R. needed advice and that this group was capable of giving it. The chairman, Professor Walter E. Yoder, being enrolled as a student at the Northwestern University School of Music and unable to attend, Mrs. D. S. Gerig had charge of the arrangements. Professor Yoder was retained as chairman for the 1936 August Reunion.

COLORADO REUNION

On the afternoon of October 12, about twenty of the Goshen College Alumni of Colorado met at the Cedars, twelve miles south of La Junta for the annual reunion. The time was spent recounting incidents of college days and hiking among the rocks and through the canyons. After a campfire supper the meeting was addressed by President Sanford C. Yoder who was one of the guests. Before disbanding, the group decided to set up an organization of the alumni for the state of Colorado. The election of officers resulted in the choice of Harvey Driver, 30, president, and Ada Burkhart, 32, secretary.

EASTERN OHIO REUNION

Irene Eschliman, 33

A reunion of Goshen alumni and friends from eastern Ohio was held Sunday afternoon, September 1, at Wooster city park, Wooster, Ohio. Approximately 150 were present. Aside from the representation of Eastern Ohio there were Goshenites present from Columbus, Ohio; West Liberty, Ohio; Chicago, Illinois; and Upland, California.

This meeting marked an epoch for eastern Ohio alumni. Previous to this year two distinct reunions have been held. This year the "older" and "younger" alumni met together to become better acquainted and to enjoy together the spirit of their common Alma Mater.

Bert Smith, 15, of Akron, Ohio, presided over the meeting. After a brief self-introduction by the members present, an impromptu quartet consisting of Dr. Dan Hostetler, 21, of Sugar Creek; Carl Hostetler, 33, of Walnut Creek; Rev. Lester Hostetler, 15, of Upland, California; and Clarence Troyer, 28, of Baltic, Ohio, furnished music in the well-known Holmes county manner.

The main feature of the program was an inspirational address by Dr. M. C. Lehman, 05. Plans were made to hold a similar reunion next year at Hoover Convention Grounds, North Canton, Ohio, on the Sunday afternoon preceding Labor Day.

WEDDING BELLS

On September 14, Wilmer M. Landis, 35, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Landis of near Blooming Glen, Pa., and Lorraine S. Gotwals, daughter of C. K. Gotwals, president of the Union National Bank and Trust Company, and Mrs. Gotwals of Main and Chestnut Streets, Souderton, Pa., were united in marriage at the home of the officiating minister, Menno B. Souder of Elroy, Pa., a minister in the Franconia Mennonite congregation. Mr. Landis is teaching in the high school at Kulpsville, Pa.

Sidney Plaut, x29, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Plaut of South Fifth Street, Goshen, and Lydia Cluett Shyne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Shyne, of Troy, N. Y., were married Wednesday evening September 4, the Rev. Trevor V. D. Dillon, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Goshen, reading the service. The bride was graduated from Russell Sage

College and did graduate work at the Columbia University. Mr. Plaut is associated in business with his father.

On September 3, Raymond H. Book, x27, of Sterling, Illinois, and Ruth S. Garber of near Willow Street, Pa., were united in marriage by Frank M. Herr in the Willow Street Reformed Church.

On Wednesday evening, September 4, Esther Meck, x33, daughter of Mrs. Emma Meck, of Freeport, Illinois and Silas J. Smucker, 30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smucker, of east of Goshen, were married at the home of the bride's mother, A. C. Good of Sterling, Illinois, officiating. They will reside at Morristown, N. J., where Mr. Smucker is employed in the government research laboratories devoted to the study of elm tree diseases.

Merlin G. Richard and Mera C. Dinehart, 29, of Elkhart were united in marriage in March, 1933. Mr. Richard teaches physical education and science in Central high school South Bend and is working on his master's degree. Mrs. Richard teaches English and physical education in the South Bend schools. Their residence is 3301 Mishawaka Avenue, South Bend.

On Sunday, September 1, Harriet Rummell, x35 (A.B. DePauw University, June, 1935), and Wendell P. Kay, Jr., son of Attorney and Mrs. Wendell P. Kay, of Watseka, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride 502 South Main Street, Goshen. Mr. and Mrs. Kay reside in Chicago where Mr. Kay is a student in the Northwestern University School of Law.

On August 24 Dr. Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., x26, son of Professor D. S. Gerig of Goshen, and Enid Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller, of Madison, Wisconsin, were united in marriage in the Sixth Presbyterian Church in Washington, D. C., the Rev. William Christian, officiating. Mrs. Gerig is a graduate of the Layton Art School in Milwaukee and has studied at the University of Wisconsin. Dr. and Mrs. Gerig reside in Washington where Dr. Gerig holds a position in the research and planning division of the NRA.

On August 17, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Daniel Graber, of Noble, Iowa, Christian Stoltzfus, of Manson, Iowa, and Elizabeth Graber, 35, of Noble, Iowa, were united in marriage, C. L. Graber, brother of the bride officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Stoltzfus will reside in Manson where Mr. Stoltzfus has extensive business interests.

Ernest Lehman, 35, principal of the grade school at Milwaukie, Oregon, and member of the Zion Mennonite congregation, and Dorothy Hill, member of the Albany Mennonite congregation, were married on August 28. Mrs. Lehman is a teacher in the Tangent, Oregon, schools.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Janet Arlene, sister of two-year-old Carol Ruth, came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schloneger, x32 (Gladys Hostetler, x32), on August 21.

Twin girls, Grace Lois and Gladys Lucille, were born Sept. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Beachy, 33 (Bertha Nohejl, 34) of Sherwood, Ohio.

Edward Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford, x32, of 710 South Main Street, Goshen, was born October 4.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hershberger, 34, of Milford, Nebraska, early in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Snyder 27 (Mary Fretz x30) of Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A., are the parents of Agnes Elizabeth, born September 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Andres (Joanna Sudermann 30) have adopted a month-old daughter, Amy Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. David Esch x33 (Evelyn Emmert, x35) are the parents of a daughter, Elinor Louise, born September 27.

NECROLOGY

Nannie, daughter of Preacher Abram Burkholder, was born near Harrisonburg, Va., Nov. 24, 1883, and died at her home near Sterling, Illinois, Sept. 12, 1935. On June 1, 1905, she was married to Daniel W., youngest son of Bishop Christian Good, of Harrisonburg, Va., and in 1907 they moved to Sterling. Mrs. Good was the mother of Mrs. Mahlon Lapp (Esther Good, x30) of Sterling, and an aunt of Mrs. Paul Bender (Bertha Burkholder) and of John D. Burkholder, Jr., 28.

Isa Dora, wife of Dr. John D. Burkholder of Harrisonburg, Va., was born Nov. 10, 1878; died of cancer July 14, 1935. She was the mother of Mrs. Paul Bender of Goshen, and of John D. Jr. 28.

Peter Conrad was born in Wayne County, Ohio, March 21, 1847; died August 29, 1935. He was united in marriage to Catherine Schrock on Dec. 12, 1871. On May 9, 1881, he was ordained deacon of the Oak Grove congregation. He was the father of Dr. F. A. Conrad, of Tucson, Arizona.

Jonas Miller, x28, who moved from Middlebury, Indiana, to Warsaw, Indiana, a year ago to drive a bakery truck, was instantly killed on Tuesday, October 22, when his truck was demolished by a fast Pennsylvania train near Atwood, Indiana. Mr. Miller was a missionary in Africa for several years and while there presented the skin of a large boa constrictor to the College museum. He is survived by his wife, formerly Laura Leinbach, and a six-months-old son.

Colonel Elmer C. Yoder, x15, of West Liberty, Ohio, aged forty-six years, died of pneumonia following the grippe on October 7, at Nampa, Idaho. For the past year he had been associated with his brother Lewis in the latter's produce business at Nampa. He was a brother of Ellen Yoder 14, of Philadelphia, and an uncle of Richard King, 38, and Martha King, 39.

Cora Yoder, x03, wife of Ivan Z. Musselman x03, of Orrtanna, Pa., died September 30, at the Gettysburg Hospital from coronary thrombosis. She was born at Concord, Tenn., in 1884. She was the mother of Howard Y., 29 and of Mrs. Arthur Roth (Mary 33).

Mary, daughter of Martin and Magdalene Ressler, was born July 2, 1843, in Lancaster County, Pa. In 1876 she was united in marriage to Bishop Jacob A. Beutler of Elkhart County, Indiana. She died Sept. 9, 1935. She was the mother of Mrs.

Simon C. Hartzler (Magdalena Beutler, x03), and an aunt of Rhoda Ressler, 35.

Levi K. Yoder, son of Preacher Christian K. and Catherine (Plank) Yoder, was born in Mifflin County, Pa., Mar. 20, 1851, and died at West Liberty, Ohio, Oct. 2, 1935. On Dec. 21, 1876 he was married to Fannie T. Hartzler. He was a brother of the late Bishop A. I. Yoder. His grandson, Dwight, is a member of the class of 1937. More than a dozen of the nephews, nieces, grand-nephews and grand-nieces of Levi K. Yoder have been enrolled in Goshen College.

A. D. Wenger, president of Eastern Mennonite School, died at his home in Harrisonburg, Va., on October 5. He was the father of Mrs. Warren Kratz (Mary Wenger 25).

Dr. Harold C. Mangun, of Ackley, Iowa, died Friday, September 27, in a hospital in Iowa Falls, Ia. He had been ill for two weeks with pneumonia and complications. Dr. Mangun was born May 8, 1900, near Radcliffe, Iowa. He attended Ellsworth College at Iowa Falls and the University of Iowa Medical College. He served his interneship in the Kansas City, Mo., General Hospital and has practiced medicine in Ackley, Iowa, for the past ten years. While he was an interne he was married to Savilla Wenger, 20, of Wakarusa, Indiana. Surviving are his widow and three children: Thomas Dean, 9; Marilyn, 7; and Barbara Jean, 8 months.

SOUTH AMERICAN ALUMNI

We are indebted to one of our South American friends for the following bird's-eye view of the activities of South American alumni. For the complete address add after the name of each city, "F. C. O., Argentine Republic, South America."

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Litwiller, 25, live at Bragado. Mr. Litwiller, as director of the Bible School, is devoting considerable attention to a self-supporting plan for the students of the institution. He is pastor of the Bragado congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank, 10, (Emma Hershey, x09), are stationed at the original base of the Mission, Pehuajo. Mr. Shank is pastor of the congregation, manager of the mission printery, and spends two days a week at Bragado teaching in the Bible School. Mrs. Shank teaches Bible and English in the mission day school at Pehuajo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin V. Snyder, 27, (Mary Fretz, x30), have charge of the growing congregation at America. "Elvin likes boys," writes our correspondent, "and always has a nice group of them around." Mrs. Snyder manages the home and the primary school in addition to her work as pastor's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Weber, 27, (Edna Bowman, 21), have recently moved to Alberti where they have pastoral charge of the station. Mr. Weber, beginning next March, will be one of the teachers in the Bragado Bible School.

Esther Brunk, 27, is teaching English in Ward College near Buenos Aires. Part of each day she also has charge of a group of girls in the Lutheran school in Buenos Aires. Her address is Ramos Mejia, F.C.O., c-o Colegio Ward.

PERSONALS

Freda W. Shay, x12, 8206 Kingston Ave., Chicago, formerly Freda L. Wysong, Goshen, is doing graduate work.

Carol Gummer, x29, teaches the first grade in the Concord township schools at Dunlap, Indiana. Her address is Concord Grade School, R. 6, Elkhart, Ind.

Agnes Nafziger, x33, Hopedale, Illinois, is teaching a rural school near Morton. She devotes some time each summer to teaching in vacation Bible school.

Willard Richer, x36, of rural route five, Wauseon, Ohio, teaches a rural school about two miles from his home during the winter and does house-painting during the summer.

Walter A. Bender, 22, of 420 South Eighth St., Denver, Pa., was elected manager and treasurer of the Highland Shoe Company, Inc., Akron, Pa., in October, 1933.

Occasionally we manage to pick up an interesting family picture like this one: Mr. and Mrs. Vernon S. Culp, 13, of 837 Berwyn St., Akron, Ohio, have two children, Eugene M., six foot, one inch tall; and Julia E., five foot, seven. Eugene, quite accomplished as a pianist and skillful with the paint brush, has completed his sophomore year at Oberlin College. Julia, junior at North High school, Akron, this year, is president of the Epworth League in a large church, pianist for the Glee Clubs, an excellent reader and was sent as Junior Red Cross representative to Washington, D. C., last spring. Mr. Culp is counsellor, science adviser, and chemistry instructor in West high school, Akron, and president of the Northeastern Ohio Chemistry Teachers' Organization. He spends his vacations painting houses and taking groups of young people on camping and sight-seeing trips. In 1933 and 1934 he made nine trips to the "Century of Progress" Exposition at Chicago and this summer he has made several trips East. Mrs. Culp's part of the picture is—making a delightful, cheerful home for this interesting group.

This picture is only one of many similar ones among Goshen College alumni. How could any one imagine that life was not interesting and worth while?

Clell E. Firestone, 19, mayor of the city of Goshen, was elected executive secretary of the Indiana Municipal League at the closing session of the three-day convention at Evansville, Indiana, October 2-4. During the last session of the Indiana general assembly, Mayor Firestone served as chairman of the legislative committee of the League.

In July Professor and Mrs. Maurice A. Yoder, 27, (Elizabeth Gish, 27) and family of Hesston, Kansas, visited in Lancaster County, Pa., Mrs. Yoder's former home. Mrs. Yoder is one of the superintendents of the primary department in the Hesston Sunday School.

Bonita Birky, 35, of Stanford, Illinois, is teaching a rural school near her home.

Idella Zuercher, 34, is teaching the first and second grades at East Greenville, Ohio.

An interesting feature of the Gospel Herald Mission Supplement, issue of September 5, is a number of letters written by young Indian Christians, who are enrolled in the mission schools above the eighth grade.

M. C. Vogt, 27, India missionary on furlough, is enrolled as a student in Moody Bible Institute. At the regular service at the College on Sunday morning,

October 6, he gave a singularly impressive and informing address on the work in India.

Ira Y. Miller, x07, teacher in the Middlebury township schools for the past thirty years, has resigned because of various outside business interests.

Dr. M. C. Lehman, 04, Dean H. S. Bender, 18, President Sanford C. Yoder, Paul Mininger, 34, and Professor I. E. Burkhart, 26, are members of a committee of eight, known as the Mission Study Course committee, which has planned ten new mission study books to be written in the near future.

Mrs. M. C. Lehman (Lydia Liechty, 05), is secretary of mission literature for the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

Mrs. J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook, 01) continues her faithful, energetic service as president of the sewing circle division of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

Names of Goshen College alumni or instructors appearing in the reports of the Mennonite General Conference held at Kitchener, Ontario, in August, included those of Bishop Daniel Kauffman, ex-president, of Scottdale, Pa.; I. W. Royer, 00, Orrville, Ohio; Bishop O. N. Johns, x07, Canton, Ohio; O. O. Miller, 15, Akron, Pa.; Bishop D. A. Yoder, x07, Elkhart, Indiana; Jesse B. Martin, x26, Waterloo, Ontario; Professor I. E. Burkhart, 26, Goshen; J. N. Kaufman, 17, Dhamtari, India; Dr. M. C. Lehman, Goshen; Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, president of Goshen College, Goshen; Edwin J. Yoder, x09, Topeka, Indiana; Bishop T. K. Hershey, Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina; J. R. Shank, x06, Versailles, Mo.; J. S. Hartzler, Elkhart, Indiana; Dr. Edward Yoder, Goshen; Bishop N. A. Lind, x03, Tangent, Oregon; Milton Vogt, 27, Dhamtari, India, and Frank Raber, 29, Detroit, Mich.; Amos Hostetler, x25, Topeka, Indiana, was elected assistant secretary for the next General Conference.

Dorothy Hoogenboom, x35, is teaching grades two to four in the Ebenezer Christian school at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Topinges (Cordelia Grabill, 16) of Akron, Ohio, have removed to 1309 West 85th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Samuel Hershberger (Katherine Marie Yoder, x34) of Tiffin, Iowa, is secretary of the Iowa Reunion of Goshen College Alumni.

Bertha Frey, x38, of 139 Berryman, Snyder, New York, plans to enter the Buffalo City Hospital School for nurses, affiliated with the University of Buffalo.

N. R. Ball, x36, plans to enter the University of Illinois.

Dorothy Detweiler, 33, is teaching the first grade in Zanesfield, Logan County, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller (Esther Miller, 26) reside on rural route three, Rensselaer, Indiana. They have two children, daughters. Mr. Miller is a painter and decorator and superintendent of the Burr Oak Sunday School.

Oliver M. Yoder, x23, is employed as teller at the Kishacoquillas Valley National Bank, Belleville, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Brenneman, 33 (Millie Page Brenneman, 33) have been continuing their language study at Landour where they are stationed temporarily to take care of Miss Ada Hartzler who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stutzman, x19 (Berdine Thornton, 22) reside in Sturgis, Michigan. Mr. Stutzman teaches history in the Sturgis high school.

Lydia Hershberger, Academy 28, is enrolled as a student in the University of Iowa.

Albert C. Gill, x32, of 209 North Second Street, Goshen and Joe Bradford, x34, of 701 South Main Street, have established a wholesale business at 122 West Lincoln Avenue. Their line is household supplies. Mr. Gill does the office work and Joe covers Northern Indiana hustling orders.

Mrs. Etta Gilliom Davis, RN, BS, 09, of 2950 Nebraska Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, who is nurse counsellor for the Detroit Department of Health suffered a serious taxicab accident in June while in New York City attending the convention of the National League of Nursing Education and was forced to ask for a leave of absence.

Bertha R. Leaman, 21, of 5462 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago in June. The subject of Dr. Leaman's thesis was "Foreign and Colonial Policy in France under Radical Socialist Party Control, 1898-1905."

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Delcamp (Helen Long, 29) reside at 215 West Pike Street, Goshen. Mr. Delcamp is chief of the fire department of the city of Goshen.

The address of Mrs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott, 19) should be 1539 South Springfield Avenue, Chicago, in the Directory.

The business address of W. D. Hershberger, 27, of 49 Norwood Ave., Long Branch, N. J., is now Squier Laboratory, the new name for Signal Corps Laboratories where Mr. Hershberger has been employed for several years.

John L. Yoder, 11, has been a member of the West Liberty, Ohio, school board for six years and for the past three years president of the board. Richard, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Yoder (Bertha Krabill, x18) is a freshman at Urbana University, wealthy Swedenborgian institution at Urbana, Ohio.

Occasionally your editor is fortunate in getting a "snapshot" of the work of a busy alumnus with an intriguing job. To read in the Directory "Shank, Charles L., research engineer with Hoover Company North Canton Ohio 123 Wise St res Middlebranch Ohio" does not give you a clear picture. Here are some details: Mr. Shank's work is experimental with special reference to improvement of the company's product. The Cleaner Research Laboratory Section in which he works is only one of seven sections, including Electrical, Mechanical, and Chemical. In his section there are five engineers and four young woman laboratory assistants who make tests in accordance with the instructions laid out for them by the engineers. The carefully collected data are then assembled and interpreted in reports by the engineers.

A. J. Regier, 08, of Bethel College, Kansas, received the Ph.D. degree from Kansas University in June, 1935. The subject for Dr. Regier's dissertation was, "A Study of the Functioning of the Teacher Certification Laws and Regulations in Kansas, 1933-34."

George W. Phillips, 13, who has been pastor of the Danville, Ohio, Church of the Brethren for the past nine years, has been chairman of the Knox County, Ohio, ministerial association for the past year. On

September 1 he took up the pastorate of the Elkhart, Indiana, City Church of the Brethren.

The jubilee session of Mennonite General Conference of North America held at Upland, California, closed on August 9. Lester J. Hostetler, 11, 15, is pastor of the Upland Mennonite congregation which acted as host to the conference. Lester Hostetler was elected a member of the board of education and of the committee on church unity. A. E. Kreider, 15, also was elected a member of this committee and to a nine-year term on the foreign mission board. P. E. Whitmer, 05, was elected to membership on the placement committee.

On August 3, the Pennsylvania Goshen Alumni Reunion met at Arendtsville Park, near Biglerville. Over one hundred alumni and friends were present. Officers of the reunion are J. F. Kanagy, Biglerville, and Niemann Brunk, Hagerstown, Maryland.

The work of Dr. L. E. Blauch, 16, is receiving national recognition. Last winter the Carnegie Corporation of New York made an additional grant of $15,000 to the American Association of Dental Schools to continue his work on dental education. He has concluded the work on the dental curriculum and is now proceeding with a study of methods of teaching dentistry.

His first report, entitled *A Course of Study in Dentistry,* was published in April of this year. It is a volume of 425 pages and is the most recent extensive discussion of dental education. The Survey is the first effort of a profession, working on a national basis and using recently developed educational techniques, to outline in detail a course of study in its field.

A limited number of copies of the report of Dr. Blauch are available for dentists who are interested and care to have them. They may be obtained at the cost of printing and distribution (paper bound copies at $1.00 each and cloth bound copies at $1.50) by writing to Dr. G. D. Timmins, Secretary-Treasurer, American Association of Dental Schools, 1121 West Michigan Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

This summer Dr. and Mrs. Blauch made an extensive trip through Western Canada and the Western States. They visited all the dental schools on the Pacific Coast and attended the Fourth Pacific Coast Dental Conference held at Long Beach, California, where Dr. Blauch read a paper on "Trends in Dental Education" and gave a radio broadcast on "What It Means to Be a Dentist."

During the latter part of the summer Dr. Blauch taught in the Summer School of the University of Maryland. This is the thirteenth summer he has taught in the University.

E. J. Camp, 28, was granted the degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of Chicago at the June Convocation. The subject of Dr. Camp's dissertation was "The Motion of the Unsymmetric Top." Dr. and Mrs. Camp and Evelyn Mae reside at Yankton, South Dakota, where Dr. Camp is professor of mathematics in Yankton College.

Stella Kauffman, 34, assistant librarian at Goshen College in 1934-35, is taking a course in library science at the University of Illinois.

Professor and Mrs. S. M. King (Nellie Zook, 27), formerly of Hesston, Kansas, reside at Upland, Indiana, where Professor King temporarily teaches psychology at Taylor University. Professor and Mrs. King are under appointment to the India Mission field under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

Dr. Silas Hertzler, 15, and Dr. M. C. Lehman, 04, attended the Indiana State Teachers Convention at Indianapolis, October 17-19. Miss Lydia Shenk, 31, and Miss Olive Wyse, 26, and a group of home economics majors drove to Indianapolis for the sectional meetings on October 17.

Several members of the faculty attended the Northern Indiana State Teachers Convention at South Bend, October 17-19.

Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Miller, 27 (Ada E. Smith, x28) and family have moved to Normal, Illinois, where Dr. Miller is professor of biological science in the State Teachers College.

Jacob Swartzendruber, x36, of Keota, Iowa, was graduated from the University of Iowa with the degree B.A. on August 22. Mr. Swartzendruber is teaching at Keota, Iowa.

E. LaVerne Yoder, 34, of 1139 South Eighth St., Goshen, was granted the master's degree by the University of Iowa on August 22. The subject of her thesis was "Bacon's Employment of Allusions and Figures of Speech in the Essays." Miss Yoder is teaching composition to a section of Goshen College freshmen and is registered in the College for fourteen hours of home economics.

Tillman H. Erb, 27, of Swink, Colorado, was granted his M.A. in August, 1935, by the University of Colorado. The subject of his thesis was "Viewpoints of Social Studies Teachers in Colorado."

Virgil Weaver who was graduated from the six year course of the Winter Bible Term in February 1934 was ordained to the ministry in the Yellow Creek congregation near Goshen on October 6.

C. B. Shoemaker, secretary-treasurer of the Mennonite Publishing House, attended the Iowa-Nebraska Conference at Manson, Iowa, during the first week of August.

John C. Wenger, 34, of Telford, Pa., delivered an address on "Conrad Grebel and the Swiss Brethren Movement" before the fifth annual meeting of the historical society of the Franconia Conference district held on the 253rd anniversary of the first Mennonite immigration to America. The meeting was held in the Souderton Mennonite Church at Souderton, Pa., on Saturday, October 8. Mr. Wenger, a student at Westminster Theological Seminary, was asked to postpone a year of study in order to edit and write the history of the Franconia Mennonite Conference in co-operation with John D. Souder and other local historians.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leatherman, x28, of Doylestown, Pa., released for mission work in Africa, are doing mission work among the negroes of Philadelphia.

Orie J. Eigsti, 31, was granted the degree of doctor of philosophy by the University of Illinois in June. His dissertation detailed the result of chromosome studies of some members of the Resedaceae. Dr. Eigsti is doing research work for the department of genetics of the Carnegie Institution of Washington located at Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, New York. His special research is in the genetics of virilis, a species of the fruit fly. Dr. Eigsti prefers teaching to research work. Don't some of you administrators

need a botany specialist, a science teacher and a coach for basketball and track, a curly-headed, clear-eyed lad about five foot-ten or eleven, popular with young people, and possessed of a fine Christian idealism? In his senior year at Goshen College he set marks in the high jump, broad jump, and pole vault that Goshen men have not been able to equal since.

WATSONIAN BEHAVIORISM

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the soothsayer of the village, the God—Jehovah." ... "This accounts for the hold religion and superstition have on human life." ... "No one has ever touched the soul, or has seen one in a test tube, or has in any way, come into relationship with it as he has with other objects of his daily experience."

Watson is consistently logical in his denial of such entities as the soul and God, after taking a position by which consciousness, purpose, perception and will are not real. But again we ask shall the witness of such saints as Augustine, Thomas á Kempis, Zavier and Lattimer as to their experience of God and this as a motivation to heroic sacrifice and achievement, go as irrelevant?

It is not likely that the fact, which can be historically proved, that man sooner or later in widely separate situations, both as an individual and as a group, arrives at a conception of God, is without its objective counterpart.

The educational value of Watson's experiments as to the sensory and motor reactions of the human physique have shown conclusively that these can be used to a much greater degree than heretofore in the educative process. Further that the process of conditioning dependent in turn on the factors of frequency and recency needs to be much more fully realized and used in modern education.

His mistake lies in undertaking a program of explaining too many of the phenomena of life by his findings in neural psychology. His theories will not finally upset any vital theory on which human welfare is dependent. The temporary disturbance is already showing signs of abating.

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A STATEMENT OF CONDITIONS — A NEED — AND A PLAN

O. O. Miller, '15

On June 10, 1925, the combined total debts of Hesston College, Goshen College, and the Mennonite Board of Education were slightly over $14,000.00. During the following seven years Hesston met a series of unforeseen reverses, resulting in a change of administration, a curtailment of offerings, and a consequent severe drop in student enrollment. These changes brought with them further heavy deficits. At Goshen there were similar handicaps resultant from induction of a new administration and major changes in policy. This resulted financially in a combined debt (now all held by the Board of Education) by September 1, 1932, of about $89,000.00. It is, however, only fair to add that during this period the schools' Annuity and Endowment totals were raised to about $150,000.00 (the September 1, 1935, total being $155,116.44).

Since September 1, 1932, the schools have been required to operate without a deficit—and through great sacrifice on the part of the teachers at both schools have not only done this but during the two past years have reported small gains. Current donations from interested congregations and friends also helped in these results, and in keeping school plants and equipment in good condition. During the most recent fiscal year the net increase in Board-School assets has been over $7,000.00. May the Lord bless each one whose sacrifice or gift was given in His name to this cause.

Both schools show a substantial increase this year in student enrollment. The urgency of making available to the school a larger portion of the income from endowment, instead of using it for debt service, is increasingly clear. The Board's Executive Committee considered this problem at its October 25 session and decided that existing needs in our schools make imperative, and better financial conditions among the constituency warrant, an early appeal through our congregations for funds to reduce the aforementioned debt. The Financial Agent was asked to write this brief statement of conditions and plan, and to arrange with those within the schools for contact with the churches.

During the coming year, then, it is hoped that those who have been contributing to the current year's expenses will continue these gifts this year as usual. The Board or school officials will also appreciate the offerings of any who feel to give to the Endowment or Annuity funds (net income to Board and Schools from total such funds during past year was about 5½%. Annuity contracts carry rates as approved by Inter-Board Committee of General Conference.) However, the main effort of the coming year will be directed towards a material reduction in the Board's indebtedness. In due time all the congregations will be personally approached regarding this need.

Executive Committee, Mennonite Board of Education,
Orie O. Miller, Fin. Agt.

PEACE WITNESS OF MENNONITE YOUNG PEOPLE

John Umble, '01

Certain present conditions show the necessity for peace teaching and for awareness regarding the problem of maintaining a peace attitude. Even in America hundreds of millions of dollars are being expended in perfecting the greatest peace-time war machine that America has ever known. Even those who are loudest in proclaiming the need for peace have no correct concept of a genuine peace program. Some actually demand a gigantic military machine to guarantee peace. Their labors for peace take the form of preparedness for, and a denunciation of, war. Some of those who labor at the peace problem carry the idea one step further to advocate a strong league of nations with sufficient police authority to enforce peace in the world. These would enforce peace at the point of the bayonet.

In sharp contrast to these pacifists are those groups which make peace an essential part of their religious program. Standing aloof from denunciation of war on the one hand and a program of enforced peace on the other they recognize no foundation for permanent peace except the love of God in the heart of man. Their simple faith accepts unquestioned the words of Jesus when He said, "Ye must be born again," and they believe that He meant what He said when He gave the command, "Love your enemies." It is surprising how small a number of so-called peace leaders believe in such a program of Christian peace. They simply do not believe that peace is practicable or possible. They are more interested in discussing the insidiousness of propaganda or the horrors of war or the selfishness of the munition manufacturers than a genuine program of peace.

One reason for the failure of most peace propagandists to make a contribution to our peace thinking, is that they do not have a proper background, what one might call a peace heritage of faith and practice. Such a heritage is what gives potency to the peace witness of Mennonite young people. For four hundred years Mennonites have stood for peace. Instead of being hampered by a background in which fighting and killing are recognized as a legal measure for self-defense, and in which war as an accepted method for the protection of national honor is taken for granted, they have been instructed to love all men and to do harm to none. Hence, because their peace testimony is the accumulated experience of four hundred years of practicing peace, Mennonite young people are peculiarly qualified for witnessing for peace and living the principles of the Prince of Peace.

Deeply interested as Mennonites have always been in true peace, they have never joined forces with the various pacifistic groups. Failure of Mennonites to participate in these so-called peace programs has not been due to an egotistic self-complacency or to a callous apathy toward hearts bleeding, firesides broken, and bright hopes shattered by the war-god. But they have uniformly regarded the various pacifistic movements as lacking the Christian dynamic, the true Christian emphasis demanded by the program of Jesus Christ for His followers. And for this reason they have kept aloof.

The time of the year has arrived on Goshen College campus when decisions will be made to enter or not to enter the two peace contests supported by Goshen College. Participation in these contests, the reading of peace material, the writing and delivery of an oration, should be the means of helping the contestants to clarify their own thinking and to organize peace material for popular presentation. The experience of participants in previous contests has shown that such participation is likely to make

for a stronger advocacy of peace and of peace teaching and for a clearer understanding of the Gospel teaching on peace.

Much needs to be done in clearer thinking on the peace question. Many of the implications of the Mennonite peace testimony have never been carefully studied. What, for instance, should be our attitude as Christians toward attempting to influence governmental policies relating to such subjects as war and peace? How much can we as Mennonites expect to influence the thinking of other denominations on the subject of peace? What peace-time activity should the Mennonite Church carry on to prove to our own and to other governments that our young men refuse to go to war because they love their fellowmen and not because they fear death at the front?

One important phase of this peace witness seems to be overlooked by some Mennonite young people as well as by their parents and church leaders. Thoughtless attendance of young Mennonites at schools where military training is compulsory or where the spirit of the history and philosophy departments is strongly militaristic or merely pacifistic should give Mennonite leaders genuine concern. By attending Mennonite schools young Mennonites and other young Christians do two things: they gain a fuller knowledge and deeper appreciation of a fundamental Christian doctrine that the world needs, and they contribute to the growth and efficiency of the institutions that study and inculcate this doctrine. Attendance at our church colleges should train Mennonite youth to give a more intelligent peace testimony by placing him in an atmosphere where his natural peace heritage can serve as a basis for further study in, and more devoted practice of, the faith of his fathers. The World War, the new interest in education, the growing recognition for the need of a vital Christianity, places the young Mennonite of the twentieth century at a new vantage point in the history of his church. New intellectual forces are at work, wider spiritual horizons spread out before him, a new sense of opportunity and responsibility surges in upon him. Given a background for understanding the Gospel message of peace, a heritage of martyrdom and faith in the example of his forefathers and a new vision of his heritage in the light of present-day needs, the young Mennonite of the twentieth century stands in a strategic position for carrying forward the torch of a true testimony for peace.

One more phase of the peace witness of Mennonite youth requires brief discussion. Mennonites were criticized during the late World War for refusing to leave lucrative positions, pleasant homes, dear friends, to die in the trenches. The criticism is hard to meet in actual war-time. Conscience or no conscience it is difficult for one mother to see her son leave home to die for his country while another mother's son is furloughed out of camp to pick apples or to husk corn or to raise more wheat to feed the country's armies. The logic of the situation seems to demand that those who refuse to fight when their country is at war should meet the involuntary sacrifice of those who are drafted to kill their enemies, with a voluntary sacrifice fully as heroic for the civilian relief of human suffering. During the last war, our boys showed heroism equal to that of any other boys; but because the Church had ready no program of alternative service, their heroism, great as it was, appeared to many uninformed persons as mere stubborn refusal or cowardly fear to go to the front. The boys begged to be put to work in any civilian capacity however hazardous and eventually many of them, even some who had not been drafted, enlisted for reconstruction work under the Reconstruction Unit of the Society of Friends or in Near-East Relief. Before the end of the war a Mennonite unit with a trained personnel and excellent support by Mennonite communities and others was engaged in relief work in Russia and another unit was ready for work in Germany. Should not some such work be continued in peace time so that

a trained personnel and active organization for relief of distress could be offered to the government as soon as war breaks out? Should the American Mennonite Church not have such a unit at work in Ethiopia or Eritrea right now? Would not a consistent witness for peace and good will demand that good will be shown in relief of distress in peace time as well as in war time? And would not the constant, consistent support of such a program be a better answer to the war-time cry of "slacker" or "yellow-back" than mere refusal to carry a gun or wear a soldier's uniform when war breaks out? Please observe that I am asking questions. All the implications of such a program may not be clear to me, but it is my firm conviction that the subject of alternative service deserves careful consideration and full, open, immediate discussion. The burden for planning and organizing such a unit rests on older shoulders to be sure, but service in such a unit would be essentially the task of youth. Set periods of service, say three years, either voluntary or conscripted, would serve both to keep a unit in peace time alive and to train an increasing number of young people who would be available in war time to organize and lead the necessary number of units to enable all young men of draft age to serve humanity in a civilian capacity. Such a program would have its dangers. Its purpose should be a definite Christian witness and its organization closely guarded by General Conference. So far as the writer knows no other peace-time activity has yet been suggested to demonstrate the consistency of the Mennonite position in time of war.

As a prerequisite to the discussion of such a program, students of peace problems need to make a careful study of reconstruction projects during the World War. So far as I know, no such study has been made and much important material remains to be gathered. It should be collected, recorded and given wide publicity. Another very useful study would be the war-time attitude of Mennonites toward purchase of government bonds floated for war purposes, alternative methods of government support, and of the effect of war-time persecution on the loyalty of old and young Mennonites to the principles of the Church. To what extent did World War experiences convince Mennonites of the soundness of their position? The mistakes as well as the triumphs of the Mennonite witness during the World War should be collected and recorded for the warning and instruction of oncoming generations. During the World War and after its close a frequent remark was, "This must not happen again. These mistakes must be recorded for the benefit of future young Mennonites. The next war must not catch us unprepared." But how soon we forget our good resolutions. Thorough study of the peace witness of young Mennonites in the present and future should include realistic, honest research on war-time peace testimony of Mennonites.

A final word of caution—a word which the writer hopes is unnecessary—would seem to have a place in a conscientious discussion of the peace witness, not only of Mennonite young people but of every follower of Jesus. The Christian's peace testimony is not something separate and apart from his Christian testimony in thought, word and deed. To attempt to promote a peace witness as something distinct from the larger field of Christian life would be like attempting to cultivate one of the branches of an apple tree apart from the tree. Important and desirable as peace is, indispensable even, to a completely rounded Christian life and experience, it is after all only one of the fruits of the Spirit. As one of the fruits of the Spirit and as an evidence of regeneration, it takes rank with, not above or below, love, joy, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, self-control (Gal. 5: 22). Whoever seeks to build a peace program on any other foundation than the love of God in the regenerated heart of man is leaning on a broken stick.

This brief paper has attempted to show the need for a peace witness and to point out some ways in which a peace witness may be given. Nations avowedly peaceful and avowedly preparing for peace, are in reality preparing for war on the most gigantic scale known in the history of the world. One discouraging feature of the war situation is that many so-called peace agencies attack the problem superficially or negatively. But Mennonite youth is peculiarly fitted by background, training, and conviction to promote a true peace witness through study and research, through the spoken and written word, through peace-time organization for relief of war-time distress and last, but certainly not least, in living the Sermon on the Mount in all the relationships of life. For after all, a Christian peace witness is nothing more nor less than proclaiming the love of God to men of every nation and testifying to the power of His Spirit in implanting the spirit of Jesus in the hearts of His redeemed followers.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

The March issue of the *News-Letter* will be mailed early in February. The officers of the Association have an important message for you which they are particularly eager to get into your hands.

Does some alumnus wish to encourage the undergraduates to think, write and speak on "Peace?" If so, why not donate one or more prizes to be offered to contestants in the peace oratorical contests held on the campus? The College sponsors two contests, one open to upper classmen and one open only to freshmen.

Since the size and format of the NEWS-LETTER has been changed the editor desires to bind all the issues of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER up to and including January 1935. The following issues are missing from the editor's files: May and August 1929, May, July, and December 1930, April and July 1931, and January 1934. If anyone can spare these numbers will you kindly communicate with the editor.

The treasurer states that he still needs something like $100 to complete payments on the printing of the 1935 DIRECTORY. We are sure that it will not be necessary to urge you to pay your alumni dues if you know that the treasurer really needs the money. It has been the policy of the alumni office to send the NEWS-LETTER and copies of the two DIRECTORIES so far published, to all alumni regardless of whether or not they have paid their dues. It may be necessary to discontinue this policy in the near future. It does not seem fair that those who pay their dues regularly should carry the burden of publishing a NEWS-LETTER for those who do not pay their dues. More and more of the alumni of Goshen College are taking seriously the slogan of the Association "Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year." But there is still a somewhat too large percentage of the membership that has not learned to consider seriously the responsibility of an alumnus to his college. Printer's ink and paper cost money. The work involved in editing and publishing the NEWS-LETTER is cheerfully donated. But is it any more than fair that the alumni office should expect alumni to pay the expense of printing?

The advisory board is presenting in this issue of the NEWS-LETTER two articles that they feel may be of interest to alumni. The article by O. O. Miller 15, financial agent of the Mennonite Board of Education and chairman of the Administrative committee of Goshen College, is reprinted from the columns of the GOSPEL HERALD, official organ of the Mennonite General Conference. The second article is a summary of an address delivered by Professor Umble before the first monthly meeting of the Goshen College Peace Society.

ANNUAL DUES

The treasurer reports that the following have paid their annual dues since the last issue of the NEWS-LETTER was published.

M. C. Lehman 15, Goshen; Harold Bender 18, Goshen, $2.00; Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Good 21 22, Columbus, Ohio; Agnes Anderson x23, Chicago, Illinois, $2.00; Mrs. Oscar Groh x23, 12380 Roselawn Ave., Detroit, Michigan, $2.00; Olive Wyse 26, Goshen; J. C. Fretz 30, Baden, Ontario, $2.00; Gladys Burkhart 32, P. O. Box 1643, Knoxville, Tenn., $2.00; Mrs. Clifford Mann x32, Elkhart, Indiana; Dorothy Detweiler 33, West Liberty, Ohio; Edward Raber x33, Elkhart, Indiana; Idella Zuercher 34, Dalton, Ohio; G. A. Haberstick x35, Goshen; Rollin Krabill 35, Louisville, Ohio; Ferne L. Miller x35, Millersburg, Ohio; Edith Witmer, Elizabethtown, Pa.

ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

The following is a list of the alumni who have contributed to the annual expense fund for 1935-36. The number and the amount is smaller than it has been in some years but the annual appeal was sent out late and no doubt the number of contributors and the amount contributed will be trebled or quadrupled in the near future.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Good 08, 342 20th Ave., Columbus, Ohio; Dr. Chas. O. Hershey 14, Chicago, Illinois; Wm. E. Landis 14, Sterling, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Miller 15 (Elta Wolf 12), Akron, Pa.; Dr. S. E. Yoder 16, Lancaster, Pa.; Irvin Bauman 19, Columbiana, Ohio; E. A. Meyer 20, Biglerville, Pa.; James Hostetler 21, Middlefield, Ohio; Agnes Anderson x23, 430 South Ashland Ave., Chicago, Illinois; Dr. Jonathan G. Yoder 27, North Lima, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker 23, West Liberty, Ohio; Jay H. Eberly 28, Germano, Ohio; Dr. C. K. Bender 29, Goshen; Mrs. Emma Rohrer 32, Smithville, Ohio; Linus Eigsti 33, Tiskilwa, Ill.; Leona B. Yoder 33, West Liberty, Ohio; Ross L. Gerber 33, Sugarcreek, Ohio; Evan C. Amstutz x33, Dalton, Ohio; Agnes Aschliman 35, Wauseon, Ohio; Ferne L. Miller x35, Millersburg, Ohio.

CAMPUS NOTES

President and Mrs. Sanford C. Yoder attended the special convocation at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana, on December 9 when the Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Jose Rumolo from the Philippines. The months of November and December have been busy ones for President Yoder. In addition to his duties at the College he filled preaching appointments at the Chicago Mission on two Sundays, officiated at communion services at Kouts, Indiana, attended the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities and spoke at the Shore Church on Sunday evening, December 15. President Yoder spent part of the Christmas vacation at Garden City, Missouri, where he was one of the instructors in a young people's institute.

Dean Harold S. Bender attended the annual conference of the Dutch Mennonite Peace Conference at Elspeet, Holland, September 1, 1935. He was appointed a member of the Preparatory Commission for the Mennonite World Conference to be held at Amsterdam, Holland, in July, 1936, and attended two meetings of the Commission, in May and September, at Amsterdam, Holland. He returned from Germany on the S. S. "Ilstenstein" arriving at Goshen on October 6 and resumed teaching and office work next day.

Dean Bender has attended the following meetings: Mennonite Central Committee, Newton, Kansas, November 2, 1935; Conference of Historic Peace Churches at Newton, Kansas, October 31 to November 2, 1935, as a delegate of the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference; the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference, at Goshen, January 4, at which meeting he was elected chairman of the Committee.

He gave addresses on various phases of current conditions in Germany at the following places since his return from Germany: Goshen College Chapel, Oct. 11; College Vesper Service, Oct. 13; Elkhart Industrial Club, Oct. 21; Northern Indiana Superintendents Association, Nov. 15; International Friendship Club, Elkhart, Oct. 14; South Bend Educational Club, Dec. 9; Elkhart County Teachers Institute, Dec. 14; Goshen Rotary Club; Nappanee Kiwanis Club; Topeka Lions Club; Concord High School Assembly; Milford M. E. Church; Scottdale Mennonite Church, Scottdale, Pa. He is scheduled to address the Elkhart Federation of Church Women, Jan. 17, 1936, on "The Christian Spirit in International Relations."

Dean Bender's manuscript, "Old Testament Law and Prophecy," will be published January 15, 1936 as Unit I of the Bible Survey Course of the Elementary Teacher Training Course of the Mennonite Church, published by Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, Pa., as a 100-page manual.

The business manager made trips to Illinois, Iowa and Ohio during November and December in the interests of the College. He reports the usual good interest in Goshen College. At present he is laying plans to be brought before the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education in February looking toward a canvass of all the congregations in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Southwestern Pennsylvania and Ontario during the calendar year of 1936 for liquidating the debt of Goshen College. Since the College has operated without a deficit for the last four years, the next step is to liquidate this debt. When this is done the present endowment of $100,000 becomes effective for the College and can then be increased. In a recent statement, Mr. Graber said, "The outlook for Goshen College is at present much brighter than it has been at any time during the twelve years I have been connected with the College."

Professor D. A. Lehman who except for short periods has been an active member of the Goshen College faculty ever since the fall of 1906 has resigned as professor of mathematics and astronomy. His resignation has been accepted and he has been made professor emeritus. He is suffering from pernicious anemia and has been undergoing treatment at the Goshen City Hospital under the care of Dr. Floyd S. Martin. A blood transfusion just before Christmas has enabled him to rally and his condition at present is improving.

Professor Paul Bender, professor of physics, who had taken charge of Professor Lehman's classes, suffered painful injuries while skiing north of Goshen during the Christmas vacation. He will be unable to conduct his classes for five or six weeks. During his illness Merle D. Hartzler 32 33, will substitute for him.

Professor and Mrs. Umble attended the annual convention of the National Council of Teachers of English held at the Claypool Hotel at Indianapolis, November 28-30 and the annual convention of the National Association of Teachers of Speech at the Stevens Hotel, Chicago, December 30, 31 and January 1.

WINTER BIBLE TERM

Forty-odd students enrolled for the Winter Bible term continuing from January 3, to February 14. Bishop D. A. Yoder x09 is principal. I. W. Royer 00 of Orrville, Ohio, is also a full time teacher. C. F. Yake of Scottdale, Pa., editor of the YOUTH'S CHRISTIAN COMPANION will teach Summer Bible Schools and Young People's Activities.

GOSHEN COLLEGE PEACE SOCIETY

A society organized especially for the study of peace and non-resistance and for the promotion of interest in these subjects has been organized on the campus. Students and faculty are eligible for membership. Carl Kreider 36, Wadsworth, Ohio, was elected president of the society. Dr. Guy F. Hershberger was elected chairman of the board of ten directors, six students and four faculty members, who have general charge of work of the society. The organization is interested in peace education, in the founding of a peace library and in research on peace subjects, and looks forward to writing and publishing research studies on such subjects as "Mennonite Youth in Reconstruction Projects" and "Mennonite Testimony for Peace During the World War." At a recent meeting of the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference, the members of that committee set aside fifty dollars to purchase peace literature for the society.

THE BIBLE CIRCLE

John E. Coffman 33 34, is president; Leland Bachman 39, vice-president; Welma Graber, secretary-treasurer; and Professor I. E. Burkhart, faculty adviser, of a new organization consisting of the students enrolled in any Bible curriculum offered by the College, those who are majoring in Bible and the Bible School faculty. The organization plans to have monthly meetings.

ANNUAL HOMECOMING

Alumni who could not be present at the 1935 Homecoming missed one of the outstanding occasions of the year. A Thanksgiving service by President Sanford C. Yoder, a Thanksgiving dinner with over a dozen huge turkeys donated by Mr. Gingerich, Iowa's turkey king, and a Bach-Handel program by the College Choruses, directed by Professor Walter E. Yoder, were the features of the first day's events. The after-dinner program was an interesting and happy occasion. Dr. Jonathan Yoder 27 of North Lima, Ohio, was toastmaster. Carolyn Lehman 34, Levi Hartzler 35, and Dr. Floyd S. Martin 29, toasted briefly in their well-known happy vein. The occasion was further enlivened with a solo by Jack Frey 33 and several selections by last year's College Quartette, Roy Umble 35, Richard Yoder, 37, Raymond Troyer 36, and William Friesen 37. On Friday regular classes were discontinued at 3:20 for the annual basketball contests. The varsity women and the alumni men won. In the evening Arthur Kallet, co-author of "100,000,000 Guinea Pigs" satisfied an overflow audience with his lecture on "The Great American Guinea Pig." Saturday was spent in reunions of various sorts. The Avon-Vesperian Literary Societies entertained at a tea in Kulp Hall Social Room at four and the day closed with the Homecoming social including a program of varied numbers in Kulp Hall Dining Room in the evening. Sunday school Sunday morning, the morning sermon by Dr. M. C. Lehman, and a Vesper address by Dr. J. N. Mantey, professor of New Testament at the Northern

Baptist Seminary, at Chicago, Illinois, presented a fitting close to four happy days of inspiration and Christian fellowship.

REUNION OF EASTERN ALUMNI

Report of the reunion of Eastern alumni reached the editor's desk too late for the November issue of the NEWS-LETTER. The reunion was held at Arendtsville Park, Arendtsville, Pa., about fifteen miles northwest of Gettysburg on August 3. One hundred and twenty-five attended. Two of the "oldest" alumni were Mr. and Mrs. A. Metzler Hess 06 (Miss Anna H. Kauffman 04). Howard Y. Musselman 29 gave the welcome address. Each person present introduced himself by rising and giving his name, location, business, and class year. Special music was rendered by a male quartette directed by Harley Hunsicker 31. Short talks were given by Dr. Solomon E. Yoder 16, Dr. Albert Hershberger 26, Delmar Hershberger 27, and Paul Mininger 34. O. O. Miller 15 gave the address of the afternoon on "Goshen College." He substituted for President Sanford C. Yoder who was unable to attend on account of the summer convocation at Goshen. The group decided enthusiastically to continue the reunion and voted to meet next year at the same place.

COLLEGE GOSPEL TOURS

During the Christmas vacation two gospel teams composed of college students made trips through Indiana, Illinois, and Iowa, visiting Mennonite churches. The one team with Carl Kreider of Wadsworth, Ohio, as leader and Raymond Troyer, West Liberty, Ohio, as chorister, included the college quartette composed of Raymond Troyer; Dwight Weldy, Wakarusa; Richard Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio; and William Friesen, India; and the following speakers; Don Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Waldo Lehman, Goshen; John Duerksen, Colorado; and Lester Hershey, Argentina. The other team was captained by Ivan Lind 35 of Albany, Oregon, with Karl Massanari, Fisher, Illinois, as chorister. The speakers on this team were Lloyd Conrad, Louisville, Ohio; Paul Yoder, Hubbard, Oregon; and Timothy Brenneman, Elida, Ohio.

WEDDING BELLS

On August 13, 1935, at the home of the bride's parents near Archbold, Ohio, occurred the marriage of Willard G. Richer 34, of Wauseon to Clara Short, Bishop Edwin B. Frey, officiating.

Fred Stalter x34, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stalter of Elida, Ohio, and Mary Heatwole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heatwole were united in marriage December 25, Maurice O'Connell officiating.

On December 18 Joseph Good x33 and Mildred Zehr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Zehr, both members of the East Bend Mennonite Church were united in marriage, Bishop J. A. Heiser officiating.

The parents of Fred E. Priser 09, 813 South Seventh St., Goshen, (Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Priser of Dewey Ave.) celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on December 12.

Dr. Ernst Correll, associate professor of economics in the University Graduate School, Washington D. C., former instructor of economics and German at Goshen College, and Miss Alice Brown, Ph.D., archivist in the State Department, Washington, D. C., were united in marriage at Hagerstown, Md., on December 27. They are residing in Washington D. C.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Smucker x35 of West Liberty, Ohio, are the parents of a daughter, Mary Louise, born at Mary Rutan Hospital, Bellefontaine, on December 19.

A son, James Ward, was born at Goshen Hospital, November 29, 1935 to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Broyles (Hazel Welty x23) of Fairmount, Indiana.

Virginia Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Pletcher 21 29, of Topeka, Indiana, was born December 15.

Richard Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neff (Margaret Bates x33) 207 North Eighth Street, Goshen, was born October 27.

Phyllis Ellen, daughter of Professor and Mrs. Samuel A. Yoder 28 (Ethel Oyer x30) of Bloomington, Indiana, was born November 15.

NECROLOGY

Ruth Yoder Shank, daughter of Charles L. 10 14 and the late Crissie (Yoder) Shank 13, was born in Dhamtari, C. P., India, Feb. 25, 1916, and died Nov. 29, 1935. She was a member of the Orrville, Ohio, Mennonite Church. She leaves her father, three brothers, Paul, Ernest, and David, and three sisters, Mary, Esther, and Lois.

Samuel E. Weaver 11, aged 54, died at his home south of Goshen on November 16. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Weaver and was born near Nappanee. He was a member of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church. He was a brother of John E. Weaver 14, of Goshen, Rev. William Weaver 14, of Danvers, Illinois, and Mrs. Earl Salzman (Vinora Weaver 14 18) of Topeka and the father of Mrs. Leonard Kreider (Rachel 31) of Columbus, Ohio, and of Stahley x28 of Goshen.

Lois (Graybill) Fuss was born at Scottdale, Pennsylvania, June 6, 1911, died November 16, 1935. On June 6, 1934, she was married to Donald K. Fuss x34 of Lancaster, Pa. She is survived by her husband and an infant daughter, Janet Dawn.

Minnie (Hess) Moore, wife of Howard E. Moore x08 died October 20, 1935 at the St. Joseph Hospital, Lancaster, Pa., aged 45 years. She was the mother of Floyd 28.

John J. Fisher, born July 29, 1847, in Tippecanoe county, Indiana, died near Wellman, Iowa, November 6, 1935. He was united in marriage to Amelia Shetler, November 4, 1875, who died November 11, 1881. In 1883 he married Elizabeth Brenneman. They were the parents of Mary 09 (Mrs. Curtis Ziegler) Aberdeen, South Dakota, and Professor John J. Fisher, Jr. 10 13, of Bloomsburg, Pa.

Anna, daughter of John and Esther (Newswanger) Wenger was born February 27, 1847, in Lancaster, Pa., died at the home of her daughter December 12, 1935. On New Year's day 1874 she was united in marriage to Daniel Christophel. She was the mother of Wesley Christophel 03 Elkhart, Indiana, and the grandmother of Lois Christophel 39.

Sophronia Elizabeth Hummel was born October 2, 1861, near Millersburg, Ohio, to William and Martha (Gonser) Hummel and died December 16, 1935. On January 12, 1882 she was married to Noah E. Miller. She was the mother of Ursula x08 (Mrs. S. Enos Miller) of Protection, Kansas, and Lewis C. x09 of Manitou, Colorado.

Bishop John M. Shenk was born in Hocking County, Ohio, January 19, 1848, and died December 19, 1935, near Elida, Ohio. He was ordained to the ministry at the age of twenty-six and was ordained bishop ten years later. Seven sons and one daughter, fifty-six grandchildren and twenty-nine great-grand-

children survive him. Many of his grandchildren and great-grandchildren are alumni. He was the grandfather of Miss Lydia Shenk of the College faculty.

PERSONALS

Glen S. Kropf 22 principal of Riley High School, South Bend, is president of the Northern Indiana High School Athletic Association.

Elsie Shank 34 arrived at Buenos Aires on October 29. She is the first second-generation Mennonite missionary to arrive on the field.

C. J. Holaway 28 was re-elected superintendent of the North Mennonite Sunday School at Nappanee, Indiana, on October 29.

Edwin J. Yoder x09 pastor of the Maple Grove Mennonite Church at Topeka, Indiana, was ordained bishop on November 3. Bishop D. D. Miller and J. S. Hartzler, pastor of the Mennonite congregation at Elkhart, Indiana, officiated at the ordination services.

Albert C. Yoder, Jr., x35 son of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Yoder, 816 South Sixth Street, has been elected vice-president of the freshman class at Indiana University Dental School.

Dr. John M. Kauffman x24 addressed the Northeastern Indiana Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons on "Proctology" at their meeting at the Y. M. C. A. in Fort Wayne on November 21.

Dr. W. B. Christophel 02 of Mishawaka is councillor for the Thirteenth District Medical Society of Indiana.

Janet Miller x36 is a stenographer in the National Bank of Goshen.

Roy Umble 35 instructor in the Hooppole, Illinois, High School attended the annual convention of the National Council of Teachers of English held in the Claypool Hotel in Indianapolis, Indiana, November 28-30, and the annual convention of the National Association of Teachers of Speech held at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago, December 30, 31 and January 1.

Dr. Lloyd E. Blauch 16, executive secretary of the Curriculum Survey Committee of the American Association of Dental Schools, has donated to the college library his most recent book, Bulletin, 1933, No. 15, of the Bureau of Education of the United States Department of the Interior. This book of three hundred pages is entitled *Federal Co-operation in Agricultural Extension Work, Vocational Education, and Vocational Rehabilitation.*

James N. Kaufman 17 of Peoria, Illinois, is one of the instructors for the two-weeks Bible school held at the Howard-Miami Church near Kokomo, Indiana, Jan. 20-31. Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman have charge of the Pleasant Hill congregation near Morton, Illinois.

President Sanford C. Yoder, Bishop Joseph D. Hartzler, x12 of Gridley, Ill., and Professor Walter E. Yoder 13 33 of Goshen College assisted in the Young People's Institute at Garden City, Missouri, Jan. 25-29.

Mahlon O. Krabill 19 22 and Rollin W. Krabill 35 were elected superintendents of the Beech Sunday School near Louisville, Ohio, on Sunday, December 1. Alvin W. Schloneger x32 is one of the choristers.

Ira Miller x08 was elected superintendent of the Middlebury, Indiana, Mennonite Sunday school on December 18.

Samuel S. Miller 32 and Charles Gardner 38 were elected superintendents of the Clinton Brick Sunday school, east of Goshen, on December 13.

Dr. Lillie F. Shenk 20 writes an interesting article on her work in Africa in the Mission Supplement of the *Gospel Herald,* issue of January 2, 1936.

Dr. Floyd S. Martin 29, resident surgeon in the Metropolitan Hospital in New York City for the past year, has purchased the office and surgical equipment of the late Dr. J. A. Snapp and now occupies the East Lincoln Avenue office formerly occupied by Dr. Snapp.

C. Warren Long 23 29, superintendent of the Peoria Mennonite Mission, was director of the Illinois Sunday School Normal held at the Science Ridge Church near Sterling, Illinois, Dec. 26—Jan. 1. I. W. Royer 00 pastor of the Orrville, Ohio, Mennonite congregation, was one of the instructors.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Yoder (Esther M. Lehman 08 14) have moved from Harper, Kansas, to Leetonia, Ohio. At the fall counsel meeting of the Mahoning-Columbiana congregations Mr. Yoder was accepted as one of the ministers and he was assigned to the Leetonia congregation.

James A. Steiner 32 and John E. Lehman 35 were elected superintendents of the Sunday school at North Lima, Ohio, on December 10. Wilma Lehman 33 is librarian and Ivan J. Lehman x09 is superintendent of the extension department.

On Sunday, December 15, Walter Oswald 15 21 and Paul S. Swope 31 were elected superintendents of the Midway Sunday school near Columbiana, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kauffman (Christmas Carol Miller x26) are enjoying their work in the Mennonite Mission at 2313 Market St., Hannibal, Missouri. Revival meetings conducted at the mission in December by Evangelist Neuhauser and a men's quartet from Hesston, Kansas, resulted in twenty conversions.

Among the instructors listed for the special Bible Term at E. M. S., Harrisonburg, Va., Jan. 2-Feb. 12, are Milton G. Vogt 27, India missionary on furlough; John E. Leatherman x28 and Paul E. Mininger 34, of Philadelphia; and E. G. Gehman x24, Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Dr. Orus R. Yoder 12 of Ypsilanti, Michigan, spoke before the Thirteenth District Indiana Medical Society at its annual meeting in Rochester, Indiana, on the subject "The Psychological Management of the Patient."

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jay Hostetler 23 of Dhamtari, India, plan to leave India about March 1, returning to America by way of the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Weaver 30 (Irene Lehman 32) arrived in India early in December. During their period of language study they will live with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunk at Dondi.

Jesse N. Smucker 18 of Smithville, Ohio, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Bethel College Mennonite Church, Newton, Kansas.

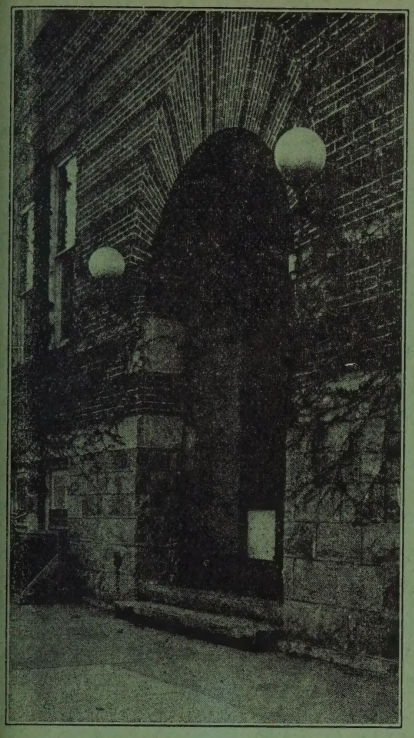
Rev. J. S. Pritchard x35 of Syracuse, Indiana, has been elected president of the Syracuse Ministerial Association.

Edwin Shantz of Hespeler, Ontario, who was a student at the Elkhart Institute during 1896-97, with S. M. Kanagy, spent some time on the campus visiting friends and renewing old acquaintances in November.

The DIRECTORY should have stated that Elizabeth Good x15 is the wife of Harry W. Hess, Mastersonville, Pa. They are the parents of Paul Hess, freshman at Goshen College who became a member of the College congregation by baptism on December 8.

A. Lorne Burkholder 35 is teaching a grade school in the northern Ontario gold mining section. His address is Shillington P. O., via Monteith, Ontario.

Geneva Kathryn Brunk x36 is now at home at 809 W. Miller, DeSoto, Missouri. This is also the address of Rev. Jacob B. Brunk.



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TWO YEAR PLAN

It is of utmost importance that our Alumni understand the problems of Goshen College and the proposed solutions. To this purpose we dedicate this issue of THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER. All of us should know the facts relating to the immediate financial situation of our College; the proposed college of two years hence; and what steps are being taken to bridge the gaps between now and then. We should also know what part each alumnus can play in helping to maintain the high standards of the college during this period and in following years.

Four years ago the College was faced with the necessity of discontinuing the ruinous practice of operating at a large deficit. At that time every possible precaution was taken to eliminate waste in operation and curtail actual expenses. After all this was done there was still a deficit. This deficit was erased by a reduction in instructors' salaries. In addition to these reductions, the faculty was faced by part payment of salaries with student notes and accounts. Last year it was necessary to pay 20% of instructors' salaries in student notes and accounts. This year and next year their pay envelopes may be found short or partly filled with promises which they cannot spend for their family necessities. This is a real problem for the College and the faculty families who are brought face to face with such a reality.

The Mennonite Board of Education at their meeting, Feb. 24, 1936, approved and instructed Goshen College to plan and execute a program to clear up the accumulated deficit of $50,000.00 during the next two years. This debt must be paid in order to release the earnings of endowment funds for operating expenses of the College. The task of organizing this drive has been definitely delegated to O. O. Miller, C. L. Graber and such assistants as they shall choose.

In addition to this the need of increasing the endowment fund must be constantly remembered. This fund should be increased from $10,000 to $25,000 yearly.

Business conditions have improved and we are justified in expecting these economic factors to be beneficial. We cannot, however, put off indefinitely the day of reckoning with accumulated deficits and reduced instructors' allowances.

To forget our accumulated deficit leaves our College with a heavy charge for debt service, and on a sandy financial foundation. To forget the needs of our faculty encourages our best faculty members to look elsewhere for assured livelihood and eventually will reduce the quality of instruction. It will not encourage men to better qualify themselves by getting Ph.D.'s and doing advance work in their respective fields.

We have good physical equipment. We have a good faculty, which numbers seven Ph.D.'s and one Th.D. and nine M.A.'s. Our most valued asset is our teaching force of high caliber men and women. We must not leave a stone unturned in an effort to hold these men and encourage others to qualify with the best of training for positions as they become open.

The more distant future of Goshen College seems to be well secured if we can surmount the problems which are so great a challenge during the coming two years.

Meanwhile, may we, with a spirit of courage, determine to shoulder our portion of this burden. May we resolve to push these obstacles to progress, off the future path of Goshen College.

To the question "What can we, as an alumni association, do?", may we suggest contributing $2000 to $2500 annually to the Goshen College current expense fund. This fund to be used to fill the pay envelopes of faculty members and to encourage those members to stay with the ship and ever better command.

We cannot give the faculty a binding contract to this effect. We cannot bind the alumni association. We can only ask each member to commit himself one year at a time to contribute a portion of this gift and together give some definite proof that we want a high quality of instruction to continue and that we are willing as far as we are able to contribute to such a two year plan. In this program every alumnus will certainly feel it his duty to contribute and help realize our slogan, "Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year."

The response to our December letter soliciting contribution to the general expense of Goshen College was not as good as in past years. We received to date only $708.00.

Of the loyalty of Goshen College Alumni there can be no question, but there is an inertia among all alumni everywhere that must be overcome if Goshen College is to get $2500 each year for two years from Alumni. No one would be expected to give more than he could afford to give. The size of the contributions will take care of themselves. The thing we must all concern ourselves with if this plan is to succeed, is the number of contributors.

The question seems to be: "Are there

2	Goshen	College	Alumni	who	will	give	$200=$400
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100	"	"	"	"	"	"	5= 500
or							
500	"	"	"	"	"	"	1= 500"

In other words are there 570 Goshen College Alumni who will contribute from $1.00 to $200 over a year's time, according to their means, to help Goshen College maintain their quality of instruction, while other friends of Goshen College are asked chiefly to liquidate the accumulated deficit of $50,000.00?

The answer may seem easy, but if each one (as we are all prone to do) lets our inhibited mind suggest a classmate for the task, we may fail.

May we count on you if you have not contributed to the Current Expense Fund since June 1, 1935?

Fraternally yours,
M. C. Lehman, '04, president,
Silas Hertzler, '13, secretary,
C. P. Martin, '27, treasurer.

In accordance with the slogan of the Association, "Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year," I desire to contribute $_____ to the current expense fund of Goshen College so that the "Two Year Plan" may be successfully consummated, and the high quality of instruction may be continuously maintained.

I inclose my check for $_____

I will pay on May 1, $_____

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GANDHI'S PROGRAM OF NON-VIOLENCE—A CRITICAL ESTIMATE FROM A CHRISTIAN POINT OF VIEW

M. C. Lehman, Ph.D.

It will be the purpose of this discussion to discover the factors which have motivated and guided M. K. Gandhi in his program of non-violent resistance to certain policies of England's administration in India, and his attempt to remedy certain defects within Hinduism. To do this it will be necessary to study the technique in the operation of Gandhi's program from its inception up to the present and to understand the sources from which it sprang. The general effect of his program on Indian life will need to be known. All these will need to be evaluated from a Christian point of view.

May we begin by noting Gandhi's own beliefs and assertions as to features of his own life which urged him to his program. In his paper *Young India* for November 5, 1925 Gandhi says the following about the connection of war and religion. This quotation is his answer to the question as to why he helped recruit men for the World War when he claimed to lead a campaign of non-violent resistance. "As a citizen not then and not even now, a reformer leading an agitation against the institution of war, I had to advise and lead men who believed in war but who from cowardice, or from base motives or from anger against the British Government refrained from enlisting. I did not hesitate to advise them that so long as they believed in war and professed loyalty to the British constitution they were in duty bound to support it by enlistment. Though I do not believe in the use of arms, and though it is contrary to the religion of *Ahimsa* which I profess, I should not hesitate to join an agitation for a repeal of the debasing arms act which I have considered among the blackest crimes of the British Government against India. I do not believe in retaliation but I did not hesitate to tell the villagers of Bettiah four years ago that they who knew nothing of Ahimsa were guilty of cowardice in failing to defend the honour of their women-folk and their property by force of arms. And I have not hesitated, as the correspondent should know, only recently to tell the Hindus that if they do not believe in out and out Ahimsa and cannot practice it, they will be guilty of a crime against their women and humanity if they fail to defend by force of arms the honour of their women against any kidnapper who chooses to take away their women."

Clarification of this quotation is necessary by translation and explanation of Gandhi's Sanskrit term Ahimsa. The explanation of this term will also give the religious setting for Gandhi's belief. The term Ahimsa as used here by Gandhi refers to "the ordinary Hindu, the Buddhist, the Jain and the Yoga systems of ethics whereby the doing of any harm of any kind to any being or life is regarded as sin." (Kashi Nagri Pracharni Sablia, Hindi Sbabd Sagar—Vol. 3, p. 201).

Gandhi here plainly indicates that the Hindu belief in Ahimsa or non-violence receives his personal religious allegiance. This doctrine of Ahimsa is mentioned in the early Vedic literature and becomes pronounced in expression in that section of the Mahabharata epic called the Bhagavad Gita. The Bhagavad Gita is the sacred Hindu writing from which many cultured Hindus draw their religious inspiration. It is held in high reverence by not a few non-Hindu people of the Occident. Gandhi once told me personally that the Bhagavad Gita was the source from which he drew his religious inspiration and that the Laws of Manu and the Gita were the combined source of his ethics. It may be safely concluded accordingly that the source of Gandhi's belief in non-violence is his own Hindu religious life which he bases on Hindu scripture. It is hardly fair to ascribe to him, as some observers have, purely political motives in promoting a campaign of non-violent resistance because of its peculiar adaptation to keep him and his followers free from the legal implications of the Indian Penal Code while at the same time seriously handicapping the British administrators of the code.

A little further study of this quotation may prove fruitful as to Gandhi's interpretation of the non-violent phase of his religious ethics. Gandhi's admission that he urged certain Hindus of low religious culture, who had not yet arrived at a stage of non-belief in war, to enlist in the World War, clearly indicates that Gandhi does not regard the Hindu doctrine as universally but only relatively applicable. In his exegesis of passages of the Bhagavad Gita to substantiate such a position he is no doubt correct. The Bhagavad Gita is replete with the glorification of the military feats of the Pandua Wars despite its lofty passages excoriating those who indulge in military blood-shed. May I recommend to you a reading of one of the many very readable and excellent English translations of this work both to confirm my statement here as well as to help in gaining an insight into some of the higher ethical flights of some of the religious literature of the Hindus?

The principle of non-violence in receiving the status of an only relatively applicable truth, logically drives Gandhi to admission of the relativity of Hindu religious doctrine. A different standard for those of culturally high or low degree in religious life is implied. The more severe implication that certain evil work must of necessity be done by those of low religious culture, cannot be escaped. The logical and ethical inconsistency of such a position is nowhere cleared up by Gandhi. In his speech at Raipur, C. P., on April 8, 1928, he said, "Violence, which includes war, is of the earth, earthly, merely material, and can be no guide for a human being who at all believes in the existence of a soul." Gandhi must in fairness admit the imputation of a charge of inconsistency as to his interpretation of his tenet of religious non-violence.

With this reference to Gandhi's belief in and interpretation of religious non-violence may we pass on to a further study of Gandhi's application of the principle by noting a number of different cases where Gandhi led or organized movements of non-violent resistance. This phase of our study must begin with Gandhi's life and work in South Africa and will require a passing reference to his early life and the circumstances which led him from India to Africa.

Gandhi had returned from England where he had been legally trained as a barrister in 1905. After practicing in his home town near Surat for a little more than a year he was secured as legal adviser and representative by a Bombay merchant firm operating a series of chain stores in South Africa where a Hindu population had grown to considerable proportions. These were manual laborers in the mines in Natal. The term of their service usually was only five years. Then, having earned and saved some money, many chose to buy land and settle to farming. The following quotation about what occurred will throw light on Gandhi's idea of non-violent resistance. (*The Power of Non-Violence*, R. B. Greeg, pp.

21f). "By 1906 some 12,500 of them had crossed the border and settled in the Transvaal. They were subject to many unfair laws. In 1906, the Government of the Transvaal introduced a bill in the legislature which would require every Indian to be registered by finger print, like criminals, and produce his certificate for registration upon demand by any police officer at any time. Failure to register meant deportation, and refusal to produce the certificate would be punished by fine.

"The Indians had always been subject to severe restrictions, but this proposal meant their complete subjection and probably their destruction as a community. Gandhi, who had by now arrived on the scene, became their leader and they held meetings of protest and asked for hearings on the bill. But government ruthlessly passed it. Thereupon the leading Indians, at a huge mass meeting, took an oath that they would all refuse to register and go to jail rather than obey the law which by its terms they regarded as an attack on the very foundations of their religion, their national honour, their racial self respect, and their manhood.

"They stuck to their resolve and Gandhi and many others went to jail. The Prime Minister, General Smuts, then undertook to have the law repealed if the Indians would register voluntarily. The Indians agreed and did their part, but General Smuts did not carry out his side of the agreement. Not only that, but the Government introduced a further bill which applied the old registration law to all Asiatics who had not voluntarily registered. The Indians then resolved to renew the struggle.

"Not long after that, in 1913, a European judge in the Transvaal Supreme Court made a court decision which invalidated all Hindu and Mohammedan marriages, and thus rendered all the Indian children illegitimate and incapable of inheriting property. This roused all the Indian women. A group of them at Gandhi's suggestion, crossed from the Transvaal to Natal, an act forbidden to them by law, and picketed the Natal mines which were worked by Indian labourers. The women were imprisoned. But the men, numbering about five thousand, all came out on strike as a protest against this court decision about marriages and against a very heavy and oppressive head tax which practically kept them in slavery. Under Gandhi's leadership they started a march on foot across the border into the Transvaal, by way of a non-violent protest. It was against the law for Indians to cross the boundary line in either direction without permission.

"Gandhi notified the Government of the proposal for this march several days before it occurred, and again just before it started, but to no effect.

"They marched, some four thousand strong, about twenty-five miles per day, living on the charity of the Indian merchants. During the march Gandhi was arrested three times, released on bail twice, and finally put in jail. The border was crossed and the army continued, leaderless, but still non-violent. Finally they were all arrested and taken back by train to Natal. They had accomplished their object—to be put in jail and make an effective protest.

"They were impounded at the mines and beaten and ill treated. Still they remained firm and non-violent. This brutal affair aroused a tremendous storm of public opinion both in South Africa and India. Lord Hardinge, the Viceroy of India, in a public speech at Madras, praised and defended the conduct of the non-violent resisters and protested against the acts of the Union of South Africa. Two Englishmen, Messrs. C. F. Andrews and W. W. Pearson, went from India at the request of the Indian public. Later on the Viceroy sent Sir Benjamin Robertson to represent the Government of India. But the negotiations with the protesting Indians remained entirely in Gandhi's hands.

"General Smuts, seeing that he must retreat, appointed a committee of investigation

to save the face of his Government, and at the same time released Gandhi and two other leaders of the Indians. The Indians requested Indian representation on the committee of inquiry as surety of good faith. General Smuts refused, so Gandhi prepared to renew the struggle.

"Just then a strike broke out among the European railwaymen in South Africa. Gandhi saw that the Government was in a very difficult situation, but instead of taking advantage of the incident, he chivalrously stopped the Indian struggle until the railway strike was over, an act which won much admiration for the Indians.

"After the railway strike was over, General Smuts found it necessary to yield, and the Indians won all the major parts of their demands, namely the abolition of the registration, the abolition of the three-pound head tax, the validation of their marriages, the right of entry of educated Indians and an assurance of just administration of existing laws. Thus the whole struggle was won by non-violent resistance."

This lengthy quotation has been inserted because it represents a complete and thoroughly typical case in which Gandhi applies his principle of non-violent resistance.

Please note one more case, this time on Indian soil and many years later on June 21, 1930, on a street in Bombay. The Indian demonstration in this case is against the orders of the Bombay constabulary forbidding all national meetings or parades. "The people had begun coming in the early morning, yet so silent was their approach that before the government knew it, every square yard of the main avenue of Bombay was covered by a vast human sea of bodies.

"Silence, absolute, menacing, more terrible than trumpets. It was only when the police put up a machine gun on the street corner and threatened the mob if they did not disperse, that India began its march.

" 'If you come as far as the corner, we will shoot!' The message was brought to the man leading the parade, by an armed soldier, the clatter of his horse's feet beating defiantly against the menacing quiet.

" 'We will fire to kill.'

" 'Very well fire.'

"With a sigh of released patience, the crowd began to move slowly, relentlessly, proudly, towards the deadly corner. . . . The leaders held their heads high till the rat-tat-tat of the machine guns sent them bowing awkwardly into the dust. The English had fired as they had promised.

"Still there was little confusion; only the gasps of the wounded and dying, their clumsy twitchings in the street. The leaders were gone. Should the crowd march on? Silently, slowly, yet as certainly as an incoming tide that cannot be stemmed, the next in rank stepped over the dead and came towards the guns, the gleam of metal under a blazing sun. More men whirled, fell, coughing blood, clutched helplessly at their bursting stomachs, and then fell dead. But still the steady stream came on, more and more men, more and more women, stern, implacable, ready to die. It could not be true! but it was. It was a scene out of Dante's hell, imagined, not to be believed.

" 'I say. This is terrible. We can't do this, Captain!'

"It was the young English lieutenant speaking. 'Can't we move the guns up to the next corner?'

"There was sweat on the captain's forehead.

" 'Yes move them up, and warn the Indians if they stop now we will not shoot. But they must not come to the next corner.' (*Continued on page* 11)

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ANNUAL DUES

The treasurer reports that the following have paid their annual dues since the January issue of the NEWS-LETTER was published.

J. W. Shank 09, Bragado, F. C. O., Buenos Aires, Argentina, $3.75; Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Holdeman 13, 16 (Elcy M. Russell 12, 16) 200 Garfield Avenue, Del Rio, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Troyer 19, 29 (Verda Steiner x24) Baltic, Ohio $3.00; Lena Stoltzfus 21, Bloomington, Illinois; John Hershberger 28, Sitka, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman 29, (Ruth E. Miller 30) Orrtanna, Pennsylvania, $4.00; Mrs. Vernon Gerig (Mabel Wyse x29) Wayland, Iowa; Leah Risser 31, Hershey, Pennsylvania, $2.00; Ada Burkhart 32, La Junta, Colorado, $2.00; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Schrock x33 (Estella Yoder x32) Lacon, Illinois; Martha Rohrer x34, Orrville, Ohio; Agnes Aschliman 35, Bryan, Ohio; James Clemens 35, Lansdale, Pennsylvania, $2.00; Wilmer Landis 35, Main and Chestnut Sts., Souderton, Pennsylvania; Roy Umble 35, Hooppole, Illinois; Orpha Lehman x36, Wooster, Ohio; Edna Hanley, Agnes Scott College, Decatur, Georgia.

"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year."

The treasurer is hoping that two hundred or more alumni will pay their annual dues at the time of the Annual Reunion in June. It will take that amount to get his books "out of the red" and to take care of the next few issues of the NEWS-LETTER.

ANNUAL EXPENSE FUND

The following is a list of the alumni who have contributed to the annual expense fund since the last issue of the NEWS-LETTER.

Anna Hoover 10, R. 3, Box 181, Goshen; Walter E. Oswald 15, 21, North Lima, Ohio; Dr. C. F. Brunk, 7815 East Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller 15, (Elta Wolf 12) Akron, Pennsylvania; L. E. Blauch 16, 311 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois; Dr. S. E. Yoder 16, Lancaster, Pennsylvania; E. A. Meyer 20, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; A. A. Hostetler 20; Lena Stoltzfus 21, Bloomington, Illinois; J. Boyd Cressman 21, Grimsby, Ontario; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yoder 22 (Ethel Good x24), 412 North Beaver Street, Wooster, Ohio; Eli Stoltzfus 22, West Liberty, Ohio; Ira Eigsti 23, Buda, Illinois; Melvin Gingerich 26, Washington, Iowa; Lulu P. Smith 27, Eureka, Illinois; Abram P. Hallman 27, 31, Akron, Pennsylvania; Raymond H. Book x27, Sterling, Illinois; Dr. E. J. Camp 28, Yankton, South Dakota; Jay H. Eberly 28, Germano, Ohio; Mrs. Roy Swartzendruber (Velma Mae Hershberger 28) Kalona, Iowa; John Hershberger 28, Sitka, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith 28 (Gertrude Bishop x32) Springfield, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman 29 (Ruth E. Miller 30) Orrtanna, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Vernon Gerig (Mabel Wyse x29) Wayland, Iowa; Mrs. Glenn A. Cripe (Sarah Elsie Long x29) Goshen, Indiana; Bessie Moyer 30, Perkasie, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebersole 30 (Nellie Miller 31) Elkhart, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Miller 31, 33 (Hazel E. Stauffer 30, 33) Millersville, Pennsylvania; Leah C. Risser 31, R. 2, Hershey, Pennsylvania; Ruth Heatwole x31, La Junta, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kreider 31 (Rachel Weaver 31) Columbus, Ohio; Mabelle Smith x31, Eureka, Illinois; Eva Yeackley 32, Milford, Nebraska; Iverson Mishler 32, New Paris, Indiana; E. Irene Eschliman 33, Dalton, Ohio; Helen Moser 33, Marshallville, Ohio; George Bishop x34, Doylestown, Pennsylvania; Elva Gunden 34, Gridley, Illinois; Agnes Aschliman 35, Bryan, Ohio; Rhoda Ressler 35, Scottdale, Pennsylvania; Wilmer Landis 35, Souderton, Pennsylvania.

EVERY ALUMNUS A CONTRIBUTOR EVERY YEAR.

Have you made your contribution this year? Some of the above gave liberally. One sent a check for two hundred and one dollars—one dollar for his annual dues and two hundred dollars for the annual expense fund. One other family sent two checks of one hundred dollars each. The gifts range down to one dollar. Every gift is greatly appreciated and does its bit, whether large or small, in making your Goshen College a better servant of the Church and of deserving young people.

COMMENCEMENT 1936

The following dates have been set for the 1936 Commencement.

June 5, Friday.....Class Day
June 6, Saturday.....Alumni Day
June 7, Sunday.....Baccalaureate Service
June 8, Monday.....Commencement Day

Mr. Clarence L. Murray x23, Director of Teacher Training of the State Department of Public Instruction, of Indianapolis, Indiana, will deliver the alumni address. Other details for the program of the annual reunion are being arranged and will be mailed to alumni by the secretary within the next few weeks.

REUNION OF THE CLASS OF 1926

Since the Class of 1926 was not large and since this is the first ten-year reunion, members of the Class of 1926 are making a strenuous effort to have a one-hundred percent attendance.

REUNION OF CHICAGO ALUMNI

Mrs. Frank D. King (Laura Smith x13)

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Chicago Branch of the Goshen College Alumni Association was held February 29, 1936, at the McCormick Y. W. C. A., 1001 North Dearborn Street. Dinner was served at seven o'clock to sixty-three alumni and friends. Dr. L. E. Blauch 16, president, presided. John Thut 23, chairman of the nominating committee, submitted the following names for officers for the ensuing year: Dr. Elmer Landis x23, president; Mrs. Margaret (Anderson) Morse 22, vice-president; Miss Mary Jane Thornton 29, secretary-treasurer. On motion duly made and seconded, they were unanimously elected.

Dr. Harold S. Bender, dean of Goshen College, gave the address of the evening, his subject being "Hitler's Germany." Vocal solos were given by Samuel Burkhard 11, John Thut 23, and Mrs. C. S. Morse

(Margaret Anderson 22). In the name of the Association a telegram was sent to Professor D. A. Lehman, who is confined in the hospital at Goshen, giving him our good wishes. After singing the College song, the meeting adjourned and another happy reunion has gone into history.

CAMPUS NOTES

President Yoder attended a meeting of the Hospital Board at La Junta, Colorado, in April and the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Belleville, Pa., in May.

Dean Bender will conduct another group of Mennonite tourists to Germany this summer. Several chapters of his doctoral dissertation on Conrad Grebel have appeared in the January and April issues of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review*. Dean Bender was elected chairman of the Peace Problems Committee of Mennonite General Conference on January 4.

C. L. Graber, business manager, is busy with an intensive financial campaign for the College. During the Easter vacation he held services at the Peoria Mission and at the Science Ridge Mennonite Church near Sterling, Illinois.

Dr. Guy F. Hershberger spent the Easter vacation doing research work in Philadelphia.

Dr. M. C. Lehman addressed the Eleventh Annual Convention of the League of Evangelical Students at Chicago, Illinois, in February on "European and American Trends in Theology—An Appraisal." He also spoke before the Nonconformity Conference held at the Blough Mennonite Church near Hollsopple, Pa., in March.

Three faculty members gave a series of peace addresses in Central Illinois during the Easter vacation.

Irvin E. Burkhart spent the Easter vacation in student solicitation in Michigan.

D. A. Lehman, professor emeritus, has recovered from his illness in Goshen City Hospital. He was a recent visitor on the campus. His address is 314 East Lincoln Avenue, Goshen.

The officers of the Y. M. C. A. for 1936-37 are: president, Dwight V. Yoder 37; secretary, Tim Brenneman 37; and treasurer, C. Richard Yoder 37. The officers of the Y. W. C. A. are: president, Harriet Lapp 37; secretary, Myrtle Schnell 38; and treasurer, Lois Yoder 38.

The editors of the GOSHEN COLLEGE RECORD for 1936-37 are Francis Troyer 37, of Shipshewana, and Thelma Hostetler 37, of Goshen.

The editor for the 1937 Maple Leaf is Emanuel Hertzler 38, of Norristown, Pa.

The Men's Chorus made a ten day trip during Easter vacation through Eastern Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Ontario. Over the week-end of April 24-27 the A Cappella Chorus gave a series of programs in Northeastern Ohio. On the week-end of May 1-3 the A Cappella gave programs in Leo, Indiana, Western and Northwestern Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.

Carl Kreider 36, of Wadsworth, Ohio, won the annual Peace Oratorical Contest. In the state contest at Indianapolis he placed sixth with nine colleges competing. Twenty dollars in prizes for the local contest were contributed by Melvin Gingerich 26, Washington, Iowa; Dr. J. G. Yoder 27, North Lima, Ohio; and a member of the Class of 1915.

The Freshman Men's Peace Oratorical Contest was won by Vernon Schmidt 39, of Harper, Kansas. Prizes totalling sixteen dollars were contributed by three members of the Class of 1901.

Glenn Springer 38, of Minier, Illinois, won the Men's Discussion Contest and the prize offered annually by the Aurora Society.

The Women's Discussion Contest was won by Retha Hostetler 36, of Goshen. This contest is sponsored by the Vesperian Literary Society.

The Women's Declamation Contest, sponsored by the Avon Literary Society, was won by Viola Bittinger 36, of Springs, Pennsylvania.

The Freshman Men's Discussion Contest was won by William M. Kelly 39, of Goshen. Ten dollars in prizes is awarded annually to the winners of this contest by Waldo Thutt Stalter 27, treasurer of the Western Rubber Company of Goshen.

As in former years Mrs. Glen R. Miller (Pearl Klopfenstein M.A.) special instructor in speech, has arranged several artists programs which were sponsored by her class in public speaking. Two alumni have had part in these programs. On February 21 Miss LaVerne Yoder 34, gave an appreciation of the late English poet Rudyard Kipling and read selections from his poetry. Her subject was "Rudyard Kipling —An Appreciation." On March 29 Roy Umble 35, of Hooppole, Illinois, gave a lecture recital on the subject "Robert Frost—A Picture of New England."

Miss LaVerne Yoder 34 has been elected a member of the College faculty. In 1936-37 she will teach the women's classes in physical education and at least four courses in English and speech. She is planning to be in school during the Summer Session at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado.

Mrs. Glen R. Miller is delivering a series of addresses on "Etiquette" to the Mennonite Literary Societies in northern Indiana.

Henry Erickson 37, has been elected to Junior membership in the American Chemical Society.

Miss Lydia Shenk 31 gave a travel talk before the Phalo Club on Oct. 10; an address to the women's missionary society of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church on "The Churches We Visited in Europe and The Influence of the Catholic Church in Italy and France," October 18; and an address to the Beacon Light Club, "Our Trip to Europe," Nov. 18. She also gave an address before the Psi Iota X society and guests on "Writing the Short Story."

Misses Olive Wyse 26 and Mary Royer 30 attended the twelfth quadrennial convention of the Student Volunteer Movement at Indianapolis, Dec. 28 to Jan. 1.

WEDDING BELLS

Mark Smucker x31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smucker of Tiskilwa, Illinois, and Mildred Cornelius, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius of Clayton, Illinois, were united in marriage on October 25, 1935. They reside in Morton, Illinois. Mr. Smucker is employed by the Peoria Electric Appliance Company, Peoria, Illinois, of which Mr. Carl Magnuson, husband of Ruth Smucker x23, is proprietor.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Brunk 11, announce the marriage of their daughter, Geneva Kathryn x36, to Mr. Joe S. Montague on February 14 at Anderson, Indiana.

Agnes Weaver 32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weaver, has announced her engagement and approaching marriage to Dr. Orie J. Eigsti 31, of Cold

Spring Harbor, Long Island, N. Y. Miss Weaver is dietitian at Goshen Hospital. The wedding will take place Friday, May 22.

Mildred Risdon 35, teacher in the Waterford School south of Goshen, has announced her engagement to J. Harold Smith 32, instructor in Hesston College. The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. F. W. Boren, of Owensville, Indiana, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Alice Boren to Dr. Cecil K. Bender, 29. The wedding will take place the first week in June and the couple will reside in Goshen. Miss Boren is an English instructor in Goshen Junior High and a critic teacher in the Education Department of Goshen College.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. Weddell J. Berkey x31, of Gra-Roy Drive, Goshen, are the parents of a daughter Jean Elizabeth, born February 24.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodel (Dr. Esther Smucker 25) are the parents of a son, Paul Erhard, born January 10.

Rose Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stoltzfus 22, (Lena Smucker 33) of West Liberty, Ohio, was born on March 13.

Richard Lapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Camp 28, (Lois Lapp 30) of Yankton, South Dakota, was born March 31.

Professor and Mrs. Samuel M. King (Nellie Zook 27) of Taylor University, Upland, Indiana, announce the birth of a son, John David, born March 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Graber 25, (Minnie Swartzendruber x28) of Dhamtari C. P., India, are the parents of a daughter, Eleanor Louise, born November 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Schrock x33, (Estella Yoder x32) of Lacon, Illinois, are the parents of a daughter, Marilyn Kay, born December 18.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turner (Violet Bender x23) of Frederick, Maryland, are the parents of a son, Terence Sheldon, born December 30. Mr. Turner is County Director of Charities.

Nancy Jean, daughter of Professor and Mrs. John Gaius Baumgartner x23, (Ruth Allgyer x24) of Princeton, New Jersey, was born December 27.

A daughter, Janet Ellen, was born at Goshen Hospital, on November 20, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Orie M. Yoder 31, of Shipshewana, Indiana. Mr. Yoder is a teacher in the Shipshewana schools.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings 31, are the parents of a son, Billy Carol, born March 17.

A son, James Arthur, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Stemen 14, on May 1 at the Mishawaka hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Martin (Cora Boyer x33) announce the birth of a son, Elton, April 2.

NECROLOGY

Agnes B. McCarty x16, was born June 16, 1893, died January 8, 1936. Services were held in the Methodist Church at Brimfield, Indiana. The Rev. Gary Brown was the officiating clergyman and Orange Cemetery her final resting place.

Mrs. Jemima Smucker, wife of Allen Smucker, east of Goshen, died February 2. She was born in Davis County, Iowa, November 3, 1878, married Mr. Smucker September 27, 1899. She was the mother of Mrs. Paul Unzicker (Ruby Marguerite Smucker 20) and of Dwight Smucker x24.

Chris L., son of Henry and Elizabeth Grieser, was born near Gridley, Illinois, July 30, 1881, died February 16, 1936. He was united in marriage to Carrie Schertz, of Flanagan, Illinois, December 15, 1910. He was the father of Mary Elizabeth 38.

Lydia, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth Hostetler Schrock, was born October 25, 1845, in Holmes County, Ohio, died near Greentown, Indiana, December 31, 1935. On March 11, 1869, she was married to Samuel Slabaugh. She was the mother of John S. Slabaugh 17, of Goshen, and the grandmother of Jancy R. 18, deceased, Paul T. 31, of Goshen, Lotus x24, of Nappanee, and Beatrice, (Mrs. Orrin Nafziger) of Hopedale, Illinois.

Lawrence Gerber, son of the late Amos and Sarah Gerber, was born near Walnut Creek, Ohio, July 5, 1881, and died in Shreveport, Ohio, January 3, 1936. He was united in marriage to Lavina Hershberger in 1903. He was the father of Ross L. 33, Edward 34, and Ralph 38.

Gideon J. son of the late John Y. and Katherine Miller, was born February 28, 1872, near Middlebury, Indiana, died December 22, 1935, near Shipshewana, Indiana. On January 2, 1895, he was married to Lydia Ann Kanagy. He was the father of Gladys 22, (Mrs. Walter Rutt) of Gulfport, Mississippi and Nona Marie x25, (Mrs. Amasa Kauffman) of Goshen.

Joseph S., eldest son of Benjamin and Veronica (Shellenberger) Shoemaker was born in Philadelphia, Pa., February 1, 1854, died in Dakota, Illinois, February 6, 1936. On December 6, 1887, he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Brubaker. He was the father of Arthur x14, of Dakota, Illinois; Charles B. 12, of Scottdale, Pa.; and Stella 16 (Mrs. A. E. Kreider), of Bethel College, Kansas. Six of his grandchildren are also alumni of the College. He was ordained to the ministry in June, 1892, and bishop, December 17, 1902. He had been president of the Mennonite Evangelizing and Benevolent Board, secretary of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, and president of the Mennonite Publication Board.

Mrs. Menno E. Nahrgang (Amelia Bergey 01, 07) died April 19 at her home in New Hamburg, Ontario. Burial was made in the Biehn Mennonite cemetery near New Hamburg.

Anna Ellen Schertz 05, daughter of Peter D. and Anna (Schertz) Schertz, of Metamora, Illinois, died at her home on April 24. In 1905 she was married to Louis C. Schertz 05. She was the mother of Verna 33, teacher in the Woodford County Schools; Glenwood x33, science instructor in the Flanagan, Illinois, High School; and Truman, sophomore in Eureka College. She is survived by her three children, her husband, and her mother, aged 83.

John W. Foreman, superintendent of the Goshen City Schools and a valued friend of the College, died very suddenly at his home in Goshen on April 27. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Donald x32, and John Wilbur x33, B.A. Indiana University and a student in Northwestern University Dental School.

PERSONALS

David Steiner, son of Bishop A. J. Steiner 00, was ordained deacon of the Midway Mennonite Church on March 28. Mrs. David Steiner was formerly Katie Smucker 30.

Professor Russell Lantz 18, director of the Bluffton College Glee Club, won the Ohio State Glee Club championship in March. J. J. Miller x36, is a member of the organization.

Ezra Hershberger 34, Milford, Nebraska, directs a ladies' chorus which gave a program in the Mennonite Church in Roseland, Nebraska, on December 22.

Tilman Smith 28, is superintendent of the Metamora Sunday School, near Metamora, Illinois.

Professor Samuel King of Taylor University, husband of Nellie Zook 27, will speak before the annual convention of the Indiana Academy of Science which convenes at Taylor University, May 15, 16.

F. S. Ebersole 01, was recently elected director of the Goshen Hospital Association.

The following officers of the Phalo Club were elected on January 9 for the year 1936: president, Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Ruth Landis 12); vice-president, Mrs. Harold Bender (Elizabeth Horsch 18); secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Milton Brunk (Elsie Yoder x30).

Fred Stalter x34, has been elected assistant superintendent of the Central Mennonite Sunday School, Elida, Ohio.

Lewis J. Powell 07, has been elected superintendent of the Liberty Mennonite Sunday School near South English, Iowa.

Ross Gerber 33, is superintendent of the Mennonite Sunday School at Walnut Creek, Ohio. Carl Hostetler 34, Leon Glick 35, are choristers; Mrs. Clayton Gerber (Sophia Miller x33) is primary superintendent. Edward Gerber 35, and Cloyce Hershberger 35, are Young People's Meeting superintendents.

Rev. M. S. Swisher x01, 1111 West Virginia Avenue, Peoria, Illinois, is pastor of the Methodist Church in Peoria with a membership of six hundred and seventy. Rev. Swisher is the father of Bob Swisher, star athlete of Northwestern University.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Nafziger (Beatrice Slabaugh x29) Hopedale, Illinois have two children Lorene and May.

Alta Mae Hartzler x33, now writes her name Mrs. Lester E. Litwiller, Hopedale, Illinois. Mr. Litwiller owns and operates a portable feed grinder.

John D. Hartzler 34, is superintendent of the Mennonite Sunday School near Tiskilwa, Illinois.

Helen Nafziger x19, is now Mrs. Oliver Yoder, Washington, Illinois.

Ralph Nafziger x20, resides on a farm near the Hopedale Mennonite Church, Hopedale, Illinois.

Joe A. Yoder x20, Box G, West Liberty, Ohio, is farmer at the Mennonite Orphan's Home.

LeRoy Hostetler 29, and Loren King 31, are superintendents of the South Union Mennonite Church north of West Liberty, Ohio.

Herman Smucker x35, is assistant superintendent of the Oak Grove Sunday School, southeast of West Liberty, Ohio.

Samuel C. Plank x15, and Eli Stoltzfus 22, are superintendents of the Bethel Mennonite Sunday School at West Liberty, Ohio.

Mary Magdalene Good 19, will sail for India from Seattle, Washington, on July 17.

J. D. Graber 25, Dhamtari C. P., India, reports under date of February 6, that Dr. Ambedcarr, leader of fifty million of India's untouchables, has publicly and openly renounced Hinduism.

Sailing reservations have been made for Professor and Mrs. Samuel M. King (Nellie Zook 27) and baby boy, John David, on the S. S. General Lee. They will sail from Portland, Oregon, on July 28.

Levi C. Hartzler 35, superintendent of the Mennonite Home Mission, Chicago, Illinois, reports an instruction class of from eight to ten as the result of meetings held by I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio.

Dr. L. E. Blauch 16, 311 E. Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, will teach this summer at the University of Maryland. This will be his fourteenth summer there.

Melvin Gingerich 26, will be in summer school at Iowa City this summer continuing his graduate work and his research in the field of the Mennonites in Iowa. On May 1 he read a paper on "The Mennonites In Iowa" at the annual meeting of the Iowa State Historical and Political Science Association at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa.

Amos Ebersole x33, of Sterling, Illinois, has moved to Route 1, Dixon, Illinois.

Lena Stoltzfus 21, is teacher of nurses at the Mennonite Hospital, Bloomington, Illinois. She spent Easter vacation with her mother and brother at West Liberty, Ohio.

A. H. Brechbill 13, professor of mathematics in Messiah Bible College, Grantham, Pa., is pursuing graduate studies at Pennsylvania State College toward an M. A. degree.

Orpha M. Lehman x36, is employed at Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio. Her address is Holden Hall.

Lillie B. Garwood x13, 1717 East Wenger Street, South Bend, Indiana, is a teacher in the South Bend public schools.

The address of Charles L. Shank 14, has been changed from North Canton, R. 6, to Middlebranch, Ohio.

Jacob B. Brunk 11, of 803 West Miller Street, DeSota, Missouri, is pastor of the Church of God at the corner of Mineral and Third Streets.

Paul Metzler x19, is manager of the Wakarusa Creamery of Wakarusa, Indiana.

LeRoy Garbrich x19, is teaching south of Nappanee, Indiana.

Harley Hunsicker 31, is assistant superintendent of the Blooming Glen Mennonite Sunday School.

Wilmer Landis 35, high school teacher at Kulpsville, Pa., is teaching the oldest boys' class in the junior section of the weekly Monday night Bible Study meetings of four hundred students at the Mennonite Church.

James Clemens 35, and Jacob Fretz x38, are members of the Norpennchor, a choral society studying Handel's Oratorio.

Delmar Hershberger 27, physicist in light and sound for the U. S. Civil Service at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, has received a Harrison fellowship from the University of Pennsylvania. He intends to put in his residence requirement during the next school year. His Ph.D. thesis is now being published.

Milton M. Smith 28, received the M.S. in Educational Administration from the University of Pennsylvania in February.

William A. Stoltzfus 17, teacher on furlough from the North Syria School for Boys, arrived in New

York in October, drove by car through Pennsylvania and Ohio, and is now in residence in the University of Minnesota. North Syria School for Boys, an institution, Presbyterian and Arab, is to be merged with Aleppo College, Congregational and Armenian, in October 1937. Mr. and Mrs. Stoltzfus have two boys, nine and eleven, and a daughter, four months.

Mary Hess 30, is teaching vocal music and one class in Latin in the Haven High School, Haven, Kansas.

Raymond Litwiller 31, of 650 Ingleside Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, has a fellowship in the department of zoology at the University of Chicago. During the summer of 1935 he had a scholarship to Woods Hole (Mass.) Biological Station.

Stella Kauffman 34, is at the University of Illinois, completing her work for the degree, Bachelor of Library Science. Her address is 910 South Fifth Street, Champaign, Illinois. Miss Kauffman will return to the campus after graduation to take up her duties permanently as assistant librarian of Goshen College.

Dr. and Mrs. John D. Hartzler 04, formerly of 1301 Beall Avenue, Wooster, Ohio, now reside in Dayton, Ohio, where Dr. Hartzler is connected with the Bonebrake Theological Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Good 22 (Wilma M. Smucker 21), formerly of 204 East Dartmouth Street, Flint, Michigan, have moved to 12170 Broad Street, Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal A. Neff x34, formerly of New Paris, Indiana, have moved to 222 East Maple Street, Bremen, Indiana. Mr. Neff is employed as an automobile salesman by the Eby Motor Sales in Wakarusa.

Ira Hoover x29, is superintendent of the Yellow Creek Mennonite Sunday School near Goshen.

Marvin Hostetler x35, is assistant superintendent of the Martins Mennonite Sunday School near Orrville, Ohio.

Lloyd Hartzler x36, of Harrisonville, Missouri, is assistant superintendent of the Bethel Mennonite Sunday School, near Garden City, Missouri.

Samuel S. Miller, 32, of Middlebury, Indiana, was ordained to the ministry for the Clinton Brick Mennonite Congregation, near Goshen, Indiana, on January 5, bishops O. S. Hostetler, D. A. Yoder x08, Edwin J. Yoder, x13, and D. D. Troyer officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Z. Zehr, x32, formerly of LaJunta, Colorado, have removed to 1135 Ogden Avenue, Denver, Colorado.

An Illinois alumnus wrote recently, "Enclosed check is given to help the cause of Christian education. It is not as much as I would like to give and I hope it will not be long until I can help with a larger contribution. . . . I shall never forget what Goshen College has done for me."

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hershberger 23, (Dula Roth 29) and Grace Ellen have moved to 804 Brainard Avenue, LaGrange, Illinois. They spent Mr. Hershberger's vacation in May visiting their parents in Harrisonburg, Virginia, and in Goshen, Indiana.

Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Gerig Jr., x26, moved to 2410 Twentieth Street, N. W., Apartment 106, Washington, D. C., on their return from their vacation spent in Florida during late March and early April. Dr. Gerig has resumed his work in the government service in Washington.

R. P. O'Shea 34, of Goshen, is employed in the Elkhart County Engineering Department.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Orrville Milk Condensing Company was held recently in Goshen in the office of Attorney J. S. Yoder 05. The following alumni are members of the board of directors: Dr. S. T. Miller, 05, of Elkhart; Dr. W. B. Christophel 02, of Mishawaka; F. S. Ebersole 01, and J. S. Yoder 05, of Goshen; and Dr. J. E. Hartzler 04, of Dayton, Ohio. The following officers were elected: president, J. S. Yoder; vice-president, Dr. S. T. Miller; secretary, F. S. Ebersole.

Here is another family portrait that the editor is happy to present. John L. Steiner, Latin Scientific 01, resides at Wapakoneta, Ohio, and is engaged in scientific agriculture. For twelve years he has been breeding out the tendency of broodiness in his Barred Rock strain. One of his prize hens laid 807 eggs in four years. She laid 1100 eggs during her lifetime and was never broody in her eight years. He has had Barred Rock pullets lay 124 days after hatching. His wife, Mrs. Geneva S. Steiner, is connected with the Ohio State University Extension Service and since 1921 has been a Farmer's Institute lecturer speaking largely to young folks and women. His son, Lauren F. the eldest of his children by his former wife, Lydia Metzler, deceased, is associate entomologist in the United States Department of Agriculture in charge of a research laboratory in fruit insect control at Vincennes, Indiana. He received his master's degree from O. S. U. in agriculture, major in entomology in 1926. His daughter, Mary Evelyn, employed in the Lima telephone company office for the last eight or nine years was married to Mr. Frank Williams of the Lima Gas Company last August. Harold Metzler, the other son received his master's degree from Ohio State University in 1931, graduating in agriculture and majoring in entomology. For the past three years he has been with the New York experiment station of Geneva, New York, but working at the sub-station at Poughkeepsie, New York, trying to find the best methods of control for the leaf hopper and other fruit insects. Each spring quarter he works at O. S. U., working on his doctor's degree in entomology.

Mrs. Harry Leatherman (Fannie Brunk x32) of 104 West 103rd Street, New York City, visited friends in Goshen in April. Mr. Leatherman x33, is radio operator on the S.S. Exochordee of the American Export Line.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leatherman 31, have sailed as missionaries to Tanganyika Territory, East Africa.

S. A. Zook 10, formerly of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, is a real estate broker in California. His new address is 5513 Buffalo Avenue, Van Nuys, California.

At the meeting of the executive committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, April 14, it was decided to send Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Vogt 27, and family to India the latter part of August.

On Easter Sunday Mr. and Mrs. S. Jay Hostetler 18, 23, and family arrived in the United States on their furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin D. Snyder 27, (Mary Fretz x30) and family sailed from Buenos Aires on April 18 and arrived in New York on May 4.

T. K. Hershey x11, and William G. Detweiler of Canton, on returning from a trip of investigation among the southern border states, report that there is an excellent opportunity to do mission work among the Mexicans and Americans in those states.

At the recent meeting of the Indiana Evangelical Conference in Rochester, Indiana, Rev. H. S. Berger x22, was transferred from New Paris to the First

Evangelical Church in Mishawaka. Rev. Elmer D. Mast 29, was returned to Carmi, Illinois, and Rev. J. S. Pritchard x35, to Syracuse, Indiana.

Leonard C. Kreider 31, will receive his Ph.D. in Chemistry from Ohio State University in June. His dissertation includes preparation and identification of twelve new carbohydrates and their use in illucidating the mechanism of carbohydrate degradations. After July 1, he will be an assistant in biological chemistry in the Rockefeller Institute of Chemical Research in New York City. He has been chosen one of the seven men in training under the direction of Dr. P. A. Levene, world-famous biological chemist. After September 1, the address of Mr. and Mrs. Kreider (Rachel Weaver 31) will be The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, 66th Street and York Avenue, New York City. Their summer address will be 192 West Street, Wadsworth, Ohio.

Joseph D. Graber 25, of Dhamtari C. P., India, is suffering from ill health and was advised in March by his physicians to go on his hot-season leave at once.

J. N. Kaufman 17, pastor of the Pleasant Hill congregation near Peoria, Illinois, held a series of meetings at Pryor, Oklahoma, in March. Mrs. Kaufman (Elsie Drange 08) is recuperating satisfactorily from a serious illness which she suffered in January.

J. Harold Smith 32, is leader of the Hesston College chorus. The organization rendered the cantata "Bethlehem" on March 6.

Samuel C. Swartz, 34, writes the Hesston College Notes for the *Gospel Herald.*

Donovan, senior in Akron North High and son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook 02, (Lena Landis 03) won the Ohio State high school discussion contest carrying an award of two hundred and fifty dollars in cash and a free airplane trip to Washington, D. C. Burtron, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Zook is in business at Fremont, Ohio, and their daughter, Josephine, is a student in Akron University. Mr. and Mrs. Zook are prominent in the social, educational, and political life of the North Hill community.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Troyer 19, 29 (Verda Steiner x24) have been located at Baltic, Ohio, ever since they left Goshen. Mr. Troyer is superintendent of the Baltic schools.

John C. Wenger 34, of Souderton, Pa., is discovering interesting historical material as historian of the Franconia Conference. The April 1936 issue of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review* contains an article on the record and audit of the alms-monies of the Skippack Congregation from 1734 to the present time.

Amanda Frey 27, is dietitian for the Marsh Foundation at Van Wert, Ohio.

Orie A. Miller 33, instructor in the Wayland, Iowa, High School for the past two years has been offered the principalship of the same school for next year.

Louella Yoder R. N., x36, has accepted a position in the children's ward in the Ann Arbor Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Paul D. Zook 34, of 1133 South Eighth Street, Goshen, has accepted a position with the Pillsbury Milling Company and is temporarily located in Princeton, Illinois.

Otto Binkele 33, is employed as field agent of the International Correspondence School. His address is 65 West 70th Street, New York City.

Tilman Erb 27, has resigned his teaching position at the Swink, Colorado, High School to accept a position in the Denver, Colorado, High School.

Perry J. Miller 31, of Shipshewana is Sunday School superintendent at his home church, The Forks, near Shipshewana. Mr. Miller is completing his work for the master's degree at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Indiana.

Virgil Blosser x35, was elected trustee for a term of three years of the Mennonite Mission Church, Iowa City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Zook x26 (Mary Graber 25) with their three children have moved from Noble, Iowa, to a farm about one and one-half miles southwest of Goshen.

Huber A. Yoder 33, is Sunday School superintendent at the Prairie Street Mennonite Church in Elkhart.

Ivan Brunk 35, is driving cars from Detroit, Michigan, to Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mann (Nellie Miller 22) have been appointed to have charge of the work at Pleasant View Church, a new mission station about four miles northwest of Goshen. Mrs. Mann has been superintendent of the Primary Department in the Prairie Street Mennonite Sunday School and Mr. Mann has taught the Young Men's Class.

Mrs. Leonard Kreider (Rachel Weaver 31) is compiling the genealogies of the Kreider and Weaver families.

Ruth Gnagy 35, has been elected to a position in Topeka, Indiana, high school for next year as instructor in Commercial branches and mathematics.

Rev. and Mrs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott 19) are doing missionary work among the Jews of Texas this year. After spending some time at Dallas and Ft. Worth they went on to San Antonio.

Mrs. Merle Fowler (Beulah Smith 23) of Faith, South Dakota, who has been teaching sociology and history in the Faith high school receives the South Dakota teachers life certificate this year.

Robert Shideler 34 had been given unconditional graduate standing at the University of Chicago in September when he received a telegram offering him a position in a first class high school in Columbus, North Dakota near the Canadian border. He is teaching chemistry, biology, general science, world history, civics, and physical education. He is also in charge of athletics and his team plays the Canadian teams.

The NEWS-LETTER failed to announce the marriage of Vera Jane Judson x30 and Mr. Stanley Elbel. Their address is 701 North St. Joe St., South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Swope 33 (Mary Hertzler x36) have moved from Youngstown to 813 Grandview Ave., Mount Washington District, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The DIRECTORY should give the year of Huber A. Yoder 119 Cleveland Ave., Elkhart, Indiana, as x25 instead of x33. He entered G. C. in June, 1921, and was a student until June, 1922. Of the sixty-five members of the class of 1925 only one, Dr. Esther Smucker Hodel, graduated in 25.

THE CLASS OF 1936

The following members of the class of 1936 will be graduated in June with the degree, Bachelor of Arts (the home address and the major and minor subject follow each name):

Bachelor of Arts: Betty Viola Bittinger, Springs, Pa., home economics, English; Mary Evelyn Burkholder, Newville, Pa., home economics, social science; Noble Ivan Frederick, Nappanee, Ind., history, biological science; Ida Friesen, Sihawa via Dhamtari, C. P., India, Bible, biology; Florence Mae Gangwer, Millersburg, Ind., English, biological science; Milton Gascho, Imlay City, Mich., chemistry, Bible; Glen Guengerich, Kalona, Iowa, biological science, philosophy; Lois Mary Gunden, Goshen, English, French; Lester Tobias Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, F. C. O., Argentina, S. A., Bible, English; Mildred Salome Hostetler, Harper, Kans., home economics, social science; Retha Mae Hostetler, Goshen, English, history; Carl Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio, economics, physical science; Carroll Charles Lewis, Elkhart, Ind., history, Bible; Karl Louis Massanari, Fisher, Ill., music, history; Angelina Elizabeth McPhail, Constantine, Mich., English, history; Bertha Nitsche, Wisner, Nebr., home economics, English; Katherine Elizabeth Royer, Orrville, Ohio, biology, physical science; Edwin Leroy Schmucker, Louisville, Ohio, Bible, music; Mrs. Ina Kronk Slate, Goshen, French, German; Caroline Elizabeth Smucker, West Liberty, Ohio, Latin, French; Lowell Ovid Troyer, Middlebury, Ind., biology, English; Mark Raymond Troyer, West Liberty, Ohio, music, English; Mary Alice Wenger, Dhamtari, C. P., India, Bible, biological science.

Bachelor of Science in Education (in June): Florence Mae Gangwer, Millersburg, Ind., English, biological science; Ruth Gnagy, Topeka, Ind., English, commerce; Orpha Mae Huffman, Elkhart, Ind., mathematics, chemistry; Edith Pletcher, Goshen, Bible, history; Lewis Jared Powell, South English, Iowa, mathematics, history; Katherine Elizabeth Royer, Orrville, Ohio, biology, physical science; Hope Stutzman, Lanham, Md., physical science, history; Madlyn Marie Walter, Goshen, English, history.

Bachelor of Arts (in August): Bonald Melvin Overholt, Goshen, music, history; Lois Esther Winey, Colorado Springs, Colo., English, economics and commerce.

Bachelor of Science in Education (in August): Glen Guengerich, Kalona, Iowa, biological science, philosophy; Katherine E. Miller, Garden City, Mo., English, mathematics; Elinor Lee Smith, Elkhart, Ind., English, music.

Elementary Teacher Training.—The following will receive the elementary teacher training diploma in June: Euphemia Allan, Louisville, Ohio; Laura Louise Barringer, Elkhart, Ind.; Ruth Bernice Buzzard, Goshen; Marjorie Ellen Conrad, Smithville, Ohio; Ruth Alice Cook, Elkhart, Ind.; David Lloyd Ebersole, Sterling, Ill.; Charles Vernon Gardner, Middlebury, Ind.; Howard Franklin Greenawalt, Topeka, Ind.; Lillian Augusta Hartzler, West Liberty, Ohio; Lois Pearl Hartzler, Harrisonville, Mo.; Shirley Isabelle Holoway, Nappanee, Ind.; Anna Naomi Jennings, Concord, Tenn.; Velma Margaret Johns, Canton, Ohio; Harry Ebersole Lapp, Sterling, Ill.; Evelyn Eldora Miller, Louisville, Ohio; Marianna Maude Reiff, Elkhart, Ind.; Beulah Verna Rich, Crawfordsville, Iowa; Frances Matilda Schrock, Low Point, Ill.; Dorothy Shoup, Beach City, Ohio; Ethel Louella Shoup, Orrville, Ohio; Elizabeth Mae Sieber, Dakota, Ill.; Beulah Mae Troyer, Elida, Ohio; Anna Lois Yoder, Elkhart, Ind.; Bertha Ann Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio; Delmer Marvin Yoder, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Mabel Lorene Yoder, Smithville, Ohio; Olive Grace Yoder, West Liberty, Ohio.

The following will receive the elementary teacher training diploma in August: Olga Buerstrom, Goshen; Hazel Mae Conrad, Wooster, Ohio; Amos Culp, Nappanee, Ind.; Lillie Belle Garwood, Goshen; Ralph Gerber, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Lloyd Hartzler, Harrisonville, Mo.; Margaret Hartzler, Goshen; Howard Kaser, Millersburg, Ohio; Minnie Sutter, Kouts, Ind.; Henry Troyer, Walnut Creek, Ohio; Evangeline Weaver, Goshen.

GANDHI'S PROGRAM

(Continued from page 4)

"The crowd was told . . . but it still marched on. Guns were hurried to another corner. Still the crowd swept silently forward. What was to be done? All Bombay could not be slaughtered. 'What can we do to get you to stop?' the English officer called.

"The low voice of the Indian leader stirred the thick layer of Indian silence for the first time.

"'So long as you point your guns at us, we will march. Rescind your order against our meeting, take away your guns . . . and we will disperse!'

"'But that would be to surrender!'

"'Very well then. We will march until every one of these thousands is dead!'

"It was India demanding a chance to be heard. The guns were removed, the crowd melted away like magic, lifting up the wounded and burying the dead. But the voice of silent India had been heard on her own streets of Bombay." (Chicago Daily News, July 2, 1930).

All Gandhi's work is over this same pattern. It is a process designed to exhaust. The protests were against what were considered high or unjust taxes, unduly restrictive legislation or the overbearing arrogations of Brahmins over low caste Hindus. A study of the technique and underlying motives of the events above described will give a dependable and accurate indication of Gandhi's conception and actual operation of the principle of non-violent resistance. Reference to the works noted in the following bibliographical list will amply show that a study of the above cases will yield all that could be accomplished by more lengthy narration of further incidents.

1. M. K. Gandhi, *Satyagraha in South Africa,* S. Ganesan, Madras, 1928.
2. *Mahatma Gandhi, Life Writings and Speeches,* Ganesh, Madras, 1931.
3. *My Experiments with Truth,* Vols. I & II, Navajiwan Press, Ahmedabad, 1929.
4. Gray and Parekh, "Mahatma Gandhi," Association Press, Calcutta, 1928.
5. Allen and Urwin, *The Dawn of Indian Freedom,* London, 1930.
6. *Mahatma Gandhi; His own Story*—ed. by E. F. Andrews, The MacMillan Co., New York, 1930.
7. F. B. Fisher, *That Strange Little Brown Man, Gandhi,* Long & Smith, New York, 1932.

We turn to note what comparison can be made as to Gandhi's technique and objectives and the method of the Christian as taught in the New Testament.

It is clear in the first place that Gandhi conceives the coercive force of mass collective representation and obstruction a legitimate phase of his program. The picketing of mines in Natal, the marching over national borders in Africa with the avowed purpose of mass arrest, are evidence of this. This mass protesting was not necessary or even incidental to the handicaps imposed by Government. Protest of the kind made by the marchers in Africa and the crowds shot down in Bombay were an artificial set-up made in response to Governments' restrictions and were not a natural outcome of the routine necessary for their daily living either secularly or religiously.

Would not Jesus' way have been to meet each situation singly and naturally as an outcome of His regular life and suffer the consequences rather than set up an artificial protest either singly or collectively?

In the second place despite Gandhi's assertion to the contrary it is hard to see how the unnecessary mass marching across forbidden international borders and the picketing of mines is anything but retaliatory. In Jesus' ethics we find no instance where His attitude or technique dropped below the level of well-wishing and helpfulness for His opponents.

In the third place it is clear that Jesus depended solely on the social effectiveness inherent in truth itself and was prepared to sacrifice His life where the misconceptions and low ideals of His opponents made that eventually necessary. Gandhi depends on the capacity of collective though non-violent coercion to embarrass his opponents into submission. We find no place where Jesus depends on collective coercion.

A fourth and very vital distinction between the New Testament conception of what should be the individual's attitude toward the obvious evil in the world and that implied in Gandhi's technique lies in the fact that the New Testament ethic is in fact non-resistant rather than merely non-violent. But in making this comparison we will need to note the meaning of the New Testament conception of non-resistance. Christ's admonition in the Sermon on the Mount not to resist evil, Matt. 5:39, because of its context means the prohibition of the use of physical force in overcoming evil but again His dependence on the final social invincibility of good will as a force inherent in truth or righteousness itself. Christ would accordingly not have marched with the Bombay protestors and received machine gun fire. If the order of the constabulary interfered with His work as the Son of God He would have followed the ordinary course of His work and individually taken the consequences in death and purposefully and knowingly trusted in God His Father to vindicate His principle. Physical force and collective or individual coercion formed no part of His program. In this respect He was in reality non-resistant.

What then is the nature of the New Testament attitude toward evil and how would the Christian overcome it? This attitude is one of non-participation in and non-association with evil and of clear testimony against it by precept and example. "Come ye out from among them and be ye separate saith the Lord." II Cor. 6:17.

With these distinctions between the ethics of Gandhi and of the New Testament in mind we will do well, however, to note that Gandhi according to a quotation from his own lips changed his attitude toward war about fifteen years after the World War was fought. While in the Yervada jail at Poona, Gandhi said, "I am sorry I had anything to do with this war. I believed Woodrow Wilson's dream; that it was a war to end war. But I see now that force can never banish force." Turning to a European standing near him Gandhi said, "It was your own cross method you should have used. There is the real remedy for war! There is power not only to save but to rule the world." (*That Strange Little Brown Man—Gandhi*, by F. B. Fisher).

Gandhi has here come to a realization of what should be the attitude toward evil and evil forces. Gandhi has, however, continued to use collective coercion subsequent to the above statement. We rejoice at his verbal statement of conviction. We would rejoice more if it had received expression in Gandhi's program.

Gandhi has, however, made one observation about modern Christianity that all Christians will do well to ponder. It arises from Gandhi's more recent and more complete renunciation of war and the substitution of the "Cross-method" for it. Seated squat on the floor of his little mud office in his ashram at Sabarmuti I asked Gandhi in 1929 what was his attitude toward Christianity. Clad only in his loin cloth and large horn-rimmed spectacles, Gandhi stretched out his bony finger and shook with sarcasm as his eyes flashed at me and he said, "Lehman Sahib, I would be ashamed to be a Christian." Pressed for reasons Gandhi continued, "I went to the World War as a stretcher bearer. Many of my Hindu co-religionists were in the ranks. But we Hindus think and act more honestly than you as to war. We Hindus know war is wrong and can not be religiously blessed and so are honest enough to leave our priests at home. You are so inconsistent as to take chaplains along to bless your wholesale murder. I helped carry the mutilated bodies of so-called Christian Germans and Englishmen who had stabbed and shot each other and blown each other to pieces. I saw you demolish each other's churches and cathedrals." And then his lips quivered as he continued, "I saw your so-called Christian soldiers charge across no-man's land with bayonets sharp and set to disembowel each other and they were led in the charge to that hellish work by a standard-bearer who carried a standard on which was emblazoned the cross of the Prince of Peace. I would be ashamed to be a Christian."

What answer to that indictment has nominal Christianity, but a bowed head and confession of soul? May we thank God that one that came so near the Kingdom has pointed so clearly to a great defect in nominal Christianity. May that charge from him mean penitence, as we bring to Gandhi and his co-religionists the Gospel of Peace and Salvation.

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OCCUPATIONAL STUDIES OF ALUMNI OF GOSHEN COLLEGE AND THE ELKHART INSTITUTE

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In 1931 Dr. Silas Hertzler, head of the department of education of Goshen College made a statistical study of Goshen College alumni which was printed in the October, 1931, issue of the *Mennonite Quarterly Review*. At that time 424 men and 392 women had graduated from Goshen College and from the Elkhart Institute. The largest group was engaged in teaching. One hundred and twenty-five men and sixty-three women were employed in the elementary school, high school, college and university. Nearly seventy-five per cent of the women were in homes of their own. Ministers and missionaries have a prominent place among the alumni. Fifty men were engaged in direct religious work in 1931. Thirty-one are bishops and ministers in thirteen states, sixteen are foreign missionaries located in India, Argentina, Bulgaria and Syria. Three are engaged in city mission work here in America. Fifty-six men are engaged in a variety of types of business enterprise: business executives, salesmen, manufacturers, clerks, bookkeepers, merchants, dairymen, poultrymen, and real estate salesmen. Thirty-seven are farmers. There are also thirteen physicians, three attorneys, three accountants, four bank cashiers, two dentists, two druggists, and three chemists. Women who were not teachers and homemakers included the following: nurses, fifteen; missionaries, thirteen. Fourteen were doing various kinds of office work: stenographers, clerks, bookkeepers, and office assistants of a more general nature. Many of the remainder were librarians, medical students, music supervisors, physicians, dietitians, dressmakers and so forth. A great variety of other lines of work were followed by alumni of the college but with fewer representatives doing each kind of work. Following are two tables taken from Dr. Hertzler's study which give the occupation of the men and the women who have graduated from Goshen College or the Elkhart Institute:

TABLE I

A TABLE GIVING THE OCCUPATIONS OF MEN WHO GRADUATED FROM GOSHEN COLLEGE AND ELKHART INSTITUTE, 1896–1930

Teachers and School Administrators		Director of correspondence school	1
College and University professors	28	No record	69
High school teachers	24	Religious Workers	
Elementary school teachers	24	Ministers	31
High school principals	7	Foreign missionaries	16
Elementary school principals	6	Home missionaries	3
Superintendents of schools	6	Y. M. C. A. Secretary	1
Business managers of schools	2	Farmers	37
College president	1	Poultry raising	3
College dean	1	Dairymen	2

County agricultural agent	1
Manager county farm bureau	1
Business	11
Salesmen	13
Clerks	7
Business administration	7
Merchants	4
Accountants	3
Attorneys	3
Florists	3
Chemists	3
Bookkeepers	3
Carpenters	3
Druggists	2
Manufacturers	2
Research engineer	1
Students	25
Physicians	13
Dentists	2
Osteopathic physician	1
Superintendent of hospital	1
Deceased	15
Factory workers	11
Postmasters and postal clerks	8
Bank cashiers and assistant cashiers	4
Railway agents and expressmen	4
Printers	2
Automobile mechanics	2
Moulder	1
Office work	1
Machinist	1
Draftsman	1
League of Nations—on staff of Am. Bureau	1
Insurance director	1
Juvenile court official	1
Total	424

TABLE II

OCCUPATIONS OF WOMEN GRADUATES OF GOSHEN COLLEGE AND OF ELKHART INSTITUTE, 1896–1930

Homemakers	191
Teachers and school administrators	
Elementary	32
High school	23
College and university	8
Music supervisors	2
College librarian	1
No record	62
Religious workers	
Foreign missionaries	10
Home missionaries	3
Social worker	1
Business	
Stenographers	6
Clerks	3
Office work	4
Bookkeepers	2
Dressmaker and designer	1
Librarian	1
College students	14
Nurses	15
Dentist	1
Dietitian	1
Deceased	11
Total	392

In 1931 at the time of Dr. Hertzler's survey, forty-three alumni held master's degrees from Harvard, Columbia, Princeton, Chicago, Northwestern, New York, Michigan, Wisconsin, Oberlin, Minnesota, Indiana, Iowa, George Washington, and other colleges and universities of like nature. This number has been greatly increased since 1931. Nearly every issue of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER reports one or more alumni who have received this degree. In 1931 there were thirteen doctors of philosophy from Michigan, Pennsylvania, New York, Iowa State, Chicago, Harvard, Wisconsin, Hartford Theological Seminary, Geneva and Yale. In 1935, however, a single issue of the NEWS-LETTER reported six new Ph. D.'s among Goshen College alumni.

The new ALUMNI DIRECTORY, printed in September, 1935, gives evidence that Goshen College alumni are still using their years of training at the College as a stepping stone into many spheres of usefulness. The 1930 DIRECTORY gave the names of all graduates to and including 1930. The DIRECTORY for 1935 includes the next five classes also. In these five years, seventy-one men and sixty-five women have received the bachelor's degree at Goshen College. Eighteen men and thirty women have received the elementary teacher training diploma; nine men and sixteen women were graduated from the academy. The DIRECTORY also includes the names of one hundred and twenty-one men and one hundred and thirty-seven women who attended Goshen College for one or more years, but who are non-graduates. There are eleven men and eighteen women who attended the academy for one or more years but who did not complete the course.

The following tables give the occupational statistics of the various groups:

TABLE III

MEN — COLLEGE GRADUATES

Teachers and school administrators	
High school teachers	9
Elementary school teachers	19
High school principals	1
Elementary school principals	3
No record	4
Religious workers	
Foreign missionaries	2
Ministers	3
Social service	1
Agriculturist	1
Business	
Merchants	4
Clerk	1
Shipping clerk	1
Salesmen	6
Graduate students	
General	10
Chiropody	1
Medical	1
Librarian	1
Research	2
Linotypist	1
Total	71

TABLE IV

WOMEN — COLLEGE GRADUATES

Homemakers	9
Teachers and school administrators	
College professor	1
Elementary teachers	28
High school teachers	2
Junior high principal	1
Music teacher	2
No record	3
Religious work	
Foreign missionaries	3
Business	
Saleswoman	1
Clerk	1
Office	1
Secretary	1
Nurses	2
Graduate students	
General	5
Medical	1
Nurse	1
Dietitian	3
Total	65

TABLE V

MEN — COLLEGE NON-GRADUATES, 1931–1935

Teachers	
Elementary teachers	12
High school teachers	5
Music supervisors	2
Students	
General	11
Veterinary	1
Nurse	1
Graduate	2
Theological	1
Dental	2
Business	
Merchants	11
Clerk	1
Salesmen	3
Bookkeeper	1
Sales Manager	1
Store Managers	3
Grocery proprietor	1
Office worker	1
Barber	1
Religious workers	
Ministers	5
Y. M. C. A. secretary	1
Technicians	
Engineer	1
Electrician	1
Radio operator	1
Agriculturists	
Farmers	10
Dairyman	1
Farm laborers	2
Mechanical draftsman	1
Bank teller	1
Mechanic	1
Abstractor	1
C. C. C. officer	1
Chiropractor	1
Newspaper reporter	1
Printer	1
Laborers	6
No record	25
Total	121

TABLE VI

WOMEN — COLLEGE NON-GRADUATES, 1931–1935

Teachers		Business	
Elementary teachers	24	Office	10
High school teachers	2	Clerk	1
Homemakers	51	Bookkeeper	2
Students		Nurses	3
General	5	Librarian	1
Nurses	4	Journalism	2
Art	1	Hospital patient	1
Graduate	1	Domestic service	3
Religious workers		At home	5
Missionaries	2	No record	17
Social service	1		
		Total	136

TABLE VII

MEN — ELEMENTARY TEACHER TRAINING DIPLOMA, 1931–1935

Elementary teachers	16
Students	2
Total	18

TABLE VIII

WOMEN — ELEMENTARY TEACHER TRAINING DIPLOMA, 1931–1935

Elementary teachers	26	Students	2
Homemaker	1		
Office	1	Total	30

MEN — ACADEMY GRADUATES, 1931–1934

Elementary teachers	2	Missionary	1
Students	2	Laborers	2
Agriculturists	2		
		Total	9

WOMEN — ACADEMY GRADUATES, 1931–1934

Students	4	Hospital superintendent	1
Stenographer	1	No record	2
Nurses	6		
Homemakers	2	Total	16

MEN — ACADEMY NON-GRADUATES, 1931–1934

Agriculturists	4	Laborers	2
Students	1	No record	3
Farm laborer	1		
		Total	11

WOMEN — ACADEMY NON-GRADUATES, 1931–1934

Homemaker	3	Working	1
Domestic service	1	Student	1
Nurse	1	No record	10
Music teacher	1		
		Total	18

Here again, in the group graduating in the years 1931-1935, by far the largest number is engaged in teaching. Forty-one of the men and thirty-four of the women graduates listed in Tables III and IV are engaged in some (Continued on page 11)

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EDITORIAL CHAT

Yielding to administrative pressure to have members of the faculty do a maximum of graduate work, the editor will be absent from the campus and from the city of Goshen until early in September. News items and other business in connection with the NEWS LETTER may be addressed to Miss Thelma Hostetler, Goshen College, who for the past three years has been assisting with the editing of the NEWS LETTER and who has had charge of the mailing list.

The officers and directors of the Alumni Association appreciate the response of members to the appeal for payment of dues in order that the debt on the printing of the Directory may be wiped out. It is also exceedingly gratifying to note that contributions to the current expense fund of Goshen College are still coming in in substantial amounts.

EVERY ALUMNUS A CONTRIBUTOR EVERY YEAR.

THE AUGUST REUNION

Remember that the last Sunday in August is the date for the annual August reunion of alumni of Goshen College and the Elkhart Institute. Last year in the absence of Professor Walter E. Yoder, chairman of the committee on arrangements, no chairman was elected and the general understanding among those present was that Professor Yoder would be retained as chairman of this year's committee. Professor Yoder however, will again be absent from the campus in August and it is suggested that any inquiries regarding the reunion be directed to Mrs. D. S. Gerig, 1137 S. 8th St., Goshen, or to Dr. Silas Hertzler, secretary of the Alumni Association. Since the last Sunday in August is so near the end of the month, it is possible that the date may be changed to August 22. In any event postcards will be mailed to those who have been in attendance during the past few years announcing the exact date of the reunion.

COMMENCEMENT—1936

The 1936 Commencement season began with a music program by the musical organizations under the direction of Professor Walter E. Yoder. The program presented groups of numbers by each of the following: A Cappella Chorus, Men's Chorus, Ladies' Chorus, College Quartette and Ladies' Quartette. The members of the Ladies' Quartette are Christine Yoder, 38, Beulah Troyer, 37, Elizabeth Sieber, 38, and Olive Yoder, 38. The names of the members of the College Quartette are given elsewhere in this issue.

Friday, although still called Senior Class Day, has become in a broader sense "Class Day," a day for all the classes, each vying with the others in finding the most appropriate spot to eat steak, go boating, and accumulate sunburn. The seniors wisely, slept, meditated, studied the "Maple Leaf," ate baked beans and rehearsed their orations at the end of Gra-Roy Drive. The Juniors "wrestled" steak, boated and played soft ball in Epworth Forest at North Webster. The Sophomores motored to Pokagon Park, unvisited by any class since the class of 1934 held their first class outing there in June, 1931. The Freshmen spent their first annual class day at Camp Mack on Lake Wabee. This being their first trip they had more to learn about sunburn than the others. But some of the faces indicated that their lesson would be of several days' painful duration.

At seven in the evening the Senior class gave its campus program on a beautiful spot north of the Adelphian rockery:

Gift Oration ..... Glen Guengerich
Response ..... President Sanford C. Yoder
Passing of the Emblems ..... Karl Massanari
Response ..... Dwight Yoder
Planting of the Ivy ..... Mrs. Ina K. Slate

The gift of the class was a set of walnut office furniture for the Dean's sanctum and a Bausch and Lomb projector.

At eight, they presented the remainder of the program before an audience that filled Assembly Hall:

Presentation of the Class
Retha Hostetler and Mildred Hostetler
Oration, "A Pattern for Living"
Evelyn Burkholder
Vocal solo with marimba accompaniment, "The Holy City"
Raymond Troyer, baritone and Bonald Overholt, marimbist
Oration, "The Function of Christian Education"
Carl Kreider
Breaking of the Wreath ..... Lois Gunden
Class Song ..... Class of '36
Words by Angelina McPhail and music by Karl Massanari

On Saturday morning the students and the old grads met in the various literary society halls for the annual reunions. The Auroras began their meeting with a short program at the Aurora arch dedicating the new iron gates at the two northern entrances to the campus. The son of the Aurora who made the presentation speech at the dedication ceremony for the Arch thirty years ago (June 1906) made a brief address. From the halls, rounds of applause crashed across the campus as some old-timer finished his speech. Then a blending of the ringing challenge "On Adelphians!" with "Forward Auroras!" and the more plaintive notes of "Avon, dear Avon," and "Vesper bells!" denoted that a social dish of ice-cream would soon put a period to the four reunions.

After lunch in the college dining hall visitors and friends gathered in Assembly Hall for one of Professor Yoder's delightful, informal music programs. The program consisted of numbers by the various musical organizations and solos, vocal and instrumental, by Angelina McPhail, Elinor Smith, Christine Yoder, William Friesen and Raymond Troyer.

Following the musical program an athletic exhibition gave the grads an opportunity to see the youngsters at play. Vernon Miller, of Berlin, Ohio, president of the Athletic Association, won the archery contest; Charles Neff retained his title to the ping pong championship by defeating Eddie Belan, two out

of three; Bonald Overholt, 36, of Goshen, won the finals in the tennis tournament; and the Auroras won, 3-1, the final fray of a three-game series for the inter-society baseball championship, each society having previously won one game each. A feature of the game was the lone Adelphian hit by Jim Brenneman off Beef Miller's delivery and Brenneman's subsequent base running which stampeded the Auroras into making enough errors in the next five minutes to allow him lonehanded to score the only Adelphian tally of the game.

Saturday evening found nearly two hundred alumni gathered in the dining room of Kulp Hall enjoying the annual banquet arranged by C. P. Martin, '27, and Miss Olive Wyse, head of the home economics department. After the presentation of the Class of 1936 by the class sponsor, Dr. M. C. Lehman, '04, their induction into the Alumni Association, and the response by Retha Hostetler, the president of the association introduced S. Jay Hostetler, 18, and 23, of Dhamtari, C. P. India, as toastmaster. Dr. S. E. Yoder, 16, toasted for the Class of 1916 and Miss Olive Wyse, 26, for the Class of 1926. Mr. Clarence L. Murray, x23, Indiana State Director of Teacher Training, Indianapolis, Indiana, gave the address of the evening. He spoke appreciatively of the high character of the work done by Goshen College, dwelt on the superior training of the faculty of the institution and earnestly recommended more liberal financial support of the college program to hasten entrance into the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The Smith Sisters of Elkhart, led by Elinor Smith, 36, pianist, delighted alumni and friends with a varied program of musical numbers.

On Sunday morning Sunday school proceeded as usual but with a large group of visitors. William Hallman, 28, of Lancaster, Pa., read the scripture lesson and Professor H. L. Burkholder, of Newville, Pa., gave the lesson review. Bishop T. K. Hershey, 11, preached an inspiring sermon on the need for greater activity in carrying out the Great Commission and directing attention particularly to the possibilities for mission work among foreigners residing in the United States. In the afternoon S. J. Hostetler, 18 and 23, spoke on India and Elvin V. Snyder, 27, on "The Call of the Pampa."

On Sunday evening, June 7, Bishop A. J. Steiner, '00, of North Lima, Ohio, preached the baccalaureate sermon. He made a stirring appeal to the young people to interpret the Goshen College motto, "Culture for Service," in terms of service to Christ and the Church.

The final chapel service and devotional meeting were held on Monday morning. President Yoder conducted the chapel service. Carl Kreider was leader of the last devotional meeting immediately afterward. A number of students, parents, and alumni testified to benefits that Goshen College has brought to them and to those in whom they are interested.

After the annual luncheon, served cafeteria style and eaten under the trees on the campus, the large number present gathered in the grove in the rear of the Administration Building for a brief program. Ora M. Keiser, 31, was chairman. Each of the following gave a short speech: Lewis J. Powell, 07, Howard Musselman, 29, Harley Hunsicker, 31, and William Hallman, 25 and 29. Dean Bender spoke of the growth of the College in number of students, offerings and prestige. His announcement that the College had purchased the Shoup property of eight acres adjoining the campus on the south to be used as an athletic field and for future building sites came as a surprise to many alumni. He spoke of the urgent need of a library building and of an auditorium and field house.

A baseball game between the alumni and varsity completed the afternoon's program. The hurling of Lloyd Hostetler, 35, for the alumni and "Beef" Miller, 37, for the Varsity were features of the game, Miller allowing only one hit and striking out eight men and Hostetler permitting five hits and striking out seven men. A three-bagger by George Smith, 38, in the first inning followed by a hit by Dave Ebersole, 38, accounted for the first run. In the sixth inning the Varsity annexed two more runs on two errors and a base on balls. The alumni made their first run with the assistance of two errors followed by a sacrifice hit by R. Umble, 35. Their second came as the result of a two-bagger by O. Miller, 34, and an error, but Miller, Varsity pitcher, nipped the rally by striking out three men.

The annual Commencement exercises in Assembly Hall brought the strenuous but happy week-end to a close. Dean Harold S. Bender presided. Bishop T. K. Hershey, of Argentina, gave the invocation, President Sanford C. Yoder delivered the Commencement address and Bishop D. A. Yoder, president of the Mennonite Board of Education, pronounced the benediction. President Yoder chose as his subject "Cultures of the Future, I Salute You." He paid a glowing tribute to the great men and women of the past who have contributed to our civilization but asserted that living must be in the present and for the future. He appealed to the graduates to spend their lives in the service of humanity and in extending the borders of the Kingdom of God upon earth. At the conclusion of the address, Dean Bender presented the graduates and President Yoder presented the diplomas to those who had completed the Elementary Teacher Training Course and the Christian Worker's Course, and conferred degrees upon those who had completed the courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education, Bachelor of Arts, and Bachelor of Theology. The names of the graduates appear in the last issue of the NEWS LETTER. The name of Lowell Ovid Troyer should appear with the group which received the degree, Bachelor of Science in Education, and not with the group which received the Bachelor of Arts. The name of Wilma Culp, Goshen, Indiana, with majors in English and history, should appear with the group to receive the Bachelor of Science in Education in August. The name of Elda Long was unintentionally omitted from the group receiving the diploma for completing the elementary teacher training course.

THE COLLEGE QUARTET

An organization that played an important part in the activities of the Commencement season is the College Quartet and their work was of a uniformly high order. They sang on the Thursday evening program, in the Sunday services and at the College Luncheon on Monday afternoon. The Quartet, organized three years ago by Roy Umble, 35, after the Varsity Four was lost to the campus through graduation, originally consisted of Mr. Umble, first tenor; Richard Yoder, 37, second tenor; Raymond Troyer, 36, baritone, and William Friesen, 37, bass. Mr. Umble having been graduated in June, 1935, Professor Walter E. Yoder selected Dwight Weldy, 39, of Wakarusa, Indiana, to fill the first tenor position last November and the organization has seen much service during the year both on and off the campus. From the beginning the quartet has made it a rule to use only such numbers as it had committed to memory.

The repertoire includes over sixty songs and hymns suitable for various types of program. The graduation of Raymond Troyer this year leaves a gap in the organization that will be very hard to fill, but it is hoped that the quartet may continue.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT OF GOSHEN CITY SCHOOLS

Mr. Ort L. Walter, M. A., has been elected superintendent of the Goshen City Schools to succeed Mr. J. W. Foreman, deceased. Mr. Walter has been principal of the Goshen high school for the past fourteen years. During several summer sessions he has served the College as special instructor in education. His daughter, Madlyn (B.A., Indiana University, 1935), spent her junior year, 1933-34, in residence in Goshen College and received the elementary education diploma and the degree, Bachelor of Science in Education, with the Goshen College class of 1936. Mr. Walter's son, Robert, is planning to attend Goshen College next year. He has done good work in the high school debating team. Mr. Harold H. Bechtel, x26, M.A., formerly principal of the West Goshen school, has been elected to succeed Mr. Walter as principal of the high school.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES OF THE COLLEGE FACULTY

President Sanford C. Yoder left the campus on June 10 to attend the Pacific Coast Mennonite Conference. He will tour the Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountain region until the middle of July in the interests of the College. Then he will return home and proceed to Pennsylvania and other points in the eastern United States.

Dean Harold S. Bender will make a trip to Europe this summer to attend a world conference of Mennonites in Holland and he will also spend some time at the University of Heidelberg.

C. L. Graber, business manager, will spend considerable time this summer in the office and on the field directing the campaign to raise funds to liquidate the College debt.

D. A. Lehman, professor emeritus, will spend the summer in the University of Colorado at Boulder.

Dr. S. W. Witmer is teaching in the Summer Session.

Dr. Silas Hertzler is director of the Summer Session and will spend most of the summer in Goshen in the registrar's office.

Professor and Mrs. Umble are in Boulder, Colorado, where Professor Umble is enrolled in courses in public speaking and English and American literature.

Dr. Hershberger and Dr. Miller are teaching in the Summer Session.

Mrs. Glen R. Miller is director of the Vacation Bible School and is teaching several courses in the Summer Session.

Dr. Edward Yoder, dean of men, will be studying the problem of personnel counseling in preparation for the new program which is under consideration.

Professor Willard Smith is continuing his graduate study at Indiana University.

Professor Samuel Yoder is teaching composition and English and American literature in the Summer Session.

Professor Burkhart will be engaged in student solicitation during the summer.

Miss Lydia Shenk is touring Europe in company with Mrs. Ina K. Slate.

Professor Walter E. Yoder will spend the summer and the first semester of next year studying in the Conservatory of Music at Northwestern University.

Miss Olive Wyse is doing graduate work in home economics at the University of Chicago.

Miss Mary Royer is doing graduate work in Elementary Education at the University of Chicago.

Dr. M. C. Lehman is teaching philosophy in the Summer Session.

Mrs. MacFarland is taking several courses at the College during the Summer Session.

Miss LaVerne Yoder is in residence at the University of Colorado at Boulder taking courses in speech and physical education in further preparation for her work as instructor in English and speech and director of physical education for women at the College next year.

Stella Kauffman received the degree, Bachelor of Library Science, from the University of Illinois on June 9 and is beginning her work as assistant librarian during the Summer Session.

Paul Mininger has had his leave of absence extended in order to continue graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania during the Summer Session and all of next year.

Professor B. F. Hartzler, who will have charge of music instruction at the College and who will be director of the college choruses during the absence of Professor Yoder, is music instructor at the College during the Summer Session.

THE CLASS OF 1936

Lois Winey is assistant business manager during the Summer Session and will continue her duties in this position next year. She is assisted by Thelma Hostetler, 37.

Florence Gangwer is employed to teach Latin, English and biological science in the Millersburg, Indiana, high school next year.

Ruth Gnagy is employed to teach the commercial branches in the Topeka, Indiana, high school.

Orpha Mae Huffman will continue her work as teacher in Elkhart Junior high next year.

Lowell Troyer is employed as teacher in the rural schools of Middlebury Township, Elkhart County.

Wilma Culp will continue her work as grade teacher in the Jamestown schools.

Glen Guengerich is a graduate student at the State University of Iowa.

Ivan Lind is planning to enter Eastern Baptist Seminary at Philadelphia next fall.

Katherine E. Miller will complete the work for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Goshen College, 1936-37.

Elinor Smith is attending a Summer Session at the State University of Iowa. She has been offered two positions for next year.

Noble Frederick is working on the M. A. at the University of Michigan and will continue his work as teacher in the Chamberlain school next year.

Ida Friesen began work in the Elkhart City Hospital on June 10 as day nurse in the infant ward. She and Miss Mary Good, 19, are both employed in this ward.

Lois Gunden is teaching in the Vacation Bible School.

Lester Hershey has accepted a position with the Mennonite Publishing House in Scottdale, Pa.

Mildred Hostetler is doing graduate work in home economics at the State University of Iowa during the Summer Session.

Retha Hostetler is teaching in the Vacation Bible School.

Carl Kreider has been granted unconditional graduate standing at Princeton University. He will do graduate work in economics.

Carroll Lewis is assistant secretary at the Elkhart Y. M. C. A.

Karl Massanari has been employed as music supervisor and teacher of mathematics at the Berlin, Ohio, high school.

Bertha Nitzsche is taking graduate courses in home economics at the State University of Iowa during the Summer Session. Next year she will be instructor in home economics, librarian and bookkeeper at Hesston College.

Edwin Schmucker is engaged in rural mission work.

Mrs. Ina K. Slate is taking advantage of an art tour to Europe this summer.

Mary Alice Wenger is house mother in the Woodstock School for Boys in Mussoori, India.

Euphemia Allan is employed to teach a rural school near Canton, Ohio.

Ruth Cook is employed to teach school in Baugo Township, Elkhart County.

Charles Gardner is employed to teach a rural school in Middlebury Township, Elkhart County.

Howard Greenawalt is employed to teach school in LaGrange County, Indiana.

Lillian Hartzler is employed to teach in Jackson Township, Champaign County, Ohio.

Lois Hartzler is employed to teach rural school near her home in Harrisonville, Missouri.

Shirley Holloway is employed to teach in Locke Township, Elkhart County.

Ann Jennings is employed to teach rural school near her home at Concord, Tennessee.

Velma Johns is employed to teach the grade in the North Canton school taught last year by her sister Gladys.

Elda Long has been employed to teach the Woodlawn school near Sterling, Illinois.

Beulah Rich of Crawfordsville, Iowa, will teach a rural school in central Illinois.

Frances Schrock of Lowpoint, Illinois, will teach a rural school about seven miles north of Eureka, Illinois, taught for several years by Thelma Oyer.

Elizabeth Sieber has been employed to teach a rural school near her home at Dakota, Illinois.

Beulah Troyer, of Elida, Ohio, has been employed to teach a rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

Howard Kaser has been employed to teach a rural school near his home in Holmes County, Ohio.

Minnie Sutter of Kouts, Indiana, has been employed to teach a rural school in central Illinois.

THE SUMMER SESSION

The summer session opened on June 9 with an initial enrollment of 69. Total enrollment will probably exceed that of previous years. The following alumni are registered in summer school. Bertha Risser, ex36; Florence Shirk, 33; Cloyse Hershberger, 35; Lillie Garwood, ex26; John E. Lehman, 35; Wilma Lehman, 33; Mabel Heiser, ex34; Mrs. Olive (Troyer) Weaver, ex28; Mrs. Ruth Fogelsonger, ex22; June Fogelsonger, ex33; Rhea Yoder, 23; Inez Hauder, ex37; Orin Beechy, 33; Lloyd E. Hartzler, ex36; Agnes Nafziger, ex33.

FIRST PRINCIPAL OF ELKHART INSTITUTE REACHES RETIREMENT AGE

Mr. Willis E. Tower, first principal of the Elkhart Institute at Elkhart, Indiana, retired as principal of the Englewood, Illinois, high school in June. Mr. Tower has spent most of his teaching years at Englewood. He was physics teacher from 1897 to 1919, assistant principal from 1919 to 1925, principal of the evening school during the same period, and has been principal of the day high school since 1934. He was principal of the Libby elementary school, February, 1922, to June, 1924; principal of Calumet high school, 1924-25 and 1933-34, and district superintendent of senior high schools, May, 1925, to September, 1933.

Mr. Tower wrote a high school physics text which was adopted by the board of education for use in Chicago high schools. He has served for three years on the executive committee of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. He does not intend to let his retirement put a period to his services as a teacher. He has already declined a lucrative offer in New Jersey in order to be near to his father and mother, 91 and 86 years old respectively, who live in Chana, Illinois.

Mr. Tower was born June 5, 1871, at Bennington, Vermont, but he has lived nearly all his life in Illinois. His teaching days began at the age of seventeen at the Stone Hill school a mile from his father's home. He had previously attended the district school and a new school in Chana where he and a classmate had prepared for the teachers examination under the guidance of their instructor, John Cross.

Working his way through the University of Illinois where he was a student leader, he assumed the principalship of the Elkhart Institute on his graduation in 1895. Following a visit to the Englewood high school in 1897, Mr. Tower resigned as principal of the Elkhart Institute at the end of his second year and took the position of physics teacher in Englewood in September of the same year. He was married to Alta Cooly of Rochelle, Illinois, in 1899 and has two sons and one daughter.

OFFICERS OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

At the annual meeting of the Association held in the college dining hall, Saturday evening, June 1, the following officers were elected for the year 1936-37: Dr. M. C. Lehman, 04, president; Dean H. S. Bender, 18, first vice-president; Bishop A. J. Steiner, 00, second vice-president; Dr. Silas Hertzler, 13, secretary; C. P. Martin, 27, treasurer; Professor Walter E. Yoder, 13 and 33, fifth member of the Executive

Committee; Dean Bender, member of the Mennonite Board of Education; John Umble, 01 and 05, editor of the NEWS-LETTER; Dr. M. C. Lehman, O. O. Miller, 15; and Melvin Gingerich, 26, Advisory Committee of Associate Editors of the NEWS-LETTER; Abram Hallman, 27 and 31; Dr. Silas Hertzler, C. P. Martin, Ross Gerber, 33, Dr. S. W. Witmer, 14, and Carl Kreider, 36, members of the Board of Directors for two years.

WEDDING BELLS

Arlene Ulery 32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ulery of North Second Street, Goshen, was united in marriage to Dallas Westfall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Westfall of North Second Street, on May 15, the Rev. Fr. Scully officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Ulery are proprietors of the Westfall Studio of Goshen. Mr. Westfall is an accomplished violinist. Mrs. Westfall is an instructor in piano and accordion and is organist at St. James Church.

Agnes Weaver 32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Weaver of Goshen, was united in marriage with Dr. Orie J. Eigsti 31, of Long Island, New York, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eigsti, of Morton, Illinois, on May 22, in the First United Brethren Church of Akron, Ohio, Dr. J. Harmon Dutton officiating. Dr. and Mrs. Eigsti are at home in Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, where Dr. Eigsti is engaged in research work in the department of genetics of the Carnegie Institute of Washington, D. C. Dr. F. S. Martin, 29, and Alice Gerig x32, both of Goshen, were among the guests present at the wedding.

On May 28 Chris Roth of Nampa, Idaho, and Adelia Hostetler 30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hostetler, also of Nampa, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Roth has been teaching in the home high school since her graduation.

Daniel A. Johns, 29, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johns x01, (Elizabeth Rickert x02) of Goshen, Indiana, and Ruth Mast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Mast of Millersburg, Ohio, were united in marriage at the Martins Creek Church on May 24. The father of the groom, Ira Johns, preached the sermon, an uncle, Bishop O. N. Johns x07, performed the ceremony, and the grandfather, Bishop D. J. Johns, offered the invocation and pronounced the benediction. Mrs. Johns has been a nurse for several years and Mr. Johns is a dairyman at Oyster Point, Virginia, where the young couple will reside.

John M. S. Steiner, 34, son of Bishop Albert J. Steiner of North Lima, Ohio, and Mildred Metzler, x34, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Metzler, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on June 6, the father of the groom officiating. Both Mr. and Mrs. Steiner have been teaching. Mr. Steiner has been teaching at the Ellsworth School for the past two years.

Dr. Cecil Kolb Bender 29, son of Mrs. Elsie Bender of South Main Street, Goshen, and Alice Elizabeth Boren, daughter of Mrs. Frank W. Boren of Owensville, Indiana, were united in marriage on May 30 at the First Presbyterian Manse on South Fifth Street, Goshen, the Rev. Trevor V. D. Dillon officiating. Dr. and Mrs. Bender are at home at 404 East Lincoln Avenue, Goshen. Mrs. Bender has been a teacher of English in the Goshen Junior High School for the past few years. Dr. Bender is a practicing physician in Goshen.

At a very pretty ceremony in Assembly Hall on Tuesday morning, June 9, in the presence of a small group of relatives and invited friends, J. Harold Smith 32, instructor in history at Hesston College, Hesston, Kansas, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith of Elida, Ohio, and Mildred Risdon 35, teacher in the Waterford schools, daughter of Mrs. Mae Risdon of 118 West Jackson Street, Goshen, were united in marriage, Dr. M. C. Lehman officiating. They were accompanied by Samuel C. Swartz 34, instructor in English at Hesston College, and Dorothy Zook 37, of Goshen.

Paul Detwiler, teller in the Doylestown bank, Doylestown, Pa., and Barbara Thut 30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Thut, also of Doylestown, Pa., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on June 25. Mrs. Detwiler has been teaching school for several years since her graduation.

On Sunday, June 14, Paton Yoder 35, of Bloomington, Indiana, son of Silvanus Yoder, of Middlebury, Indiana, and Hazel Smucker 39, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smucker of R. 5, Goshen, were united in marriage.

George Bishop x34, of Doylestown, Pennsylvania, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bishop, and Verna Smith 34, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith of Eureka, Illinois, were united in marriage on June 27. Mrs. Bishop has been assistant principal and supervisor of music for several years.

Ross Gerber 33, son of Mrs. Lawrence Gerber of Sugarcreek, Ohio, and Ruth Hertzler 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Hertzler, of Belleville, Pennsylvania were united in marriage on June 27. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gerber have been teaching since graduation.

Ann Burkhart, daughter of Mrs. Burkhart (Molly Yoder, ex01) of South Eighth Street, Goshen, became the bride of Kenneth MacGuffin of Columbus, Ohio, son of Doctor and Mrs. MacGuffin of Pettisville, Ohio, on June 12. The ceremony took place in the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, Goshen, the Reverend J. E. Hartzler of Dayton, Ohio, officiating.

The marriage of Ervin E. Burkholder, x33, son of Mr. David E. Burkholder of Pettisville, Ohio, and Grace Zook 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Zook (Mary Krabill, x07), of West Liberty, Ohio, was solemnized at the Friends' Parsonage in Urbana, Ohio, the Rev. Paul B. Lindley officiating. Mr. Burkholder is a graduate from Anthony Wayne School of Commerce, and is employed as an accountant by the Fisher Body Company in Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Burkholder has been teaching near West Liberty, Ohio, for the past six years.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

A daughter, Dian Elizabeth, was born June 4 at the Mishawaka Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smoker 21 (Lydia Stemen 22) of Osceola, Indiana.

LaVon Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Menno E. Miller 31, 33, (Hazel Stauffer 30, 33) of 460 North George Street, Millersville, Pennsylvania, was born on May 19.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. Nancy Hartman, daughter of George (Burkholder) Brenneman was born in Fairfield County, Ohio, March 6, 1847, died May 29, at her home three miles north of Nappanee. On December 1,——, her marriage to Adam R. Hartman took place in Putnam County, Ohio. She is the mother of Rev. Frank Hartman x01, of Ludlow, Kentucky. Funeral services were held at the First Mennonite Church at Nappanee, the Rev. Ezra Mullett 12, officiating.

John, son of the late Samuel and Annie (Blough) Spiegle was born August 11, 1864, and died April 27, 1936. On April 3, 1887, he was united in marriage to Laura Gashow. He was the father of Kathryn M. 16, (widow of the late Dr. Homer C. Blough) and of Ruth (wife of John A. Lehman 29).

Magdalena, daughter of Jacob and Anna Yoder, was born in Mahoning County, Ohio, July 28, 1857, and died May 1, 1936. She was united in marriage to Jonas Smucker, January 6, 1891, and was the mother of Mrs. Emma Rohrer 32, of Smithville, Ohio, and of Katie 30, (Mrs. David Steiner) of North Lima, Ohio.

Susan Troyer was born in Holmes County, Ohio, October 7, 1874, and died in Middlebury, Indiana, May 12, 1936. On December 24, 1896, she was married to Silvanus Yoder of Middlebury, Indiana. She was the mother of Rhea Bernice 23; Catherine Ruth 27 (Mrs. Paul Kortemier) Freeport, Illinois; Dr. Jonathan G. 27, of North Lima, Ohio; and Professor Samuel A. 28, and Paton W. 35, of Bloomington, Indiana.

Otto H. Helfrick, prominent merchant of Elkhart, died at his late residence at 123 S. Riverside Drive, on Monday morning, June 8. Mr. Helfrick was the son of Henry and Anna (Eichhorn) Helfrick and was born in Dunkirk, Ohio, on December 17, 1878. On June 18, 1903, Mr. Helfrick was married to Miss Laura Timmins, 99. She survives with a son, Robert H. Helfrick, and a daughter, Margaret J. Helfrick, both at the parental home. Mr. Helfrick was prominent in the civic life of Elkhart and was serving the last third of his second three-vear term as a member of the board of education of Elkhart city.

PERSONALS

Ernest Kegerreis x36, was graduated from Taylor University, Upland, Indiana, on June 2 and became a regularly ordained minister of the M. E. Church at the last conference with an assignment to Winchester, Indiana, a city of about 9,000. His charge includes three churches.

Dr. S. Lloyd Johnson M.D., 12 and 14, of 1303 Frederick Road, Catonsville, Maryland, who is assistant professor of medicine at the University of Pennsylvania was appointed by Governor Harry Nice of Maryland at the beginning of the year on the board of directors of the Rosewood State Training School. This is a state sanitarium or hospital for the mentally handicapped of the state. The service of membership is one of love and the appointment is given as a token of good citizenship and public duty.

At the annual meeting of the Goshen board of religious education the work of Caroline Lehman 34, who has taught Bible in the Goshen public schools for the past two years, was highly commended and Miss Lehman was unanimously asked to continue her services next year. During the past year she gave Bible instruction to more than 1100 children each week, in thirty classes and six grades of the Goshen public schools.

Henry Nymeyer x36, student at the University of Illinois at Champaign has a position for the summer at Moline, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shenk x30, and son, David, reside at Doylestown, Pennsylvania.

Elma Bixler x30, Iva Smucker x34, Orpha Lehman, x36, maintain their Goshen loyalties in spite of the fact that they are employed at Holden Hall, Wooster, Ohio, on the campus of Wooster College.

Dr. S. E. Yoder, D.O., 16, 1610 Race Avenue, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, will present a paper at the National Osteopathic Convention, to be held in New York City at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, July 20-24.

The following item which appeared in the West Liberty Banner for May 14, 1936, reprinted from the issue of May 16, 1896, brought back memories of the editor's graduation from the grade school forty years ago: "The Fourth Annual Commencement of the Salem Township Schools was held in Hon. Wm. Gehman's grove, on Friday, May 8. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. Buckles. There were eight graduates, Jessie L. Pierce, Fred A. Madden, Nellie P. Everhart, John Umble, Leona B. Davis, Floy E. Taylor, Arthur McClellan, Emma Couchman. Hon. O. T. Corson, State School Commissioner, was present and made a splendid address."

The executive and mission committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities have recommended furloughs for Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smucker, 28 (Alma Albrecht 11), and Miss Dora Shantz 27, for the spring of 1937.

Ernest E. Miller 17, treasurer of the managing committee of the India Mission, writes that the mission has acquired new territory for a station at Drug and that Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Weaver 30, (Irene Lehman 32), have been appointed to this new station. They are to occupy it on their return from the hills about the first of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Orie O. Miller (Elta Wolf 12), Akron, Pennsylvania, and their daughter, Lois 37, expect to tour Europe during the summer.

Barbara Zook x31, has been employed to teach English and physical education and to coach dramatics at the Millersburg, Indiana, High School for next year. She left June 13 to do graduate work at Ball State Teachers College at Muncie.

Louis L. Miller 16, is one of nine field workers for the new organization of the Anti-Saloon League of Illinois. His address is 209 West Cossitt Avenue, LaGrange, Illinois.

On Saturday, June 6, Milton L. Smith 28, was admitted to Phi Delta Kappa at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

S. Maurice Allgyer x26, is head of the public speaking department in North High School, Columbus, Ohio.

Lois Oyer 35, has just completed her first year of teaching at Howell, Michigan, and is re-employed for next year.

Esther Oyer x32, is a teacher on Route 3, St. Johns, Michigan.

Edna Oyer 29, of St. Johns, Michigan, who has been teaching a rural school, will teach the first grade in St. Johns next year.

John M. Allgyer, x29, is a salesman for the International Harvester Company with headquarters at Columbus, Ohio.

Weddell J. Berkey x32, has been elected president of the Goshen High School Alumni Association.

Frank Umble x31, resigned his position as test cow milker at Meadow Lodge Farms, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on June 8, to accept a position with the Champlin Oil Refining Company at Enid, Oklahoma.

Orus Jessup x36, of Goshen, who transferred to Defiance College, Defiance, Ohio, last September, received the B. A. degree from that institution on June 5.

J. J. Miller x36, of Goshen, who transferred to Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio, in September 1934, was graduated from that institution with the B. A. degree on June 10. Mr. Miller has been employed for the next year in a high school near Bucyrus, Ohio.

June Fogelsonger x33, who has been teaching English and Latin in the Millersburg, Indiana, high school for the past two years will teach in the high school at Sidney, Indiana, next year.

Naomi Fogelsonger x35, is employed to teach Latin, Commercial branches and physical education for girls at the Jefferson township high school north of Goshen next year.

Ferne Smith 35, Thelma Oyer 32, Elsie Mast 35, and Lorene Mast are spending the summer in Manitou Springs, Colorado.

C. Raber Kennell, x32, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kennell of Goshen, has been appointed probation and parole officer for the northern Indiana district federal court. For the past several years Mr. Kennell has been chief statistical clerk of the bureau of prisons of the department of justice in Washington, D. C.

Robert Welty x35, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Welty 23, of Goshen, who received the degree, Bachelor of Public School Music, at DePauw University in June, 1935, and who has been assisting the county band instructor in Elkhart County, has been elected assistant band and orchestra director to Mr. David Hughes of Elkhart High School.

OCCUPATIONAL STUDIES

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kind of teaching activity. The large number of graduate students, twelve men and seven women, is to be expected because few of those listed are yet thirty years old. The comparatively small number of homemakers listed in Table IV may be accounted for in the same way but it is also no doubt true that the depression years have made many marriages past due. That this is true seems to be reflected in the present issue of the NEWS-LETTER. Returning national prosperity seems to be at least partially responsible for the large number of June weddings this year. One interesting tendency is the increasing number of college graduates who are engaged in some type of business. Among the non-graduate college students, as shown by Tables V and VI, comparatively few of the men are engaged in teaching, but nearly sixteen per cent of the women are engaged in that profession. It is interesting to note that fifty-one, or more than twenty-five per cent, of the non-graduate college women are homemakers, as compared to less than fourteen per cent of the women graduates and less than three per cent of the women graduates from the elementary teacher training course. Since academy courses have been discontinued, the statistics regarding academy students are not particularly significant but they are added here in order to make the record complete.

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SOME DOCTRINAL PHASES OF CHRISTIAN EXPANSION FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE CHRISTIAN ERA TO THE END OF THE APOSTOLIC AGE

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The contemporary setting into which Christianity is introduced needs to be realized, at least to some extent, before the doctrinal phases involved in its early spread can be evaluated. Certain characteristics of the ethics of Christianity are brought into clearer emphasis because of the needs and qualities of those to whom it was first preached and taught. The elevation of precepts into the class of doctrine, was determined, to some extent at least, by the needs and conceptions of its early converts before conversion.

The setting into which Christianity is introduced as a religion is a population in Palestine which was effectively under the influence of Grecian culture.[1] The culture and the philosophical mind-set of Greece was dominant throughout the Roman Empire, but the latter had shaped the administrative phase of the Mediterranean countries into a political unity. The Judaism of Palestine was largely affected by the Hellenistic tendencies of the time. The confluence of the streams of Hellenistic and Roman influence within the bounds of the Judaism of Palestine had left the religious and cultural conceptions of this polyglot population anything but a unity. The Jew was religiously a monotheist and the Greek was tending in the same direction because of strong monistic tendencies in influential and recent philosophical systems. To this the Roman contributed a keen sense of duty and a system of law.

Among the characteristics of this rather heterogeneous population were the following as outstanding:

1. Uncertainty as to the relation of spirit and body.
2. Uncertainty as to the relation of God and the world.
3. Discussion as to the function of knowledge in a process of redemption.
4. The place of conduct in religious experience and question about personal responsibility.
5. Curiosity as to the ethical attributes of the Godhead.
6. Why the impotence of mankind in a process of redemption from imminent danger of disaster.[2]

In Judea and Palestine where Jesus taught, speculation along the above lines must have been frequent. In both provinces were situated cities on the main lines of travel between vantage

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1 A. Harnack, *The Expansion of Christianity*, p. 19.

2 A. Harnack, *The Expansion of Christianity*, pp. 33-35.

points in the Roman Empire in which Greek was spoken freely and where lived representatives of these widely divergent cultures.

Among these the Jew was looking for a Messiah who would bring about a restoration of his political freedom, an economic panacea, and a morally and religiously based social order. The Greek was looking for some redemptive agency to help in realizing the best that life could afford. The materialism of Rome had devitalized the idealism of Greece which fructified in "superstition among the masses, indifference among the classes, and otiose ideals among all."[3]

Into this area and era of flux, "Jesus came preaching." "The immediate subject of Jesus' teaching was the reign of God."[4] This idea of the reign of God was associated with the prophecies in Zechariah 14:9 and Obadiah 2:1. These were regarding a universal application of the gospel of the Messiah. Messianism as understood by post exilic Jews was that the coming king should reign over the entire earth. This conception had again been largely lost by the time of Jesus. For Jesus universalism of His mission was inherent in His program.

From the time of Jesus' visit to Jerusalem at twelve years of age he referred to God as His father. In all circumstances He reveals a father-consciousness as to God. At His baptism the voice He is reported to have heard, "Thou art my beloved son, in thee I am well pleased," (Mark 1:11) is a declaration of His Messiahship in terms of sonship for the words are a combination of two prophetic writings understood as referring to a universal Messiah. (Psalms 2:9 and Isa. 42:1)

Jesus' consciousness throughout His entire career was one of sonship of a universal God and also of Himself as a universal Messiah. Further that He was entrusted with a universal program. Jesus moreover regarded His sonship as an experience and relationship which He had come into the world to share and impart to other people. In leaving His disciples in this world He says to them, "I ascend to my Father and your Father." "Jesus had always known that perfect and eternal sonship, which was the characteristic mark of the future life with God, i. e. the Messianic Kingdom, would also find its complete, perfect, and eternal realization."[5]

Another principle in the life and character of Jesus, and one which is a necessary corollary of His conception of sonship, is the conception of universal brotherhood. In the same light as we take the command of Jesus for world wide evangelism as ideally true and fully representative of His character and grounded in the nature of God Himself; we can take the passage in Matthew 23:3 where He tells His disciples, "and all ye are brethren." This is ideally true because based in the same factual experience of Jesus.

The parables of Jesus are among the most revealing utterance we have as to the content of His teaching and character. They are explicit not only as to the mere fact of fraternity but express clearly the normal working out of fraternity in service for the needs of others. The parable of the Good Samaritan puts the principle of universal brotherhood and the service it implies, so clear as to be beyond all doubt. His own life and character were a confirmation of His own conception of sonship of God and brotherhood of man.

But the greatest fact about Jesus and one which is compelling as a doctrine for a dynamic to evangelism, lies in the fact that He must always have very clearly conceived that the full fruition of His life program could be accomplished only by His death. He had taught the supreme value of human personality and also that one of the necessary prices for progress in the establishment of His kingdom was the giving of human life. "Whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's shall find it," He tells those who are contemplating following Him. In another quotation under similar circumstances He declares the necessity to

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[3] Wenly, R. M. *The Preparation for Christianity,* p. 187.
[4] Moore, G. F. *History of Religion,* Vol. 2, p. 115.
[5] McGiffert, A. C. *A History of Christianity in the Apostolic Age,* p. 22.

forsake, "house, brethren, sisters, father, mother, wife, children, and lands," for service in His program. He taught these more austere phases of His program for the establishment of His kingdom aware that He must seal His testimony by His own example of death. The choice was deliberately made and the eventuality voluntarily assumed and experienced.

The doctrines of sonship of God, brotherhood of people, the infinite worth of personality, the complete impotence of man, the all-sufficiency of God, and service to needy mankind everywhere, are the ground work in the teaching of Jesus for the universal mission He came to establish. They should be a dynamic not a whit less effective than during Jesus' time. The needs of people are as great and greater. The desire for religious experience and satisfaction as keen as ever. The dynamic from an example of love and passion sealed by life and death is as powerful and compelling as ever.

The dissatisfaction of those responsible for bringing about His execution was based largely on His claims to sonship of God and Messiahship. The implications of these as enunciated by Jesus involving universal brotherhood, were the immediate motivating factors responsible for the plots to kill Him. After the parable of the Good Samaritan in which were shown up in bold relief the lack of the Jewish community with reference to these doctrines, the Jewish lawyer, in response to whose question the parable had been told, likely communicated the insinuating implications to his brother scribes and lawyers. In any case as soon as the parable-giving period in Jesus' life is complete we find, according to Luke 22:2 that the chief priests and scribes sought how they might kill Him. It would have been very easy for Jesus to diplomatically avoid the issue by veiled reference to these doctrines. His deliberate choice to face the issue conscious of the inevitable result makes it necessary to say that He sealed His doctrine for a universal message of love with His own death.

When the apostles began to believe after Jesus' death that He was still alive, and after the experience at Pentecost, they began a program of intense evangelism among people of all nationalities both resident and transient in Jerusalem and environs. This action was based on the doctrine of a universal kingdom which Jesus had taught. The first to start such work was Stephen. In his speech recorded in the seventh chapter of Acts in verses forty-eight and forty-nine he clearly states the transitory nature of the temple worship and of the Mosaic law. In this Stephen was merely reiterating the universalism of Jesus in His intimation that the temple would not be a permanent fixture in Jewish worship. Stephen by his teaching and death added an important step in the development toward the Gentile mission during the transition period between Jesus' death and the work of St. Paul who gave it full application. Next steps were the baptism of the Ethiopian officer by Philip, Peter's baptism of the non-Jewish Cornelius at Caesarea, and the preaching of Gentiles at Antioch by converts from Stephen's preaching who were natives of Cyprus and Crete. (Acts 10:20)

The advent of the apostle Paul into the Christian church at this juncture brought in a champion destined for leadership of work among both Gentiles and Jews. In his own thinking in the beginning of his Christian life Paul concerns himself with a clarification as to the place of the law in the Christian gospel. He came to the conclusion that his gospel was the fulfillment of the Jewish law. With Paul the gospel was the new level of religion. By this interpretation he accepted the universalism of Jesus, thus tearing the gospel from the roots of Judaistic narrowness and transplanting it to the soil of all humanity. The gospel had acquired its setting for work among Gentiles. The characteristics of this phase of the Gospel will now show what was the content of the message during the Gentile mission in the apostolic age. The great doctrines which were to be the dynamic to win the Roman Empire to the Christian fold now develop in the crucible of contact between the gospel and Gentile and syncretic beliefs. And the process is fascinating and sublime.

But before the emergence of doctrine is studied it is necessary to note that the followers of Christ go into this contact with positive conviction and definite commitments. The attitude of the Christian propagandists of the apostolic age was one of purpose and was designed to win adherents to a definite Christian standard. The community's most effective propagandist, the apostle Paul, is clear in this in his statement, "For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." The possible foes of the Gospel which Paul enumerates are a comprehensive and accurate estimate of the possible and actual religious and philosophical cults of the then known world. The Christian community's role in this contact is not one of passive observer but one of constructive agent.

An investigation of the message preached by Paul, who is the main writer, thinker, preacher, teacher and evangelist of the period after the scattering of the Christian community from Jerusalem, reveals the following four cardinal points of doctrine as fairly comprehensive of all those later developed.

1. The proximity of the Kingdom of God and the consequent necessity of repentance. I Cor. 6:9, 10.

2. The law is fulfilled in Christ and belief in Him gives an inward disposition to holy living. Acts 13:33.

3. The risen Jesus is the Messiah and will return from heaven to establish His kingdom. I Cor. 15:4f.

4. The Holy Spirit is the presence of Christ in the world now who works in the hearts of men to produce conduct of men worthy of those called to be sons of God or citizens in His Kingdom. Gal. 5:22.[6]

The preaching of such a message and the announcement that the Kingdom of God was near, that moral conduct necessary for citizenship was possible by repentance and acceptance of Christ as Lord of life, was welcome to a people who were discussing the relation of God to the world as was noted in the beginning of this paper. It was heartening to find here assurance as to the place of conduct in religious experience.

The risen Christ as a demonstration of power over all worldly phenomena was welcome to a people troubled with the fact of impotence of mankind to cope successfully with the problems and evils of this world.

The active agency of the Holy Spirit, personally conceived as operative in the world to solve the problem of wisdom and conduct, was comforting and reassuring for a people grouping for a dynamic to help in finding what the Christian called the fruits of the Spirit.

It is but natural then that the four cardinal points of the Pauline preaching should solidify into the doctrines of the post apostolic primitive church. The world to which he preached was ready for them and from these drew the implications necessary for further formulation as need presented. This process was then hastened by the fact that Christianity offered a personal and concrete God in Christ who was factually and historically based and at that not in the remote past.

The ethic which the world was waiting for, received in Christ a concrete yet supernatural reference. This proved to be both its driving force and conserving value. With all of corruption that followed when Rome became nominally Christian, the ethics of Christianity remained theoretically positive and fixed.

The doctrines: God and His universal Kingdom, with faith and conduct as requisites for citizenship therein; of personal allegiance to Christ as Lord of life and the promised Messiah, the Son of God; the fulfillment of the whole of the Jewish law in the life and death of Christ; and the operation of the Holy Spirit producing a disposition to proper conduct: these formed the doctrinal base on which the superstructure for the Christian church was built and they were forged from the active contact of the early Christian community in its endeavor to bring Gentile Christians to be adherents to Christ its Lord.

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[6] Harnack, A., *The Expansion of Christianity*, p. 106.

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EDITOR'S CHAT

Payment of dues during June fell below the treasurer's expectations. The deficit incurred by the printing of the 1935 *Alumni Directory* must be wiped out. Will alumni wipe this deficit out by the prompt payment of dues or must we drop five hundred alumni off the mailing list in order to save enough on the printing of the NEWS LETTER to pay the deficit? If one hundred fifty alumni pay their dues within sixty days and if one hundred others pay before March, 1937, the editor promises to print an eight to twelve page NEWS LETTER every other month from now until June, 1937, without once mentioning the subject of dues.

ANNUAL DUES

The following have paid annual dues between May 18 and September 15. The officers of your Alumni Association appreciate the loyal support of those who make possible the printing of the Directory and the NEWS-LETTER.

A. C. Moyer 01; Simon C. Hartzler 03; J. S. Yoder 05; L. J. Powell 07 $10.00; Lena I. Albrecht 09; Anna Hoover 10; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler x10 (Sadie Yoder x09) $2.00; C. B. Shoemaker 12; Walter Yoder 13 33; Dr. C. O. Hershey 14; C. J. Gerber; Fred N. and Frances E. Burkey 13 (Frances Ebersole 09) $2.00; William E. Landis 14; Dr. W. C. Brunk 15 21, $5.00; Nelson Bechtel 15; Mrs. L. S. Kreider (Adelia Stover x07), $3.00; Dr. S. E. Yoder 16; H. S. Bender 18; Bertha Leaman 21; Fred Bryner 22; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Reiff 25 (Freda Imhoff x29), $4.00; Edwin Weaver 26; A. P. Hallman 27 31; Elvin Snyder 27, $4.00; Mrs. Raymond Summer (Edna Cook 28); Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker 28 (Pearl Detweiler 29), $5.00; Edna Oyer 29; Mrs. Ervin Reschley (Esther Roth 29); Gladys Honderich 30; Mrs. Forrest M. Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30); Helen Stauffer 30; Elma Bixler x31; Ellis Hostetler 31; Ora Keiser 31; Loren King 31; Blanche Brenneman 32; Iverson Mishler 32; Erma Schertz 32; Dorothy Smith 32; Adeline Aschliman 33; John Baer x33; Lois Oyer 35; Roy Umble 35; Milton Gascho 36; Glen Gingerich 36; Lester Hershey 36; Catherine Moyer x38.

EVERY ALUMNUS A CONTRIBUTOR EVERY YEAR.

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

The following have made cash contributions to the Goshen College Current Expense Fund between May 18 and September 15, 1936. The officers of the Alumni Association and the College Administration appreciate these generous gifts and the friendly spirit that prompts them. The interest and loyalty of alumni is a constant source of inspiration to faculty members and officers of the College.

Lena Albrecht 09; Dr. S. Lloyd Johnson 12 14; William E. Landis 14; Maude E. Byler 18; James Hostetler 21; Henry Mumaw x24; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Summers x24 (Edna Cook 19 28); A. D. Bixler 26; Melvin Gingerich 26; Fannie Shantz 27; Milton Smith 28; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker 28 (Pearl Detweiler 29); Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebersole 30 (Nellie Mae Miller 31); Mrs. Forrest M. Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30); Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smucker 30 (Esther V. Meck x33); Elma Bixler x31; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hostetler 31 (Bernice Gerig x33); Harley M. Hunsicker 31; Adeline Aschliman 33; Elva Gunden 30 34; Orpha M. Lehman x36.

BIOGRAPHY OF JACOB BURKHARD

In July appeared an interesting 214 page book entitled LIFE AND LETTERS OF JACOB BURKHARD. It is written and compiled by Mary Yoder Burkhard x01, his wife, the companion of his missionary labors in India. The book deals with his early life and call to the field, their voyage to India, their experiences on the field, their varied duties as missionaries, the growth of the work to the time of his death, and the pathetic struggle against the complications that caused his death. The biography is highly interesting and is well done. Older alumni will wish a copy because they knew the depth and beauty of the life of Jacob Burkhard. Younger alumni will wish to become more intimately acquainted with the life of the first alumnus who gave his all in India for the cause of foreign missions. The book is available in two bindings: Paper, 60c; cloth, $1, and can be ordered either from the author who lives at 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen, or from the Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, Pa.

POEMS OF RUTH HEATWOLE

Friends of Ruth Heatwole x31, deceased, are issuing a volume of her poems. Miss Heatwole's genius for poetic composition was unusual and during her long, courageous battle for health she spent many happy hours with her pen. Six years ago just as she had begun the work of her senior year in Goshen College, her physician ordered complete rest on account of advanced bronchial tuberculosis. Her heroic struggle against disease and later, her equally heroic resignation were the marvel of all her friends. A limited number of volumes of her poems will be printed and may be ordered from Miss Lenna Heatwole, La Junta, Colorado, at seventy-five cents each.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Louise, fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreider x23 (Hettie Shoup 22) of Constantinople, Turkey, was born in May.

Nancy Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Hostetler 23 (Ruth R. Lantz x26) of Middlebury, Indiana, was born July 16.

David Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Yoder (Mary Yoder x30) of West Liberty, Ohio, was born June 23.

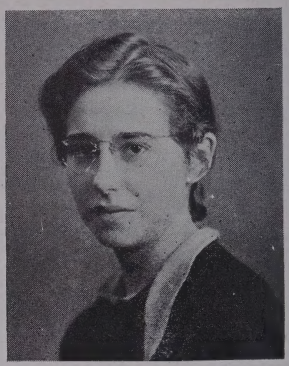
Byron Forrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30) was born September 3.

Diane Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Smoker, 21 (Lydia Stemen 22) of rural route 1, Osceola, Indiana, was born June 4.

TWO RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE FACULTY OF GOSHEN COLLEGE

STELLA KAUFFMAN, B.A., B.L.S.

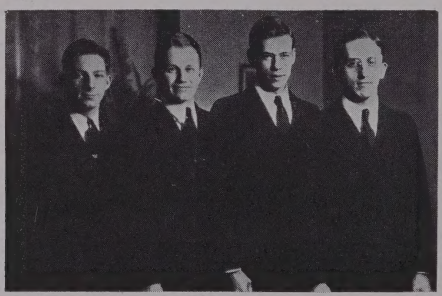
Miss Stella Kauffman, formerly from West Liberty, Ohio, came to Goshen College in September, 1926, worked her way through college almost unaided and was graduated with the degree, Bachelor of Arts, in 1934 with a major in English and minors in Bible and social science. She was employed on the campus during the year 1934-35 as assistant to the registrar and was transferred to the library when a vacancy occurred in the position of assistant librarian. In September, 1935, she entered the Library School of Illinois University and was graduated last June with the degree, Bachelor of Science in Library Science (B.L.S.). She is the first scientifically trained, full-time librarian of Goshen College. She has considerable literary ability and is passionately fond of books. Miss Kauffman is fitted by temperament and training to render a high type of service as librarian of Goshen College.



ETTA LA VERNE YODER, B.A., M.A.

Miss Etta LaVerne Yoder, youngest daughter of President and Mrs. Sanford C. Yoder, was graduated from Goshen College Academy in 1926. In September of that year she entered Goshen College and was graduated in June, 1934, with the degree, Bachelor of Arts, with teaching majors in English and biological science. In September, 1934, she entered the graduate school of Iowa State University to do graduate work in English and received the degree, Master of Arts, in 1935. During the year 1935-36, Miss Yoder was part-time instructor in English in Goshen College and took several courses in home economics. She attended the 1936 Summer Session at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, and although she carried a heavy schedule of courses in public speaking and physical education she found time on week-ends to explore "ghost towns," study Rocky Mountain birds and flowers and climb three major peaks including far-famed Longs Peak. Miss Yoder teaches courses in public speaking and English and has charge of physical education for women.

SUMMER TOUR OF THE GOSHEN COLLEGE QUARTET



The Goshen College quartet—Dwight Weldy, first tenor; Richard Yoder, second tenor; Raymond Troyer, baritone; William Friesen, bass—made a three weeks' tour of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio rendering a program of sacred music in a large number of Mennonite Churches. Their repertoire consists of some of the best sacred music written for male voices. They were received enthusiastically wherever they went. The organization has lost the baritone, Mr. Troyer, through graduation, but it is hoped that someone may be found to fill his place in the organization so that the group may continue the excellent work it has been doing.

REGISTRATION FOR 1936—1937

As the second week of the 1936—1937 school year begins, registration of regular, full-time students has passed 260. The Freshman class, as usual, with an enrollment of 120, is the largest. The total enrollment will probably pass the 300 mark within the next few weeks.

WEDDING BELLS

Robert Bender 32, son of Mrs. Elsie K. Bender of Goshen, and Carolyn Lehman, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman 14 (Lydia Liechty 05) of 1424 South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage on September 6 in Kulp Hall Social Room, the father of the bride officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Bender will be at home in Boston, Massachusetts, where Mr. Bender is a senior in Harvard Medical School.

Edward Mininger x36, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mininger (Hettie Kulp 00) of Kansas City, Kansas, and Mabel Fisher R. N., of Kalona, Iowa, graduate of Mercy Hospital, Iowa City, were married on June 26 at Kalona, Iowa. Mr. Mininger completed the first year of medical school at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, in June.

Stanley L. Miller 32, of Elkhart, Indiana, and Ferne L. Miller 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Miller, of Millersburg, Ohio, were married June 27; J. S. Hartzler, pastor of the Prairie Street Mennonite Church of Elkhart, officiating. They spent their honeymoon in Rocky Mountain National Park and climbed Longs Peak, the most strenuous climb in Colorado. Mr. Miller is science teacher in the centralized school near Andes, New York.

Vera L. Snyder x34, daughter of John S. Snyder of Wadsworth, Ohio, was married to Victor Weltzien, of Wadsworth, on July 3 at a lawn wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. N. B. Ward, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiating. They expect soon to move into their new home on Crestwood Avenue in Wadsworth. Mrs. Weltzien will continue her work in the Citizens Bank in Wadsworth. Mr. Weltzien attended the Akron University School of Engineering at Akron, Ohio, and is employed as a tool designer and draftsman at the Ohio Injector Company of Wadsworth.

Dr. Floyd Samuel Martin 29, son of Mrs. Ada Martin of South Eighth Street, Goshen, and Alice Gerig x32 (B.A. Bluffton 32), daughter of Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig of South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage on September 6. Dr. and Mrs. Martin reside at 801 South Main Street, Goshen. Dr. Martin is a practising physician and surgeon in Goshen with offices on East Lincoln Avenue.

Alvin R. Warstler x32, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warstler, 311 Huron Street, Goshen, and Helen M. Hoover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hoover, Rural Route 1, Goshen, were united in marriage August 2 at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. Burton Metzler of Nappanee officiating. Mrs. Warstler is employed at the sub-postoffice located at the Johnson drug store. Mr. Warstler is instructor in science and coach at Jefferson township school north of Goshen.

Harold Thut, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Thut of West Liberty, Ohio, and Louella Miller 32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller of Orrville, Ohio, were united in marriage on July 29, at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's uncle, John D. Miller, officiating.

Elam J. Zimmerly x31, of Orrville, Ohio, and Ethel M. Sinclair x29 R. N., of La Junta, Colorado, were united in marriage in August at the home of Alpha Kauffman, near Shelby, Wisconsin, L. S. Yoder officiating.

Rollin W. Krabill 35 of Louisville, Ohio, and Gladys Johns 35, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. O. N. Johns x07 (Margaret Rickert 09) of Canton, Ohio, were united in marriage on July 9 at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's father officiating. Mr. Krabill teaches the Mapleton school about ten miles from his home at Louisville, Ohio.

Glenn Whitaker of La Habra, Calif., and Ferne Zimmerman x35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Zimmerman, of Harper, Kansas, were united in marriage July 28 at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's father officiating.

Paul S. Swope of North Lima, Ohio, and Lois McFerren of Columbiana, Ohio, were united in marriage August 21, Bishop A. J. Steiner 00 officiating. Mr. Swope teaches grades seven and eight in the North Lima schools.

Vilas W. Zuercher x35 of Dalton, Ohio, and Elma Gerber, both members of the Sonnenberg congregation in Wayne County, Ohio, were united in marriage June 14, Bishop Aaron Mast of Belleville, Pa., officiating. Mr. Zuercher graduated from the School of Veterinary Medicine at Ohio State University in June.

Henry Lantz and Opal Schrock x26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Altine Schrock, were united in marriage May 17. Ira S. Johns x01 of the Clinton Frame congregation, of which both young people are members, performed the ceremony.

Ralph Mumaw of the Martins congregation near Orrville, Ohio, and Mildred I. Schrock x35 of the Pleasant Hill congregation near Sterling, Ohio, were united in marriage on June 28 at the home of the officiating minister, Stanford Mumaw, Dalton, Ohio.

On Saturday, June 20, Alice Good, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry G. Good 08 (Maude Warye 08) of Columbus, Ohio, was married to Dr. Willard H. Willis of Wellston, Ohio, in the Indianola Presbyterian church. Dr. and Mrs. Willis will reside in Detroit.

NECROLOGY

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mecum (Dorothy M. Blough x28) of Middlebury, died at the Goshen Hospital, June 30.

Ruth Showalter Heatwole x31, daughter of Bishop J. A. Heatwole, was born near Harrisonburg, Virginia, June 22, 1901, died June 20, at the Mennonite Sanatorium, La Junta, Colorado. She was the sister of Lenna F., x32.

John J. Hartzler, son of Abraham and Magdalena Hartzler, was born May 3, 1845, in Mifflin County, Pa. He died August 11. He married Magdalena Mast February 25, 1872. At the age of twenty-nine he was ordained to the ministry in St. Joseph County, Michigan. In 1894 he succeeded Bishop Jacob Kanagy as bishop of the Sugar Grove Mennonite church in Cass County, Missouri. He was the grandfather of John D. 34, Lloyd x38, and Lois Pearl 36.

Mary Hilty, daughter of Bishop John and Jennie (Bechtol) Thut, born September 23, 1844, in Holmes County, Ohio, died at her home near New Stark, Ohio, June 30. On January 10, 1871, she was united in marriage to John H. Hilty of Bluffton, Ohio. She and her husband were charter members of the Chapel congregation near New Stark. Six of Mrs. Hilty's children survive: C. H., Ada; Rhoda, at home; Reuben of Toledo; Elmer of Columbus; Clara (Mrs. E. E. Honsaker) of Lima; and Nora (Mrs. Rudy Brenneman) of Lima. She was the grandmother of Leland H. Brenneman, president of the class of 34.

Professor Boyd D. Smucker 05, of Bluffton College, died on August 13, aged fifty-eight years. He had been in ill health for a year, following an operation. He is survived by his wife, Mary Ebersole Smucker 06 and four sons. Professor Smucker held the degree, Master of Oratory, and taught oratory and physical education in Goshen College from 1907 to 1913.

CLASS OF 1936

The following members of the class of 1936 who completed the elementary teacher training course during the past year have been elected to teaching positions since the July number of the NEWS LETTER was issued:

Marjorie Conrad and Hazel Conrad—first and second grades, respectively, in the grade school at Smithville, Wayne county, Ohio.

Evelyn Miller—in a rural school in Stark county, Ohio.

Marianna Reiff—a rural school near Flagler, Colorado.

Dorothy Shoup—a rural school in Stark county, Ohio.

Ethel Shoup and Lorene Yoder—rural schools in Baughman township, Wayne county, Ohio.

Beulah Troyer—in the grade school at Kingscreek, in Salem township, Champaign county, Ohio.

Anna Lois Yoder—rural school in Harrison township, Elkhart county.

Bertha A. Yoder—in the grade school at North Lewisburg, Champaign county, Ohio.

Olive Yoder—the first grade in the Salem township school at Kingscreek, Champaign county, Ohio.

Olga Buerstrom—substitute grade teacher in the Goshen City Schools.

Ralph Gerber—rural school teacher near Gnadenhutten, Tuscarawas county, Ohio.

Minnie Sutter—rural school near her home at Kouts, Indiana.

Evangeline Weaver—rural school in Jackson township, Elkhart county.

Since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER the following A.B. and B.S. members of the class of 1936 have been elected to teaching positions:

Katherine Royer—a rural school in Baughman township, Wayne county, Ohio.

Madlyn Walter—English and social science in Junior high school in the Jefferson township schools north of Goshen.

Glen Guengerich—rural school near his home at Kalona, Iowa.

Katherine Miller—is assistant instructor in the department of elementary education in Goshen.

Viola Bittinger—is teaching English and home economics in the Howard high school in Knox county, Ohio.

Evelyn Burkholder—teaching home economics in the high school at Highspire, near Harrisburg, Pa.

Lois Gunden—rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

Mildred Hostetler—teaching a combination of subjects including home economics in the Roxbury, Kansas, high school.

Carolyn Smucker—teaching Latin and French in the Salem township high school at Kingscreek, Ohio.

Raymond Troyer—instructor in English and music in the Uniontown, Ohio, high school near Akron, Ohio. He is also supervisor of music in the grades.

The following members of the class of 1936 are employed otherwise than teaching:

Lewis Powell is undertaker's assistant at the Culp Funeral Home on South Main, Goshen.

Elinor Smith is registered for the elementary teaching course at Goshen College.

Retha Hostetler is office assistant to Dean Harold S. Bender.

Carl Kreider is doing graduate work in economics at Princeton University.

Angelina McPhail did graduate work in the University of Michigan during the summer session and will probably continue graduate work during the coming year.

Mrs. Ina K. Slate spent the summer touring in England and on the continent. She has returned to her home in Goshen and expects to spend most of the coming year in the city.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Hilty (Catherine Blosser 04) have moved from 624 East 116 Street, Los Angeles, Calif., to 1408 North Avenue 46, Watt Station, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Burkey 13 (Frances Ebersole 09) are now living in Chicago at 4346 North Lincoln Street.

Anna Hoover 10, rural route 3, Goshen, Indiana, continues her work as teacher of a rural school in Harrison township, Elkhart county.

Edna M. Oyer 29 attended State Teachers College at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, during the past summer. She is teaching a rural school near Elsie, Michigan.

Frank Umble x31 who accepted a position as gauger in the barrel house of the Champlain Refining Company at Enid, Oklahoma, in June, has been promoted to chemist's assistant in the refining plant of the company, located in Enid.

Carl Hostetler 33, principal of the Walnut Creek, Ohio, high school, spent July and August in Boulder, Colorado, and the Rocky Mountain National Park in study and recreation. On August 22 he acted as guide for a party of alumni who climbed Longs Peak. Members of the party included LaVerne Yoder 34, Ferne Smith 33, Roy Umble 35, and the editor of the NEWS LETTER, who acted as chaperon! Mrs. Umble (Alice Landis 01) accompanied the group as far as Chasm Lake, over 13000 feet above sea level.

The Mission Supplement of the Gospel Herald, issue of July 2, contains the thirty-sixth annual report of the American Mennonite Mission, Dhamtari, C. P., India, for 1935. The report contains, among others, articles by Bishop George J. Lapp 02, Joseph D. Graber 25, Ernest E. Miller 17, A. C. Brunk 08, Dora Shantz 27, Minnie Kanagy 22, Dr. Florence Cooprider Friesen 10, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smucker 28 (Alma Albrecht 27).

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EDITOR'S CHAT

The Administration of the College reversed the order of bulletins for September and October. This arrangement has postponed the NEWS LETTER one month. The next NEWS LETTER will appear in November.

This issue of the NEWS LETTER omits the usual four-page leading article. The advisory committee of associate editors has been promised several articles for early publication.

Payment of dues during June fell below the treasurer's expectations. The deficit incurred by the printing of the 1935 *Alumni Directory* must be paid. Will alumni wipe this deficit out by the prompt payment of dues or must we drop five hundred alumni off the mailing list in order to save enough on the printing of the NEWS LETTER to pay the deficit? If one hundred fifty alumni pay their dues within sixty days and if one hundred others pay before March, 1937, the editor promises to print an eight to twelve page NEWS LETTER every other month from now until June, 1937, without once mentioning the subject of dues. Dues are one dollar per year, payable at any time at your convenience. Make checks payable to C. P. Martin, Treasurer of Goshen College Alumni Association, Elkhart, Indiana.

ANNUAL DUES

The following have paid annual dues between May 18 and September 15. The officers of your Alumni Association appreciate the loyal support of those who make possible the printing of the Directory and the NEWS-LETTER.

A. C. Moyer 01; Simon C. Hartzler 03; J. S. Yoder 05; L. J. Powell 07 $10.00; Lena I. Albrecht 09; Anna Hoover 10; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shetler x10 (Sadie Yoder x09) $2.00; C. B. Shoemaker 12; Walter Yoder 13 33; Dr. C. O. Hershey 14; C. J. Gerber; Fred N. and Frances E. Burkey 13 (Frances Ebersole 09) $2.00; William E. Landis 14; Dr. W. C. Brunk 15 21, $5.00; Nelson Bechtel 15; Mrs. L. S. Kreider (Adelia Stover x07), $3.00; Dr. S. E. Yoder 16; H. S. Bender 18; Dr. Lillie S. Shenk 20; Bertha Leaman 21; Fred Bryner 22; Elsie J. Yoder x23; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Reiff 25 (Freda Imhoff x29), $4.00; Edwin Weaver 26; A. P. Hallman 27 31; Elvin Snyder 27, $4.00; Mrs. Raymond Summer (Edna Cook 28); Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker 28 (Pearl Detweiler 29), $5.00; Edith M. Witmer; Edna Oyer 29; Mrs. Ervin Reschley (Esther Roth 29); Virginia Brown, 30; Gladys Honderich 30; Mrs. Forrest M. Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30); Helen Stauffer 30; Elma Bixler x31; Ellis Hostetler 31; Ora Keiser 31; Loren King 31; Blanche Brenneman 32; Iverson Mishler 32; Erma Schertz 32; Dorothy Smith 32; Adeline Aschliman 33; John Baer x33; Mrs. Victor Weltzien (Vera Snyder 33), $1.50; Lois Oyer 35; Roy Umble 35; Milton Gascho 36; Glen Gingerich 36; Lester Hershey 36; Catherine Moyer x38.

EVERY ALUMNUS A CONTRIBUTOR EVERY YEAR.

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

The following have made cash contributions to the Goshen College Current Expense Fund between May 18 and September 15, 1936. The officers of the Alumni Association and the College Administration appreciate these generous gifts and the friendly spirit that prompts them. The interest and loyalty of alumni is a constant source of inspiration to faculty members and officers of the College.

Lena Albrecht 09; Dr. S. Lloyd Johnson 12 14; William E. Landis 14; Maude E. Byler 18; James Hostetler 21; Elsie J. Yoder x23; Henry Mumaw x24; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Summers x24 (Edna Cook 19 28); A. D. Bixler 26; Melvin Gingerich 26; Fannie Shantz 27; Milton Smith 28; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smucker 28 (Pearl Detweiler 29); Virginia Brown 30; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebersole 30 (Nellie Mae Miller 31); Mrs. Forrest M. Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30); Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smucker 30 (Esther V. Meck x33); Elma Bixler x31; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hostetler 31 (Bernice Gerig x33); Harley M. Hunsicker 31; Adeline Aschliman 33; Elva Gunden 30 34; Mary Alice Jones 33; Orpha M. Lehman x36.

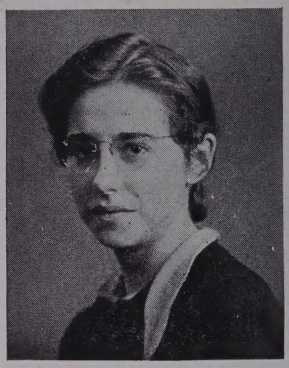
BIOGRAPHY OF JACOB BURKHARD

In July appeared an interesting 214 page book entitled LIFE AND LETTERS OF JACOB BURKHARD. It is written and compiled by Mary Yoder Burkhard x01, his wife, the companion of his missionary labors in India. The book deals with his early life and call to the field, their voyage to India, their experiences on the field, their varied duties as missionaries, the growth of the work to the time of his death, and the pathetic struggle against the complications that caused his death. The biography is highly interesting and is well done. Older alumni will wish a copy because they knew the depth and beauty of the life of Jacob Burkhard. Younger alumni will wish to become more intimately acquainted with the life of the first alumnus who gave his all in India for the cause of foreign missions. The book is available in two bindings: Paper, 60c; cloth, $1, and can be ordered either from the author who lives at 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen, or from the Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, Pa.

TWO RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE FACULTY OF GOSHEN COLLEGE

STELLA KAUFFMAN, B.A., B.L.S.

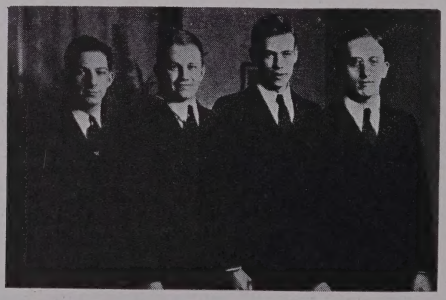
Miss Stella Kauffman, formerly from West Liberty, Ohio, came to Goshen College in September, 1926, worked her way through college almost unaided and was graduated with the degree, Bachelor of Arts, in 1934 with a major in English and minors in Bible and social science. She was employed on the campus during the year 1934-35 as assistant to the registrar and was transferred to the library when a vacancy occurred in the position of assistant librarian. In September, 1935, she entered the Library School of Illinois University and was graduated last June with the degree, Bachelor of Science in Library Science (B.L.S.). She is the first scientifically trained, full-time librarian of Goshen College. She has considerable literary ability and is passionately fond of books. Miss Kauffman is fitted by temperament and training to render a high type of service as librarian of Goshen College.



ETTA LAVERNE YODER, B.A., M.A.

Miss Etta LaVerne Yoder, youngest daughter of President and Mrs. Sanford C. Yoder, was graduated from Goshen College Academy in 1926. In September of that year she entered Goshen College and was graduated in June, 1934, with the degree, Bachelor of Arts, with teaching majors in English and biological science. In September, 1934, she entered the graduate school of Iowa State University to do graduate work in English and received the degree, Master of Arts, in 1935. During the year 1935-36, Miss Yoder was part-time instructor in English in Goshen College and took several courses in home economics. She attended the 1936 Summer Session at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, and although she carried a heavy schedule of courses in public speaking and physical education she found time on week-ends to explore "ghost towns," study Rocky Mountain birds and flowers and climb three major peaks including far-famed Longs Peak. Miss Yoder teaches courses in public speaking and English and has charge of physical education for women.

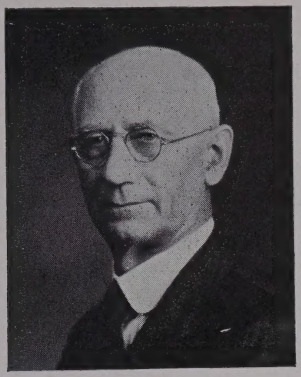
SUMMER TOUR OF THE GOSHEN COLLEGE QUARTET



The Goshen College quartet—Dwight Weldy, first tenor; Richard Yoder, second tenor; Raymond Troyer, baritone; William Friesen, bass—made a three weeks' tour of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio rendering a program of sacred music in a large number of Mennonite Churches. Their repertoire consists of some of the best sacred music written for male voices. They were received enthusiastically wherever they went. The organization has lost the baritone, Mr. Troyer, through graduation, but his place is being filled acceptably by Franklin Bishop 40 of Doylestown, Pa., brother of George Bishop x34. The quartet has purchased some new music and is preparing for a busy, useful year.

D. A. LEHMAN, M.A.

Daniel A. Lehman, professor emeritus, is enjoying excellent health and is doing part-time teaching in the College. During the past summer Professor Lehman registered in several courses at the University of Colorado at Boulder where he has many warm friends on the faculty, who admire and respect him not only for his scholarship and industry but also for his sterling Christian character.



INDIANA LITERARIES

This is the title of a new book authorized by the Indiana-Michigan Literary Convention and compiled and edited by Raymond Mark Yoder 38. The volume contains individual histories of the seventeen Mennonite literary societies of the Indiana-Michigan Conference District, a chapter of suggestions for the officers of a literary society, and the history of the Indiana-Michigan Literary Convention. It is well printed and neatly bound in a flexible blue board cover, gold-stamped. The price of the book is seventy-five cents. R. M. Yoder's **Indiana Literaries** and C. F. Yake's **Young People's Literary Society Manual** will be sent postpaid to anyone sending ninety cents (not stamps) to Raymond Mark Yoder, Rural Route 4, Box 34, Goshen, Indiana.

POEMS OF RUTH HEATWOLE

Friends of Ruth Heatwole x31, deceased, are issuing a volume of her poems. Miss Heatwole's genius for poetic composition was unusual and during her long, courageous battle for health she spent many happy hours with her pen. Six years ago just as she had begun the work of her senior year in Goshen College, her physician ordered complete rest on account of advanced bronchial tuberculosis. Her heroic struggle against disease and later, her equally heroic resignation were the marvel of all her friends. A limited number of volumes of her poems will be printed and may be ordered from Miss Lenna Heatwole x32, La Junta, Colorado, at seventy-five cents each.

GOSHEN'S LARGEST ENROLLMENT

Registration for the school year 1936-37 brought Goshen College the largest number of regular full-time college students in the history of the institution. The present total (September 30) of regular students is 257, compared with 251, the final figure at the close of last year. Advance registration for the second semester indicates that the total for the current year will reach 265 regular students. Since the number of part-time students, who are taking only one or two courses, has dropped considerably this year in comparison with last year, the total enrollment of different students may not be any more this year than last year. An interesting and encouraging aspect of the new enrollment is the large freshman class. The number of freshmen stands at 121, the largest freshman enrollment in the history of the institution, over ten per cent higher than the preceding largest class of 1934. The present senior class is likewise the largest class in the history of the institution. Sophomore and junior classes each have twelve students less than last year. The present enrollment is over seventy percent larger than that of 1931-32.

Another encouraging feature in this year's enrollment is the increase in campus students. Kulp Hall is filled to overflowing. The College is accommodating a number of women students outside the dormitory. Coffman Hall has a record number of occupants with eighty-five men residents. The dining hall regularly feeds 180 boarders in addition to cooks and waitresses. This is an increase of thirty over the previous high mark.

The following states have furnished freshmen:

Indiana	57
Ohio	26
Illinois	13
Pennsylvania	10
Iowa	3
Michigan	3
Kansas	2
Maryland	1
Oregon	1
Washington	1
New York	1
Ontario	1
Texas	1

Following is the total enrollment by states:

Indiana	127
Ohio	58
Illinois	27
Pennsylvania	19
Michigan	8
Kansas	6
Iowa	5
Oregon	4
Texas	4
Missouri	3
North Dakota	3
Ontario	3
Washington	2
Colorado	1
Idaho	1
Maryland	1
New York	1
Virginia	1

A study of the religious affiliation of students reveals the following:

Freshmen—Mennonites, seventy-nine; Central Conference Mennonites, two; General Conference Mennonite, one; Brethren, twelve; Evangelical, six; Lutheran, four; Methodist, seven; Baptist, four; Presbyterian, two; M. B. C., one; Episcopal, one; Catholic, one; and non-church member, one.

Sophomores—Mennonites, fifty-one; General Conference Mennonites, three; Brethren, four; Evangelical, two; Lutheran, one; Methodist, one; Presbyterian, one; M. B. C., two; Christian, two; Congregational, one; Reformed, one; and non-church members, two.

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Juniors—Mennonites, twenty-one; General Conference Mennonites, three; Evangelical, one; Presbyterian, one.

Seniors—Mennonites, twenty-seven; Central Conference Mennonite, one; General Conference Mennonite, one; Lutheran, three; Baptist, one; and Episcopal, one.

[Note: Most of the material in this article is adapted from the September issue of the *Goshen College Bulletin.*]

WEDDING BELLS

Edward Mininger x36, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mininger (Hettie Kulp 00) of Kansas City, Kansas, and Mabel Fisher R. N., of Kalona, Iowa, graduate of Mercy Hospital, Iowa City, were married on June 26 at Kalona, Iowa. Mr. Mininger completed the first year of medical school at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, in June.

Stanley L. Miller 32, of Elkhart, Indiana, and Ferne L. Miller 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Miller, of Millersburg, Ohio, were married June 27; J. S. Hartzler, pastor of the Prairie Street Mennonite Church of Elkhart, officiating. They spent their honeymoon in Rocky Mountain National Park and climbed Longs Peak, the most strenuous climb in Colorado. Mr. Miller is science teacher in the centralized school near Andes, New York.

Vera L. Snyder x34, daughter of John S. Snyder of Wadsworth, Ohio, was married to Victor Weltzien, of Wadsworth, on July 3 at a lawn wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. N. B. Ward, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiating. They expect soon to move into their new home on Crestwood Avenue in Wadsworth. Mrs. Weltzien will continue her work in the Citizens Bank in Wadsworth. Mr. Weltzien attended the Akron University School of Engineering at Akron, Ohio, and is employed as a tool designer and draftsman at the Ohio Injector Company of Wadsworth.

Dr. Floyd Samuel Martin 29, son of Mrs. Ada Martin of South Eighth Street, Goshen, and Alice Gerig x32 (B.A. Bluffton 32), daughter of Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig of South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage on September 6. Dr. and Mrs. Martin reside at 801 South Main Street, Goshen. Dr. Martin is a practising physician and surgeon in Goshen with offices on East Lincoln Avenue.

Alvin R. Warstler x32, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warstler, 311 Huron Street, Goshen, and Helen M. Hoover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hoover, Rural Route 1, Goshen, were united in marriage August 2 at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. Burton Metzler of Nappanee officiating. Mrs. Warstler is employed at the sub-postoffice located at the Johnson drug store. Mr. Warstler is instructor in science and coach at Jefferson township school north of Goshen.

Elam J. Zimmerly x31, of Orrville, Ohio, and Ethel M. Sinclair x29 R. N., of La Junta, Colorado, were united in marriage in August at the home of Alphia Kauffman, near Shelby, Wisconsin, L. S. Yoder officiating.

Paul S. Swope of North Lima, Ohio, and Lois McFerren of Columbiana, Ohio, were united in marriage August 21, Bishop A. J. Steiner 00 officiating. Mr. Swope teaches grades seven and eight in the North Lima schools.

Harold Thut, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Thut of West Liberty, Ohio, and Louella Miller 32, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller of Orrville, Ohio, were united in marriage on July 29, at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's uncle, John D. Miller, officiating.

Rollin W. Krabill 35 of Louisville, Ohio, and Gladys Johns 35, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. O. N. Johns x07 (Margaret Rickert 09) of Canton, Ohio, were united in marriage on July 9 at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's father officiating. Mr. Krabill teaches the Mapleton school about ten miles from his home at Louisville, Ohio.

Vilas W. Zuercher x35 of Dalton, Ohio, and Elma Gerber, both members of the Sonnenberg congregation in Wayne County, Ohio, were united in marriage June 14, Bishop Aaron Mast of Belleville, Pa., officiating. Mr. Zuercher graduated from the School of Veterinary Medicine at Ohio State University in June.

Henry Lantz and Opal Schrock x26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Altine Schrock, were united in marriage May 17. Ira S. Johns x01 of the Clinton Frame congregation, of which both young people are members, performed the ceremony.

Ralph Mumaw of the Martins congregation near Orrville, Ohio, and Mildred I. Schrock x35 of the Pleasant Hill congregation near Sterling, Ohio, were united in marriage on June 28 at the home of the officiating minister, Stanford Mumaw, Dalton, Ohio.

On Saturday, June 20, Alice Good, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry G. Good 08 (Maude Warye 08) of Columbus, Ohio, was married to Dr. Willard H. Willis of Wellston, Ohio, in the Indianola Presbyterian church. Dr. and Mrs. Willis will reside in Detroit.

Melvin Hartzler of Smithville, Ohio, and Orpha Lehman x36, of Orrville, Ohio, were united in marriage on September 6 at the home of the bride's parents, I. W. Royer 00 officiating. Mr. Hartzler is employed by the D. M. Hartzler and Son Lumber Company of Smithville.

On September 12, in the Peoria, Illinois, Mennonite Church, John White and Clara Schertz x31, both of Peoria and both members of the Peoria congregation, were united in marriage, C. Warren Long 23 29.

pastor, officiating. Mr. White is employed by the Caterpillar Tractor Company.

Earl Byler x30, son of Mrs. Chris Byler of West Liberty, Ohio, and Norma Yoder, R. N., x38, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schrock, of Smithville, Ohio, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on October 4, C. Z. Yoder officiating. Mrs. Byler graduated from Cleveland City Hospital School of Nursing in 1931. Mr. Byler is employed by the International Harvester Company of Springfield, Ohio. They will reside at West Liberty, Ohio.

On June 21 Noble Frederick 36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick of Nappanee, Indiana, and Grace Bowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowers, of Wakarusa, were united in marriage at the Union Center Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Russell Helstern, brother-in-law of the bride, officiating. Mr. Frederick, teacher of the fifth grade in the Chamberlain school in Goshen, is a critic teacher in the elementary teacher training department of the College. Mrs. Frederick teaches the first grade in the Nappanee schools.

On June 21, Lloyd Hess x36, son of Trustee and Mrs. Wilson F. Hess, of Harrison township and Wilma Stabley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stabley, of Wakarusa, were united in marriage at the Bethel M. B. C. Church, the Rev. D. Paul Huffman officiating. Mr. Hess has been promoted to the principalship of the Model school west of Goshen.

Raymond Litwiller 31 and Harriet Abrahams, both of Morton, Illinois, were united in marriage August 1, in Chicago, Illinois. Before her marriage, Mrs. Litwiller was a nurse in the Billings Hospital, University of Chicago. Mr. Litwiller is completing his work for the Ph.D. in zoology at the University of Chicago.

Robert Bender 32, son of Mrs. Elsie K. Bender of Goshen, and Carolyn Lehman, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman 14 (Lydia Liechty 05) of 1424 South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage on September 6 in Kulp Hall Social Room, the father of the bride officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Bender are at home at 590 Newbury Street, Apartment 8, Boston, Massachusetts. Mr. Bender is a senior in Harvard Medical School. Mrs. Bender is employed in the religious education department of the Pilgrim Press Bookstore, Beacon Street.

Mary Troyer 35 resigned her position as assistant to the registrar on September 21 to take up homemaking. Sunday morning, September 27, she was married to Moses Slabaugh of Canton, Ohio, in the Frazer Church, Paoli, Pa., Milton Brackbill officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Slabaugh are at home in Cottage Park, Maryland. Mr. Slabaugh is employed in Washington, D. C.

Glenn Whitaker, La Habra, California, and Ferne Zimmerman x36, Harper, Kansas, were married July 28. They are at home in the Mennonite Mission, 2235 Northwest Savier Street, Portland, Oregon, where Mr. Whitaker took up his duties as the new superintendent of the Mission on September 1.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Louise, fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreider x23 (Hettie Shoup 22) of Constantinople, Turkey, was born in May.

Nancy Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Hostetler 23 (Ruth R. Lantz x26) of Middlebury, Indiana, was born July 16.

David Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Yoder (Mary Yoder x30) of West Liberty, Ohio, was born June 23.

Byron Forrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30) was born September 3.

Diane Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Smoker, 21 (Lydia Stemen 22) of rural route 1, Osceola, Indiana, was born June 4.

An eight pound daughter, Barbara Elaine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Clair Amstutz 33 (Florence Badertscher Amstutz 35) on September 22. Mr. Amstutz is a junior in the Indiana University Medical College, Indianapolis.

Dr. Jonathan G. Yoder 27 and Mrs. Yoder (Fyrne Miller 30), North Lima, Ohio, are the proud parents of a little daughter, Joan Yvonne, born July 24.

Maryline Joy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ebersole 30 (Nellie Miller 31), Elkhart, Indiana, on August 14.

NECROLOGY

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mecum (Dorothy M. Blough x28) of Middlebury, died at the Goshen Hospital, June 30.

Ruth Showalter Heatwole x31, daughter of Bishop J. A. Heatwole, was born near Harrisonburg, Virginia, June 22, 1901, died June 20, at the Mennonite Sanatorium, La Junta, Colorado. She was the sister of Lenna F., x32.

John J. Hartzler, son of Abraham and Magdelena Hartzler, was born May 3, 1845, in Mifflin County, Pa., died August 11. He married Magdelena Mast February 25, 1872. At the age of twenty-nine he was ordained to the ministry in St. Joseph County, Michigan. In 1894 he succeeded Bishop Jacob Kenagy as bishop of the Sugar Grove Mennonite church in Cass County, Missouri. He was the grandfather of John D. 34, Lloyd x38, and Lois Pearl 36.

Mary Hilty, daughter of Bishop John and Jennie (Bechtol) Thut, born September 23, 1844, in Holmes County, Ohio, died at her home near New Stark, Ohio, June 30. On January 10, 1871 she was united in marriage to John H. Hilty of Bluffton, Ohio. She and her husband were charter members of the Chapel congregation near New Stark. Six of Mrs. Hilty's children survive: C. H., Ada; Rhoda, at home; Reuben of Toledo; Elmer of Columbus; Clara (Mrs. E. E. Hansaker) of Lima; and Nora (Mrs. Rudy Brenneman) of Lima. She was the grandmother of Leland H. Brenneman, president of the class of 34.

Professor Boyd D. Smucker 05, of Bluffton College, died on August 13, aged fifty-eight years. He had been in ill health for a year, following an operation. He is survived by his wife, Mary Ebersole Smucker 06 and four sons. Professor Smucker held the degree, Master of Oratory, and taught oratory and physical education in Goshen College from 1907 to 1913.

Bishop J. A. Ressler, husband of Lina Zook Ressler 01, and father of Rhoda 35, passed away Saturday, October 3. Bishop Ressler was a pioneer missionary, helping to found the American Mennonite Mission in India in 1899. During recent years he has served the Church through his editorial work in the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottdale, Pa. To many alumni he was affectionately known through the Words of Cheer as "Uncle J. A." M. C. Lehman 14, who worked under Bishop Ressler in the early years of the Mennonite Mission in India, Lydia Shenk x31, a grand-niece, Ray Yoder 38, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Plank of Goshen, attended the funeral services at Scottdale on Tuesday, October 6.

CLASS OF 1936

The following members of the class of 1936 who completed the elementary teacher training course during the past year have been elected to teaching positions since the July number of the NEWS LETTER was issued:

Marjorie Conrad and Hazel Conrad—first and second grades, respectively, in the grade school at Smithville, Wayne county, Ohio.

Evelyn Miller—in a rural school in Stark county, Ohio.

Marianna Reiff—a rural school near Flagler, Colorado.

Dorothy Shoup—a rural school in Stark county, Ohio.

Ethel Shoup and Lorene Yoder—rural schools in Baughman township, Wayne county, Ohio.

Beulah Troyer—rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

Anna Lois Yoder—rural school in Harrison township, Elkhart county.

Bertha A. Yoder—in the grade school at North Lewisburg, Champaign county, Ohio.

Olive Yoder—the first grade in the Salem township school at Kingscreek, Champaign county, Ohio.

Olga Buerstrom—substitute grade teacher in the Goshen City Schools.

Ralph Gerber—rural school teacher near Gnadenhutten, Tuscarawas county, Ohio.

Minnie Sutter—rural school near her home at Kouts, Indiana.

Evangeline Weaver—rural school in Jackson township, Elkhart county.

Since the last issue of the NEWS LETTER the following A.B. and B.S. members of the class of 1936 have been elected to teaching positions:

Katherine Royer—a rural school in Baughman township, Wayne county, Ohio.

Madlyn Walter—English and social science in Junior high school in the Jefferson township schools north of Goshen.

Glen Guengerich—rural school near his home at Kalona, Iowa.

Katherine Miller—is assistant instructor in the department of elementary education in Goshen.

Viola Bittinger—is teaching English and home economics in the Howard high school in Knox county, Ohio.

Evelyn Burkholder—teaching home economics in the high school at Highspire, near Harrisburg, Pa.

Lois Gunden—rural school near Flanagan, Illinois.

Mildred Hostetler—teaching a combination of subjects including home economics in the Roxbury, Kansas, high school.

Carolyn Smucker—teaching Latin and French in the Salem township high school at Kingscreek, Ohio.

Raymond Troyer—instructor in English and music in the Uniontown, Ohio, high school near Akron, Ohio. He is also supervisor of music in the grades.

The following members of the class of 1936 are employed otherwise than teaching:

Lewis Powell is undertaker's assistant at the Culp Funeral Home on South Main, Goshen.

Elinor Smith is registered for the elementary teacher training course at Goshen College.

Retha Hostetler is office assistant to Dean Harold S. Bender and Dr. Paul Bender, registrar.

Carl Kreider is doing graduate work in economics at Princeton University.

Angelina McPhail did graduate work in the University of Michigan during the summer session and will probably continue graduate work during the coming year.

Mrs. Ina K. Slate spent the summer touring in England and on the continent. She has returned to her home in Goshen and expects to spend most of the coming year in the city.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Hilty (Catherine Blosser 04) have moved from 624 East 116 Street, Los Angeles, Calif., to 1408 North Avenue 46, Watt Station, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Burkey 13 (Frances Ebersole 09) are now living in Chicago at 4346 North Lincoln Street.

Anna Hoover 10, rural route 3, Goshen, Indiana, continues her work as teacher of a rural school in Harrison township, Elkhart county.

Edna M. Oyer 29 attended State Teachers College at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, during the past summer. She is teaching a rural school near Elsie, Michigan.

Frank Umble x31 who accepted a position as gauger in the barrel house of the Champlain Refining Company at Enid, Oklahoma, in June, has been promoted to chemist's assistant in the refining plant of the company, located in Enid.

Carl Hostetler 33, principal of the Walnut Creek, Ohio, high school, spent July and August in Boulder, Colorado, and the Rocky Mountain National Park in study and recreation. On August 22 he acted as guide for a party of alumni who climbed Longs Peak. Members of the party included LaVerne Yoder 34, Ferne Smith 33, Roy Umble 35, and the editor of the NEWS LETTER, who acted as chaperon! Mrs. Umble (Alice Landis 01) accompanied the group as far as Chasm Lake, over 13000 feet above sea level.

The Mission Supplement of the Gospel Herald, issue of July 2, contains the thirty-sixth annual report of the American Mennonite Mission, Dhamtari, C. P., India, for 1935. The report contains, among others, articles by Bishop George J. Lapp 02, Joseph D. Graber 25, Ernest E. Miller 17, A. C. Brunk 08, Dora Shantz 27, Minnie Kanagy 22, Dr. Florence Cooprider Friesen 10, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smucker 28 (Alma Albrecht 27).

The Mission Supplement of the Gospel Herald, issue of June 18, 1936, contains interesting articles and information regarding the growth and development of the South American Mennonite missions in the Argentine. The articles in the Supplement are written by various foreign and native missionaries.

Mrs. Ruth Ebersole Rasmussen, who received her A.B. in 1911, resides at 199 Christiana Street, North Tonawanda, New York. Mrs. Rasmussen is circulation assistant in the Buffalo Public Library. She is a graduate of the library course at the University of Buffalo, 1924. She also holds a professional librarian's certificate from the Board of Regents, Albany, and is a member of the American Library Association and Literateur Club (Local). In 1914 she was married to Rev. C. A. Rasmussen (deceased 1920) and is the mother of Richard and Elizabeth Anne.

Maude E. Byler 18 continues to enjoy her residence in California. Miss Byler's address is 628 East 116 Street, Los Angeles.

Ruth Brunk 31 of 118 South Second Street, De Soto, Missouri, is teaching English and drama in the Herculaneum high school. She also has charge of the library.

William E. Jennings 31 is head of the commercial department in one of the Knoxville, Tennessee, city schools.

Professor Walter E. Yoder 13, 33, who was a student in the Northwestern School of Music during the past summer, wrote the musical score for male quartet to the words of Donne's "Daybreak." The number was sung at a public program at the end of the summer session.

Beulah Schrock 34, instructor of nurses in the Laura A. Kindig School for Nurses in the Goshen Hospital left on June 23 for Nazareth College in Louisville to take advanced courses in nursing, has returned to the city to resume her work at the hospital and is registered for a course in the College.

Joy Hooley 35 is teaching the Sand Hill School, Clear Spring township, LaGrange county, Indiana, about four miles south of LaGrange.

Roy Umble 34 resigned his position as instructor in speech, English, and social science at the Hooppole, Illinois, high school in August to accept an instructorship in public speaking and American Literature in the Mishawaka, Indiana, high school. He attended the summer session of the Northwestern University School of Speech, June 22-August 8.

Arline Yoder 31 has been elected instructor in English and music in the Hanover high school near Newark, Ohio.

Katherine Thoman 34 has resigned her position as teacher in the grade schools of Salem Township at Kingscreek, Ohio, to accept a similar position in the Monroe township schools near West Liberty, Ohio.

At the ninth session of the All-Mennonite convention held August 24, 25, near Topeka, Indiana, in the Topeka Mennonite Church, the following alumni took an active part: Professor Russel Lantz 18, professor of music at Bluffton College; Professor Otto Holtcamp, also of Bluffton College; Rev. Ernest Bohn 23, pastor of the Mennonite Church at Souderton, Pa.; Rev. I. R. Detweiler 01, pastor of the First Mennonite Church at Normal, Illinois; Rev. William B. Weaver 14, pastor of the North Danvers Mennonite Church, Danvers, Illinois and editor of the Evangel; Rev. Lester Hostetler 15, pastor of the Mennonite Church at Upland, Calif.; and Dr. C. Henry Smith, Mennonite historian and professor of history at Bluffton College.

Janet Miller x36 of South Sixth Street, Goshen, who is employed at the First National Bank, spent her two weeks' vacation at Camp Miniwanca at Shelby, Michigan.

Dr. and Mrs. I. C. Keller and children, Beatrice, Charles, and Marian, of California, Pa., spent their vacation with Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Piatt, of South Fifth Street, Goshen.

Alvin R. Yordy 22 is in the insurance business in Denver, Colorado. His address is 909 Clarkson.

J. Herbert Zook x31 of La Porte, Indiana, accompanied by his sister, Dorothy of Goshen, spent part of his vacation on a two weeks' motor trip through the West visiting, among other places, Yellowstone National Park; Salt Lake City, Utah; Rocky Mountain National Park; Denver, Colorado; Pike's Peak and Colorado Springs; and Hutchinson, Kansas.

The following alumni took an active part in the thirty-seventh annual session of the Central Conference of Mennonites held at the Clinton community school east of Goshen, August 21-24: Professor Russel Lantz 18, of Bluffton College; Rev. Benjamin Esch 14, of Washington, Illinois; Anna E. Yoder 12, of Goshen; Mrs. Earl Salzman (Vinora Weaver 18) and Rev. Earl L. Salzman 32.

George Luther x35 received the R. N. degree from a nursing school for men in Philadelphia in June.

Mary A. Gross x34, of Roseland, Nebraska; Lily Esch 32, of Mio, Michigan, and Edna Amstutz x36 of Orrville, Ohio, received the R. N. degree from the Mennonite Hospital and Sanatorium at La Junta, Colorado, on June 1.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hostetler 23, returned missionaries from India, is 110 Burdick Street, Goshen.

Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Ruth Landis 12), of Goshen, and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook 02 (Lena Landis 03), of Akron, Ohio, spent several weeks during July and August on motor tour to Wyoming and Colorado.

Owen J. Yoder 17, principal of the Honeyville school near Topeka, Indiana, has been succeeded by Perry J. Miller, husband of Olive Lucile Miller 31, who received his M.A. at Ball State Teachers College at Muncie, Indiana, in August. Perry G. Miller, husband of Mary G. Roth 29, succeeds Perry J. Miller as teacher of grades seven and eight at Shipshewana.

Ray Yoder 31 has been elected to teach art in the Park High School at Knoxville, Tennessee. Two hundred fifty students out of a total enrollment of one thousand are taking courses in art. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder and family reside at 2230 Riverside Drive.

J. J. Miller x36 is instructor and athletic coach in the Holmes-Liberty high school near Bucyrus, Ohio.

L. C. Miller of Manitou, Colorado, husband of Susan Unzicker x09 is pastor of the Manitou Springs Mennonite Church.

Ada Lapp 32 is beginning her second year as teacher of the fourth grade in the city schools at Sterling, Illinois. She did graduate work at the University of Colorado at Boulder this summer.

Lily M. Esch 32 has been employed in Denver General Hospital, Denver, Colorado, since receiving the R. N. degree at the Mennonite Hospital and Sanatorium, La Junta, Colorado, in June.

On May 16 Ada Mae Bender x33 of Wauseon, Ohio, was graduated from St. Vincent's School of Nursing at Toledo, Ohio.

Rev. Harold Chambers x29 has been called to the pastorate of the Regular Baptist Church at Bothwell, Ontario. Rev. Chambers is a graduate of the Toronto Bible College. He has three churches in his present circuit.

Loren Burkholder 35 is principal of a two-room consolidated school at West Guilford, Halliburton County, Ontario, forty miles from the Algonquin Provincial Park.

Mary Grieser x38 is secretary of the Household Finance Corporation of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Her address is 1511 Sixth Avenue, S. E.

Dwight Schrock x38 is employed in the Rutt and Amstutz Elevator, Orrville, Ohio.

Ralph Beechy 33 principal of the Berlin, Ohio schools, received the M.A. degree at Ohio State University in August. Mr. Beechy has inaugurated a new project in his school—a high school publication, the *Berlin Beacon*. Karl Massanari 36 is staff adviser.

Dr. J. C. Meyer 16, professor of history at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, delivered the principal address at the annual meeting of Northeastern Ohio Goshen College Alumni, September 6.

Mrs. Mary Burkhart x01, 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen, is serving as special Bible teacher in the grades at Middlebury and at Clinton community school, both in Elkhart County.

John M. Allgyer x29 is employed by the International Harvester Company with headquarters at Columbus, Ohio.

Frank Raber 29, superintendent of the Detroit Mennonite Mission, was director of the summer Bible School held at Breslau, Ontario, in July.

Joanna Bontrager 10, of 705 South Eighth Street, Goshen, spent her vacation at Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York, and in Canada during the month of June. Miss Bontrager is employed in the Salem Bank and Trust Company of Goshen.

Mrs. Mary Burkhart (Mary Yoder x01) and Anna Yoder 12 motored to Belleville, Pa., to visit friends for two weeks during June and July. They were accompanied by their aged mother, Mrs. Erie Yoder. Mrs. Yoder enjoyed the trip a great deal and is in remarkably good health.

Mrs. Mable Stump (Mable Lehman 21) attended the summer session at Columbia University.

Harve Driver 30 is boys' adviser and orientation director of the La Junta, Colorado high school. He is also secretary of the Arkansas Valley section of the Colorado State Teachers Association. He did graduate work in education at the University of Colorado at Boulder during the past summer.

On June 16 Mr. and Mrs. John Plank 09 (Olive E. Nafziger 12) and daughters, Clara Marie x38 and Elaine 40, moved from 1131 Eighth Street to the residence at 702 South Sixth Street, which Mr. Plank purchased in May.

Maxwell Cripe x35 of Goshen, who was graduated from Purdue University in June, has accepted a position in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Swartzendruber 27 (Arlene Eigsti x28) and family live at Wellman, Iowa, where Mr. Swartzendruber is chemist for the Maplecrest Hatchery operated by A. C. Gingerich, the Iowa turkey king.

Raymond J. Schertz 22, principal of the Metamora township high school, attended the summer session of the University of Chicago the past summer. Mr. Schertz is chairman of the executive committee for the central district of the Illinois Teachers Convention. Mrs. Schertz (Florence Landis, 15) and sons Robert and Burtron also spent the summer in Chicago.

Amy Enss x32 is employed in the offices of the Dampney Company of America, Michigan Building, Detroit, Michigan.

At the Ohio and Eastern A. M. Conference, in June, Bishop A. J. Steiner 00 was elected fifth member of the executive committee for one year and member of the Mennonite Board of Education for two years. Stanford Mumaw x31 was elected a member of the Ohio State Mission Board. I. W. Royer 00 was elected a member of the Mennonite Publication Board and of the Insurance Committee. Bishop O. N. Johns x07 was secretary of the conference.

Luella M. Troyer x32 of West Liberty, Ohio, who has been first grade teacher in the Salem township school at Kingscreek, Ohio, has resigned to accept a position as one of three first grade teachers in the widely known school system at Osborne, Ohio.

Miss Alice Treuschel 16 of Elkhart, who was Bible instructor in the Goshen schools for a number of years, is employed to teach religious education in the public schools at Bluffton, Ohio, and in Bluffton College.

In July Mary Frey 35, supervisor and teacher of nurses in the Mennonite Hospital and Sanatorium at La Junta, Colorado, attended the International Nurse's Convention at Los Angeles, Calif.

Selena Gamber 33, superintendent of nurses at the hospital at La Junta, Colorado, attended the Missouri-Kansas District Conference at Yoder, Kansas, in August. Miss Gamber hopes to return to the South American mission field this coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist 04 (Lulu Greenwalt 03 04) of Falfurrias, Texas, made an extended visit in Lancaster County, Pa., with Mr. Reist's aged father and other relatives. Their son, Robert, entered Goshen College from Hesston College as a Junior at the beginning of this semester. Their daughter Eleanor is a freshman in Hesston College.

The following item appeared in the "Twenty-Five Years Ago" column of the Goshen Daily News-Times and Democrat, issue of October 12: "The many friends of J. Frank Ebersole, a graduate of Goshen College, will be pleased to know that he has been tendered and accepted a position on the faculty of the University of Minnesota." Professor Ebersole 06 has been a member of the faculty of the Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration for several years.

The Mennonite Publishing House is enlarging its service to Sunday schools by issuing a new line of Picture Cards and several new quarterlies. Mrs. J. A. Ressler (Lina Zook 01) is editor of the Picture Cards; Miss Mary Royer '30, of the Primary Quarterly and the Beginner-Primary Teachers' Quarterly; and John R. Shank x01 of the Advanced Teachers' Quarterly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hershberger 27 (Mary Martin 29) have moved from Long Branch, New Jersey, to 4113 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Hershberger, who has been doing research work in radio for the War Department, has been granted a year's leave of absence to continue graduate study in the University of Pennsylvania.

In the October number of the Quarterly Bulletin issued by the International Committee on Christian Literature for Africa, the following item appeared under **Vernacular Publications.**

Nyanja. Kuunika Aphunzitsi a ana a Sunday School. Lessons for one year.
Class I Copy Book. Illustrated.
Class I Reader. Illustrated.
Class I Sums. Illustrated.

These books have been prepared by Charles H. Fricke 27, Muluma, Ncheu, Nyasaland. They are mimeographed and bound in paper.

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A CHRISTIAN PROGRAM FOR LEISURE TIME

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To prove that we have more leisure time than our great-grandfathers had is not a difficult task. One needs only to recall that in early United States history the factory day was often fourteen hours long, that now an eight hour day is common, and that the platforms of labor organizations are demanding a thirty hour week. Since 1890 the average number of hours for ten industries fell from 59 to 48 hours per week. In the new continuous strip steel mills, 2000 tons of steel can be produced daily by a working force of about 125 men, while under the old method it would have taken 4500 men for the same output. The Smith Corporation, making automobile frames, can turn out 10,000 frames each 24 hours, employing only 600 engineers and 200 skilled workmen. In the period from 1920 to 1929, it has been estimated that 32 men out of every 100 have been made unnecessary by labor-saving machinery, and since 1929 the percentage perhaps has increased. By hand, one man used to make 40 bottles an hour; now he can make 600 an hour. In the electric light bulb industry, one man could produce 20,000 bulbs a year, but by 1931 he could produce 100,000 a year. To make a pair of shoes in Civil War days required 18 man-hours but by 1923 only one hour was required.

These changes are not found in industry alone. Farming, too, has been revolutionized. In the grain fields, one man with modern machinery can do in three hours the work requiring fifty-seven hours a hundred years ago. At the time of our first census in 1790 approximately ninety per cent of the people were farmers. Now much less than one-half of our population is required to produce the food for the American people.

There is no indication that this tendency of machines to replace human labor will suddenly slow down. In America from 1880 to 1890, 208,000 patents were issued, but between 1920 and 1930 the number was 423,000. So rapidly has this technological development taken place that it is estimated each individual now has the equivalent of one hundred slaves at his command. And who knows whether this number may not be doubled in our life time?

As a result of the rapid development of our machine civilization "the new leisure" has come to thousands of workers. They have eight hours for work, eight hours for sleep, and eight hours of leisure time each day. The farmer has not appropriated this release time but generally does the amount of work done by his grandfather and a large family of sons or several hired men. As a better adjustment is worked out between agriculture and industry, one may expect to see the farmer's working hours decreasing steadily, and as the need for taking care of the unemployed comes to be recognized by

more people one may predict that the hours of those now employed will be shortened to share jobs with those out of work.

It should be stated, however, that the new leisure creates a great demand for new types of goods which leads to the establishment of new industries and the creation of new jobs. This demand in times past has offset partially the tendency described above, but balancing the two against each other the forces making for more leisure time are considered to be much the stronger.

Although man has been relieved from much difficult labor by the machine, it cannot be said that he is any happier than his ancestors were one hundred and fifty years ago. Our great-grandfathers on the farm worked long hours, but they knew how to relax in their work. They worked oxen and they took on the tempo of those slow beasts. They took their time to do their work and when they went on a visit they did not hurry to get there and rush to get back. How different are modern conditions! The farmers ride noisy, tiresome tractors for hours without taking the traditional rest at the end of the rows, and sometimes their tractors will be going most of the night. In the office and in the factory men work under a continual tension. They are constantly speeding up their work to the tempo of the machine. All life takes on this tempo and we speed, rush and hurry all day long, week in and week out, year after year.

It is not surprising to find that nervous breakdowns and mental disorders are very prevalent in this country. The hospitals of our nation shelter about 300,000 insane persons, and about 70,000 patients enter our mental hospitals each year. It is estimated that five out of every one hundred adults will at some time during their lives become patients in mental hospitals. Perhaps one-half of our population will at some time be the victim of some form of "nervous breakdown." Although there may be many causes for this condition, everyone recognizes that one of the greatest causes is the strain and stress of modern life in this mechanized civilization of ours.

How to get relief from the tension and tempo of modern work is a problem facing millions of people. For many people the solution is sought in a mad quest for pleasure. They rush about from one theater to another, from the amusement park to the dance floor, to the movies, to the fairs, to the carnivals, to the drinking parlors, and to the commercialized athletic contests. They spend millions of dollars yearly for these amusements. By 1930 the football receipts of sixty-five institutions had grown to over $8,000,000 per year. As much as $2,000,000 has been paid for the seats at one prize fight. To describe this attempt to secure recreation, Dr. Nash of New York University coined the word "spectatoritis." Perhaps "the great American disease" is spectatoritis. Stuart Chase says the American people insist upon getting their exercise and recreation sitting.

What has the Christian to offer those people who have leisure time and who truly need to be "recreated" because of the tiring strain of their work? We cannot avoid this problem. We cannot say that we as Mennonites, because we are still in the main a rural people, do not have this problem to face. Our people in the cities face it now and have for several decades and those on the farm who have not thought about this problem will find suddenly that it is confronting them. If some people say they have no leisure time, it would not be difficult to show that they would be much healthier and happier if they arranged their time to allow for some creative, recreating activity, divorced from their regular work.

In general it can be said that the Christian's life is one of moderation. "Let your moderation be known to all men." The person who would solve our problem satisfactorily must try, in the first place, to enter his regular work with a spirit of moderation,

avoiding long hours of too strenuous work, and entering into his work with the realization that there are more important objectives in life than making money. That attitude will help, but it will only partly conquer the evil effects of the machine-age tempo. He must plan intelligently for the eight hours of leisure time if he is employed eight hours out of the twenty-four.

The one whose life is not influenced by Christ's ideal of moderate, quiet, peaceful, temperate living usually becomes a victim of spectatoritis in its undesirable form. In his desire for a change, he will seek thrills and artificial stimuli. He hopes to be "re-created" by turning away from himself and his own creative abilities to the pleasure that others can bring to him. He is satisfied, as far as satisfaction is possible under those conditions, by "imaginary" and not "genuine" experience. In other words, instead of playing he watches others play. Instead of doing creative, worth-while things for himself, he watches others exercise, perform, or act. His mind and body may be resting in part but his is only imaginary and not genuine experience.

A program in contrast to this one to which the Christian can give his approval is one, first, that emphasizes the "art of staying at home." The person who learns a creative hobby through which he gets his recreation instead of depending upon relaxation derived from watching others play or act has gone a long way on the road to worth while use of leisure time. It has often been emphasized that every one should have a hobby but it is only in the last few years that educators have realized the value of a hobby program. A garden, a workshop, a photography dark room can be the place where hundreds of hours can be spent happily by the city laborer. The type of hobby in which we make things has an appeal to almost all of us. Perhaps most people in this age use their hands very little in a skillful way. The desire to create physical things with our hands is an urge that most of us have. There are dozens of hobbies based upon this urge from which nearly everyone can select one that will bring him genuine satisfaction and relaxation. Sculpturing and painting are two of them but there are many crafts that can be followed such as weaving, carpentry, forging iron and steel, leather work, making pottery, sheet metal work, and linoleum block printing.

But not all recreation need be obtained alone in one's home. Hiking, outings, games, and nature study trips may be enjoyed by a group in which all are participants. In this connection, attention should be called to the study of astronomy as a group project. An excellent piece of work in arousing interest in this field of recreational activity has been done by M. T. Brackbill of the Eastern Mennonite School at Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Young people need to be guided into the proper kind of hobbies and leisure time activities. If they do not have guidance it is easy for them to follow the path of least resistance and to drift into the crowd that is the victim of the undesirable disease spectatoritis. One of the best possible opportunities for older people to influence young people lies in this field of guidance. If you have a hobby, try to discover what young people in your church or community are interested in, and then invite them into your home and teach them the "tricks of your trade." You will soon win their confidence. Those who expect to do personal Christian work with young people will do well to learn a number of hobbies. It may be that through the avenue of a bird club, a camera club, or an astronomy club you will be able to reach and influence young people that would otherwise escape you.

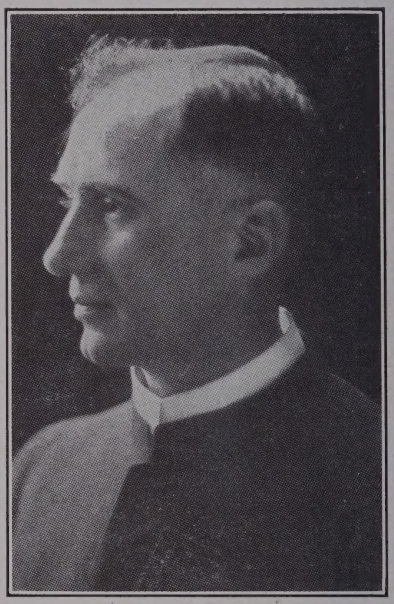
In fact, it may not be out of order to suggest that our church colleges should offer definite courses in the use of leisure time so that those who go out into the church communities as leaders may have the advantage of knowing how *(Continued on page 12)*

PRESIDENT YODER IN WHO'S WHO

Alumni will be interested in the following extract from the 1936 **Who's Who in America.** The account omits President Yoder's life on the plains during the period when he lived in the Far West with his family, rode the range and enjoyed the strenuous, out-door life of the cattleman. Many of the older alumni learned to know him and to repose confidence in him as an educator and a leader of young people during his service as president of the Mennonite Board of Education, 1919-24.

"Yoder, Sanford Calvin, bishop; b. Iowa City, Ia., Dec. 5, 1879; s. Christian S. and Anna (Swartzendruber) Y.; prep. edu., high sch., Clarion, Ia.; LL.B., Hamilton Coll. of Law, Chicago, 1926; B.A., State U. of Ia., 1927; M.A. in Theology, Winona Lake Sch. of Theology, 1933; B.D., Northern Bapt. Theol. Sem., 1934; m. Emma Stutzman, of Iowa City, Sept. 23, 1903; children—Myron Stutzman, Anna Marguerite, Etta LaVerne. Prin. high sch. Sharon, Ia., 1904-05 and 1908-09, Pioneer Sch., Prosser, Wash., 1905-06; ordained ministry Mennonite Ch., 1911; promoted bishop, 1913; pastor Kalona, Ia., 1913-24; pres. Goshen (Ind.) Coll. since 1923. Moderator Mennonite Gen. Conf., 1919-21; sec. Mennonite Bd. of Missions and Charities since 1921. Home: 1139 S. 8th St., Goshen, Ind.—1936-37 Who's Who in America.

(The accompanying cut shows President Yoder as he appeared when he was elected president of Goshen College.)



Pres. Sanford C. Yoder, M.A., B.D.

THE PRESIDENT'S APPEAL

More and more, the colleges are looking to their alumni for support in their educational program. Northwestern University expects annual contributions from alumni for the "Foundation Fund." Wabash College has a program calling for liberal annual donations from alumni. Sixty per cent of the alumni of Dartmouth annually contribute sums large and small for the support of her educational program. The same is true of Yale and other educational institutions of long recognized strength and unquestioned stability. Is it any wonder then that Goshen College should make a similar appeal to her loyal sons and daughters? They know Goshen College. They have enjoyed the opportunities that their Alma Mater has extended to them. They have profited by the educational opportunities that sacrifice and devotion placed at their disposal. Is it any more than right that Goshen College should ask a small annual gift from her alumni so that the blessings which they enjoyed may be shared with future classes of young people? I appeal to alumni, old and young, to support the program of regular giving, being inaugurated by your alumni association.

—Sanford C. Yoder.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

Home-coming—November 26-29, 1936.

Melvin Gingerich 26, instructor in Washington junior college, Washington, Iowa, contributes a timely article in this issue. What do you think of it?

Have you been promoted, elected to a new position, visited by the stork or have you enjoyed any other good fortune? If so, write us a note so that alumni may share your joys—or your sorrows.

It has been the policy of the Board of Directors of the Goshen College Alumni Association to mail the NEWS LETTER to every alumnus of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College whether his dues are paid or not. So far, the loyalty of the minority of the members has made it possible to continue this policy. The NEWS LETTER now reaches between 2500 and 3000 alumni six times a year.

Occasionally the question still arises: Who is an alumnus of Goshen College? Answer: A few years ago the Alumni Association unanimously adopted an amendment to the constitution declaring every student who has been in residence in Goshen College or the Elkhart Institute for one year to be an alumnus as soon as his class graduates. In other words anyone who has attended either school for one year prior to June, 1933, is now in full possession of all the rights and privileges of a member of the Alumni Association. He is an alumnus whether or not he has received a degree or diploma.

The appeal of the President of the College and of Dr. M. C. Lehman, president of the Alumni Association, as well as special articles in this issue relating to the financial needs and plans of Goshen College deserve attention. During the past few years the Faculty and Administration have made a study of requirements for entrance into the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and have conducted a scientific survey of Goshen College—plant, equipment, faculty, finances, and quality of instruction—to determine what progress is necessary before the College can hope to gain admission into the Association.

The impartial self-searching by the Survey Commission and its sub-committees under the guidance and leadership of Dean Bender has resulted in a program for increased library holdings, a higher quality of instruction, additional attention to the special problems of the individual student, enrichment of extra-curricular phases of campus life, and a more highly trained faculty. All that the instructional staff and administrative officials can do to meet the ten-point requirements of the North Central Association is being pushed with maximum speed and energy.

But on one admission requirement of the North Central Association the Faculty and Administration are powerless. That requirement is that every college seeking entrance into the N. C. A. must have a guaranteed and an ample income. This requirement for many years was interpreted to mean that a college must have an endowment of $500,000.00 which might be expected to yield an income of $25,000.00. Shrunken endowments and decreased returns from indebtments during the past few years lead accrediting agencies to be more lenient. A guaranteed income of $25,000.00 above tuition paid by students is now sufficient to secure admission into the N. C. A. provided other requirements are met.

This new interpretation of the rule regarding income extends a golden opportunity to Goshen College alumni. As indicated in the statement to alumni by C. L. Graber, business manager, and in the article contributed by Dean Bender it is entirely possible for the members of the Goshen College Alumni Association by a concerted effort to enroll Goshen College in the N. C. A. in less than five years.

No such opportunity has faced Goshen College alumni in the history of the institution. This is the meaning of the President's appeal. He is confident that alumni will join in the big push to put this thing across in the true Goshen spirit. The Executive Committee of the Alumni Association has already had one or more meetings to consider ways and means. Dr. M. C. Lehman, president of the Alumni Association, has called a special meeting of the Board of Directors for Saturday, November 28, to perfect an organization and launch the program early in the new year. Full details will be published in the January NEWS LETTER. Meanwhile, remember that it can be done and you can help to do it!

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Fellow Alumni:

Changing requirements for admission into the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary schools and recent rapid progress of the College toward meeting those requirements place the Alumni Association at a strategic point in its history and in its relation to its Alma Mater. The figures presented by the Business Manager and the progress outlined by the Dean in an article in this issue demonstrate that the time is at hand to summon our resources for a united effort. Membership for Goshen College in the North Central Association is almost within our grasp.

The realization of this fact has come so suddenly as almost to catch us unawares, but your officers and directors in co-operation with the Administration of the College are maturing a program that will give every alumnus an opportunity to share in the glory of this achievement. Let us give a unanimous response to the appeal of President Yoder. Our Alma Mater has a just and valid claim to our whole-hearted support.

—M. C. Lehman.

WHAT GOSHEN COLLEGE MUST DO TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO THE NORTH CENTRAL ASSOCIATION

THE PROBLEM

A new policy for accrediting liberal arts colleges was adopted by the North Central Association in the

spring of 1934. This policy sets up a pattern of college organization and operation which is a distinct advance over the older policy in that it emphasizes qualitative rather than quantitative measures of excellence. For some time the College has been studying its own program in the light of this new pattern with the definite intention of meeting the requirements for membership in the Association at the earliest possible date.

As the study has progressed it has become increasingly clear that the chief, if not the only, obstacle in the way of accreditment is a financial one. This is true whether one considers the fundamental requirement of the N. C. A. that the college have an adequate and substantial non-educational income in addition to the income from student fees, or whether one thinks of necessary expansion in terms of additions to equipment and faculty as well as improvement of the salary schedule for instructors. In either case more money is an absolute necessity. It is quite certain that no difficulty will be encountered in securing admission if the finances of the College can be put on a thoroughly adequate and sound basis.

Specifically Goshen College must attain the following goals before admission to membership in the N. C. A. may reasonably be expected.

1. Liquidation of the major portion of the present indebtedness of $50,000.

2. Establishment and maintenance of an income from non-tuition sources of at least $25,000 per year. This includes endowment income, income from non-educational operations of the College such as dormitories and dining hall, and income from donations. A stable income of $25,000 or more must be maintained for three to five years before admission.

3. Improved library service. This will probably mean a library building and a substantial increase in library holdings.

4. Some expansion in the faculty and administration staff of the College, together with the adoption of an improved plan of organization.

5. Some increase in the present schedule of faculty salary payments.

PROGRESS

The administration of the College is adopting and putting into effect as rapidly as possible measures to meet the above deficiencies. Note for instance the following steps which fall under the above five points.

1. A campaign to liquidate the debt of the College by solicitation of the Mennonite churches of the constituency was inaugurated last spring. It has already produced almost $10,000.

2. The non-tuition income of the College last year was $12,000 exclusive of endowment income. Liquidation of the debt will release an endowment income of at least $5,000 annually. An additional $8,000 from donations will complete the $25,000 required.

3. An attempt is being made to raise $50,000 for a library building through large gifts. About one-fourth is already pledged. The appropriation for library operations has been doubled in the past two years. It will be still further increased.

4. Since 1933 the faculty has been increased by three new members. Present plans call for the addition of three more in the next three years. The administrative staff has been increased and will be increased still further.

5. A salary schedule has been adopted which will raise the present level of payments. It will be put into effect gradually in the next three years.

THE PROSPECT

The splendid increase in enrollment since 1931 has been the largest single factor in the improvement of the financial position of the College. However the college is reckoning with a top of 300 regular students so that little additional help can be expected from this source. Since the N. C. A. no longer requires a specific endowment sum the college does not expect to put on a general campaign for additional endowment funds, although it welcomes all gifts of this category. The chief reliance for the immediate future must and will be placed upon regular annual donations from alumni and constituency, from men and women who will undertake to be permanent contributors and thus constitute a living endowment and in this way make it possible to achieve membership in the N. C. A. for Goshen College. —Harold S. Bender.

THE BUSINESS MANAGER'S STATEMENT

Important features of the financial program at Goshen College are the acquisition of endowment through gifts and annuities, the liquidation of the College debt, and provision for meeting the current expenses of the College. Present emphasis centers on the last two. Since interest on the accrued debt of Goshen College makes serious inroads on the income from endowment, effort is concentrated on a debt reduction program rather than on raising additional endowment. The business office, assisted by field men, is soliciting funds for debt reduction from members and congregations of the Mennonite Church. During this solicitation program it is highly important that gifts from this source be used entirely for reducing the debt of the College.

This makes it necessary to meet the annual operating deficit of the College in some other way. The business office is able to meet part of the operating expense, not covered by student tuition, by profit on the operation of the two residence halls (Coffman Hall and Kulp Hall), the dining hall and the book store. But if faculty salaries are to be paid and proper library and laboratory facilities maintained, an additional ten thousand dollars per year must be raised. A considerable portion of this sum is donated by individuals who annually contribute substantial amounts to Goshen College. The only visible source for the remainder of this indispensable sum of ten thousand dollars is the alumni group. The business office hopes that alumni everywhere will respond to the President's appeal for regular annual support of the financial program of the College.

—C. L. Graber.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

President Sanford C. Yoder left on his annual summer trip to the west coast immediately after the close of the school year last June. He spent some time among the Oregon churches where he assisted in a Young People's Institute at Albany, and was one of the speakers at the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Conference. He also gave a series of lectures at the Zion Church at Hubbard on, "How We Got Our Bible." On his return trip he spent some time among friends in California, Colorado and Nebraska. During the month of July he spoke at the Young People's Institute at Orrville, Ohio, and attended the

meeting of the Pennsylvania branch of the Goshen Alumni, where he was the principal speaker. He was also on the program at the missionary meeting at the Maple Grove Church near Belleville. He attended Ohio Sunday School Conference at Archbold, Ohio, the latter part of August, where he delivered several addresses and early in September spent a week-end in Ontario, where he filled appointments at the Waterloo, Wellesley, and Wilmot churches. Since the opening of school he has been occupied with administrative duties at the college, beside teaching and filling occasional Sunday appointments in the surrounding churches.

Dean H. S. Bender spent early June and the latter part of August on the field soliciting students. He attended the annual German Mennonite Conference at Gronau, Westphalia, June 26-28, and the third World Mennonite Conference at Amsterdam, Holland, June 29-July 3, at which he gave an address on the theme "The Mennonites of America, Past and Present." In connection with the World Conference he participated in two parallel meetings, first of the Mennonite Relief Organizations of the world, and second in the meeting which organized the International Mennonite Peace Committee, July 4, 1936, at Fredesheim, Holland, of which the officers chosen were Dr. Jacob ter Meulen of The Hague, Holland, secretary; and Dean Bender, chairman. He spent two weeks in Germany, returning July 22. He was an instructor at the Mennonite Young People's Institute at Arbutus Park near Johnstown, Pa., August 5-16 and served on the program of the Ontario Mennonite Sunday School Conference at Kitchener, Ont., August 31.

Aside from the duties of the summer session, C. L. Graber, business manager, spent part of his time in soliciting funds for liquidating the accumulated indebtedness of Goshen College. He was assisted in this work by Professor I. E. Burkhart of the College faculty and S. Jay Hostetler of Dhamtari, India. The College has balanced its budget for the last five years but prior to that time accumulated a deficit which is now being liquidated. There has been a fine response to this appeal which is expected to continue until the entire amount has been raised.

Orie O. Miller 15, chairman of the Administrative Committee of the College, attended the annual German Mennonite Conference at Gronau, Westphalia, June 26-28, the Third World Mennonite Conference at Amsterdam, Holland, June 29-July 3, and also the meetings of the Mennonite Relief Organizations of the world and the International Mennonite Peace Committee at Fredesheim, Holland, on July 4. His address at the World Conference was "Mennonite Missions." Mr. Miller was accompanied to Europe by his wife (Elta Wolf 12) and his daughter Lois 37. Mr. Miller has been commissioned to visit the Mennonite colonies in Paraguay to assist them in adjusting some business matters. He is planning to leave in December via airplane and to return in January.

1936 HOME-COMING

Thursday—November 26

11:00—Thanksgiving Service .... President S. C. Yoder
12:30—Home-Coming Dinner
8:00—Music Program ..... College Chorus

Friday—November 27

7:45-4:00—Regular classes
8:00—Lecture ..... Juanita Bauer

Saturday—November 28

10:00—Literary Reunions
2:00—Athletic events
Tumbling
Basketball—Alumni vs. Varsity
7:30—Home-Coming Social

Sunday—November 29

9:30—Sunday School
10:45—Sermon ..... S. J. Hostetler
7:00—Evening Service

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

Dr. M. C. Lehman gave an address to the ministers of the Eel River Conference of Congregational Ministers at Winona Lake, Indiana, on August 11. His topic was "Religious Implications of Living a Life." On Friday, October 25, he read a paper, "Some Analogies between Greek and Hindu Philosophy and their Implications," before the Fall meeting of the Indiana Philosophical Association held at Indianapolis. Dr. Lehman is teaching a course in the school of religious education in the city of Goshen.

Dr. and Mrs. Silas Hertzler 13 and children, Elizabeth, Paul, Charlotte, John, and Joanne, motored to Virginia after the close of the Summer Session to visit Mr. and Mrs. Asa Hertzler and other friends and relatives. Dr. Hertzler attended a series of educational conferences held in connection with the Indiana State Teacher's Association at Indianapolis, October 21-23.

Professor Sprunger and five art students spent Saturday, September 12, at the Art Institute in Chicago.

Misses Olive Wyse 26 and Mary Royer 30 attended the Summer Session of the University of Chicago. Miss Wyse gave an address on "The Relation of Diet to Growth" before the Child Study Club of Goshen on November 3.

Miss Lydia F. Shenk 31 spent the summer in Europe enjoying an art tour in company with Mrs. Ina K. Slate 36. The October issue of the *Goshen College Record* contains a five-page account of the high points of the tour.

Dr. and Mrs. Glen R. Miller and sons, John Kieth and Gerould, vacationed in Northern Michigan following the Summer Session at the College. On October 25 they visited Professor and Mrs. Wallace Miller 27 (Ada E. Smith x28) at Normal, Illinois.

Professor and Mrs. Willard Smith 28 (Verna Graber 28) motored to Goshen to spend the week-end of November 1 on the campus. Professor Smith is an assistant instructor in history in the State University at Bloomington, Indiana, where he is continuing graduate work. Early in November Mrs. Smith was called from Bloomington to teach Latin in Goshen high school during the illness of Miss Gertrude Wahl's mother.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Bender spent the summer in Virginia. Dr. Paul Bender assumed his new duties as registrar of the College in September.

Dr. Guy F. Hershberger gave a talk at the Holderman Church, Sunday, October 11, at their harvest and Missions program on "Nonresistance and the Missionary Message of the Church." He and Dean Bender attended a meeting of the Mid-West Section of the Friends' Service Committee at Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana, on October 31. Dr. Hershberger is chairman of the board of directors of the Goshen College Peace Society and seems to be developing a useful hobby—collecting peace literature for the Goshen College Peace Library and doing research work in the history and development of peace movements. He attended the annual meeting of the Indiana College Teachers of History at Indianapolis on October 22.

Professor I. E. Burkhart is giving Indiana and Michigan Mennonite literary societies an interesting and useful service. He has secured two sets of slides from the American Bible Society and will deliver two lectures to the societies: in November, "The Old Book Finding New Friends" and in December "The Book Goes Forth." Professor Burkhart devotes special effort in creating interest in the Winter Bible School to be held at the College, January 4-February 12.

Dr. S. W. Witmer, Dr. Glen R. Miller, and Dr. Paul Bender attended the Fifty-Second Annual Meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science held at Central Normal College, Danville, Indiana, November 5-7.

Professor and Mrs. Samuel Yoder 28 (Ethel Oyer 26) and daughter motored to Goshen on October 23 to spend the week-end on the campus. Professor Yoder is continuing graduate work in English at the state university in Bloomington where he is an assistant instructor in English.

Professor Noble Kreider spent the summer in Goshen on account of the failing health of his aged mother.

Professor Walter Yoder 13, 33 spent the summer in the School of Music at Northwestern University. He is not teaching full time during the present school year but spends each Thursday and Friday at Northwestern University. Professor Yoder is superintendent of the College Sunday School.

ANNUAL BIBLE LECTURE

The College secured the services of Bishop A. J. Metzler, Scottdale, Pa., for the annual week-end series of Bible lectures in October. Bishop Metzler gave thought-provoking and inspiring lectures on the subjects: "Fulfilled Prophecies in the Bible," "Fifteen Reasons Why the Christian Must Know His Bible," "The Wrath, Indignation and Vengeance of Almighty God," and "Three Looks at Jesus." His work was greatly appreciated.

ANNUAL REVIVAL MEETINGS

Allen Erb 11, superintendent of the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta, Colorado, conducted revival meetings at the College from October 24 to November 1. Several young people confessed Christ and the congregation and student body enjoyed a genuine revival.

LOST—TRANSFERRED

The following students transferred from Goshen College to other institutions in September. Some entered other institutions in order to attend their own denominational college and others to enter professional schools. But a number transferred to other schools because Goshen is not a member of the N. C. A. Goshen gives the courses which these students are pursuing at other institutions and Goshen graduates have been receiving credit for the same work that these transferring students are taking in other schools. In one case after a student, on writing to another institution, had been informed that his Goshen credits could not be accepted at ——— University because Goshen was not a member of the N. C. A., he transferred to the other institution. When the College authorities made a personal visit to the institution to learn why the policy had been changed, the university examiner replied, "Our policy toward your school has not changed. We accept your work, but I never saw the application from your student. The girls in our office are instructed to refuse all applications from non-members of the N. C. A. as a matter of routine." In this case an excellent student was lost because he became unnecessarily alarmed.

This is another reason why Goshen must qualify for entrance into the N. C. A. as soon as possible. Goshen credits are accepted by the best universities in the country, but when students write to personnel officers and examiners they receive replies which alarm them and their friends. The avoidable loss this year in tuition alone, through the transfer of students to other institutions is several thousand dollars. The following list names students and the schools they attend:

Barnard, Muriel—Senior, Purdue University (home economics)
Brenneman, James—Senior, University of Nebraska (medicine)
Eash, Orus—Sophomore, University of Michigan (architecture)
Graber, Welma—Sophomore, Mennonite Hospital, La Junta, Colorado (nurse's training)
Hartzler, Maude—Junior, Mennonite Hospital, La Junta, Colorado (nurse's training)
Kelly, William—Sophomore, Indiana University
King, Richard—Junior, Ohio State (premedical)
McWirter, Russell—Sophomore, Purdue (engineering)
Miller, Nadine—Sophomore, University of Michigan
Plank, Clara Marie—Junior, Indiana University
Schnell, Myrtle—Junior, Kent State (teacher training)
Sheridan, Phil—Junior, Notre Dame (Catholic)
Snapp, Kenneth—Sophomore, University of Miami (band and orchestra)
Stiver, Arlowene—Senior, Purdue University (home economics)
Weaver, Paul—Sophomore, North Manchester (Brethren)
Whitney, Jean—Sophomore, Purdue University
Yoder, Doris—Junior, University of Michigan
Yoder, Frank—Sophomore, Indiana University
Yoder, Grace—Junior, Bluffton
Yoder, Harriet—Senior, Purdue University (home economics)
Zook, Mary Ruth—Junior, Cook County Hospital, Chicago (nurse's training)

PEACE SOCIETY MEETS

The first monthly meeting of the Goshen College Peace Society was held in the Bible Room on Monday evening, October 12. Dean Bender spoke on "The Joint Program of the Historic Peace Churches." His address was a report of the Chicago meeting in September of unofficial representatives of pacifist groups. The Board of Directors of the Peace Society at a meeting held in October voted to spend an additional forty dollars for peace literature to be placed in the College library.

NORTH GOSHEN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Timothy Brenneman 37 is superintendent of the North Goshen work. The attendance is over one hundred and the long-awaited new chapel is under construction. It will probably be ready for occupancy before the end of the year. A church building in Iowa was purchased and taken down by the Iowa brethren. C. J. Gunden hauled the lumber to Goshen on his truck and members of the congregation under the general supervision of C. J. Gunden and J. M. Long are erecting the building.

CENTENNIAL REUNION

A considerable number of Goshen College Alumni will be interested in the announcement of the centennial reunion of descendants of former members of the Buffalo Valley Amish congregation in Union County, Pa. The reunion will be held at the Salem Church west of Lewisburg, Pa., on July 31, 1937. Address inquiries to J. Smith Riehl, Lewisburg, Pa. Anyone desiring a history of the Amish settlement in Union County may secure a copy, postpaid, by writing to Dr. Edward Yoder, Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana, and enclosing eighty cents.

QUADRICENTENNIAL

Dean Harold S. Bender 16, of Goshen College, and John Horsch, of Scottdale, Pa., are co-authors of a new book on the life and work of Menno Simon. Dean Bender writes the biographical section and John Horsch presents selections from Menno's writings translated from the original Dutch. The title of the book is **Menno Simon's Life and Writings: A Quadricentennial Tribute.** The book, published by the Mennonite Publishing House, Scottdale, Pa., contains 112 pages and sells for thirty-five cents in durable, leather-finish paper binding or sixty cents in attractive cloth binding. The first edition of five thousand copies is being rapidly exhausted. More than three thousand copies were sold during the first three months after publication.

THE WINTER BIBLE SCHOOL

The date set for the annual Winter Bible School at Goshen College is January 4 to February 12. Courses offered will include Bible Introduction, Methods of Bible Study, Book Study, Missions, Bible Doctrines, Church History, Sunday School Work, Summer Bible Schools, Young People's Activities, Music, and Chorister Training. The school offers different courses each year for three years. A diploma will be granted to those completing the three terms. The Bible School also co-operates with the General Sunday School Committee in granting Teacher Training diplomas.

D. A. Yoder x07, of Elkhart, Indiana, is principal and will teach full time. I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio, will also teach full time. Several college teachers will give courses. Special features in connection with the Bible school are: Christian Life Conference, Two Weeks Ministers Study Course, Sunday School Workers Institute, Ministers Week. Expenses are moderate: board and room—$24.00, tuition—$6.00. Ministers and missionaries receive free tuition. Students who room at the College should bring one comforter, towels, pillow cases, and sheets. For information address D. A. Yoder, principal, Elkhart, Indiana, Route 4.

Alumni can render a valuable and appreciated service to their Alma Mater by directing prospective Bible students to Goshen College.

MENNO SIMONS

This book, recently off the press of the Mennonite Book Concern, Berne, Indiana, is a historical sketch of Menno Simons by Dr. C. Henry Smith. It is similar to the first part of the book on Menno Simons recently published by the Mennonite Publishing Company. It is a seventy-six-page book, bound in paper covers, and contains, beside the biographical sketch of Menno Simons, brief sketches of various bodies of Mennonites in America today. Orders may be sent to Mennonite Book Concern, Berne, Indiana.

FORMER FACULTY MEN IN WHO'S WHO

Two former instructors in Goshen College are presented in the 1937 **Who's Who in America:** Rev. Frank Alvin Hosmer, first principal of the Elkhart Institute, 1894-95; and James Edward Gillespie, professor of history and social science in Goshen College, 1913-14.

Rev. Hosmer was graduated from the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio, in 1894 and received the degree Master of Philosophy in 1897. In 1916 he was granted the degree, Doctor of Divinity by both Wooster and Jamestown (N. Dak.) College. In 1900 he was ordained a minister in the Presbyterian Church. Since 1927 he has been pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Omaha, Nebraska. His address is 417 South 38th Street, Omaha.

Professor Gillespie (Ph.D., Columbia, 1920) has been professor of modern history at Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa., since 1922. He is the author of three books: **The Influence of Overseas Expansion on England** (1920), **A History of Europe from 1500 to 1815** (1928), and **A History of Geographical Discovery from 1400 to 1800** (1933). His address is 231 East Park Avenue, State College, Pa. (The above data are selected from the 1936-37 Who's Who in America.)

ALUMNI IN WHO'S WHO

JOHN FRANKLIN EBERSOLE

Ebersole, J(ohn) Franklin, professor finance; b. North Tonawanda, N. Y., July 16, 1884; s. Levi D. and Annie Elizabeth (Brown) E.; Ph.B., U. of Chicago, 1907 (with honors in polit. economy); A.M., Harvard, 1909; m. Blanche Brenneman, of Smithville, O., Aug. 27, 1908; children—Katherine Elizabeth (dec.), Dorothy Franche, Betty Turner, John Franklin, Jr. (dec.), Laurence Donald. Instr. in his-

tory, Goshen (Ind.) Coll., 1907-08; asst. instr. pub. finance, U. of Chicago, 1909-10; prof. economics, Marquette U., 1910-11; asst. prof. economics, U. of Minn., 1911-17, professorial lecturer banking, 1918-27; visiting prof. U. of Chicago, summer 1914; mng. dir., State Deposit Bank, Minneapolis, Minn., 1917-20; asst. federal reserve agt., Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, 1920-27; economic adviser U. S. Treasury, 1927-30; prof. finance Harvard Grad. Sch. of Business Administrn. since 1930; visiting Sterling lecturer Law Sch. Yale, 1936; cons. economist Coop. Central Bank of Mass. Mem. exec. Com. Economists' Nat. Com. on Monetary Policy; mem. Code Authority for savings, building and loan assns., 1934-35. Mem. Am. Acad. Arts and Sciences, Am. Economic Assn., Am. Statis. Assn., Alpha Kappa Psi. Baptist. Mason. Clubs: Harvard, Faculty. Author: **Banking for Beginners**, 1917; **Bank Management—A Case Book**, 1931. Asso. editor **Review of Economic Statistics**, 1932-35; co-editor **Current Economic Policies**, 1934. Contbr. on economic subjects. Home: 104 Fletcher Rd., Belmont, Mass. From 1936-37 Who's Who in America.

JOHN ELLSWORTH HARTZLER

Hartzler, John Ellsworth, clergyman, educator; b. Ligonier, Ind., Feb. 2, 1879; s. Joseph Z. and Mary (Byler) H.; A.B., Goshen (Ind.) Coll., 1909; student McCormick Theol. Sem.; B.D., Union Theol. Sem., 1910; A.M., U. of Chicago, 1919; LL.B., Hamilton Coll. of Law, Chicago, 1923; Ph.D., Hartford Theol. Sem., 1924; m. Mamie M. Yoder, of Bellefontaine, O., Oct. 5, 1910; children—John Ellwood, Helen Charlene. Ordained Mennonite ministry, 1904; evangelist, 1905-10; pastor Prairie St. Ch. Elkhart, Ind., 1910-13; pres. Goshen (Ind.) Coll., 1913-18; prof. ethics and religion, Bethel Coll., Newton, Kans., 1918-20, pres., 1920-21; pres. Witmarsum Theol. Sem., Bluffton, O., 1921-31, also prof. philosophy and Christian theology; visiting prof. Am. Univ. of Beirut, Syria, 1931-32; lecturer philosophy and religion, Bluffton Coll., 1932-33; visiting prof. philology and theology, Near East Sch. of Theology, Beirut, Syria, 1934-35; now visiting prof. of Oriental religions, Bonebrake Theol. Sem. Author: **Education Among the Mennonites of America**, 1925; **Voices from Bible Lands**, 1935. Home: Dayton, Ohio.—From 1936-37 Who's Who in America.

ARTHUR LUTHER GILLIOM

Gilliom, Arthur L., lawyer; b. Elkton, Hickory Co., Mo., Aug. 2, 1886; s. Peter and Rachel (Lehman) G.; student Goshen (Ind.) Coll. (acad.), 1907-10; LL.B., U. of Mich., 1913; m. Nancy Belle Kulp, of Elkhart, Ind., July 18, 1912; children—Elbert Raymond, Luther Allen, Arthur Vernon, Richard Lawrence. Admitted to Mich. and Ind. bars, 1913, began practice at South Bend; atty. gen. of Ind., 1925-29; now practicing at Indianapolis, partner Pickens, Gause, Gilliom and Pickens. Mem. Am., Ind. State and Indianapolis bar assns. Republican. Presbyn. Mason. Club: Columbia. Home: 3850 N. Delaware St. Office: 1300 Fletcher Trust Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. —From 1936-37 Who's Who in America.

Mr. Gilliom remains an ardent Republican. During the recent presidential campaign he was state director of the Landon-Knox Republican Clubs of Indiana.

WEDDING BELLS

Earl Wainwright and Elizabeth Shantz 22 were united in marriage on December 25, 1935. They reside at 2613 South Adams Street, Peoria, Illinois.

B. Frank Umble x31, eldest son of Professor and Mrs. John Umble 01 (Alice Landis 01), of College Avenue, Goshen, and Miss Loree Hammer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hammer, of Enid, Oklahoma, were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage on October 17. Mrs. Umble, a graduate of Phillips University, holds an Elementary Teachers Life Certificate, was a teacher in the Oklahoma schools for three years and is active in the choir, Sunday school, and B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church. Mr. Umble enjoys his work as chemist's assistant at the oil refinery of the Champlin Oil Company in Enid.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

John Lockerbie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver x36 (Janet Lockerbie x37), of 212 East Jefferson Street, Goshen, was born October 20.

John Edward Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Murray (Ruby Beery 20), of Bluffton, Ohio, was born on August 21. The 1936 *Directory* gave the name Murray incorrectly as Murphy.

PERSONALS

The editor recently received a long, interesting letter from Charles Fricke 27 of Muluma, Ncheu, Nyasaland, Africa. Some of the enclosures had been printed on the new mimeograph presented to Charles by Dr. Jonathan Yoder and the class of 1927.

Caroline Smucker 36, instructor in the Salem township high school at Kings Creek, Ohio, is sponsoring a new high school publication, **Salem School News Notes**. Miss Smucker is also sponsor of the junior class.

The second number of the **Berlin Beacon**, Ralph Beechy 32-33 and Karl Massanari's (36) new high school publication (Berlin high school, Berlin, Ohio), received a warm welcome on the editor's desk the first week in November.

Correction of errors in the October NEWS LETTER:

Olive Yoder 36 teaches the third grade, not the first, in the Salem township schools at Kings Creek, Ohio.

Bertha Yoder 36 teaches in Lewistown, Logan County, Ohio, not in North Lewisburg.

At the reorganization meeting of the Nappanee, Indiana, ministerial association in October, the Rev. E. S. Mullet 12, pastor of West Mennonite Church (General Conference), was elected treasurer.

Professor N. E. Byers, of Bluffton, Ohio, is adviser for the Y. M. C. A. cabinet of Bluffton College.

Clarence L. Murray x23, formerly of Lagrange County, Indiana, has resigned his position as state director of teacher training for Indiana to accept a position as registrar at Ball State Teachers College of Muncie, Indiana.

Menno J. Ebersole x16 teaches the upper room in the grades in the Greentown, Indiana, schools. The system includes twenty teachers.

Florence E. Bender 22 is state supervisor of nursery schools under the Education Division, W. P. A., whose offices are located on Ohio Street near the State Capitol building in Indianapolis. Her work has grown so that it has been necessary to give her a full-time assistant. In July, Miss Bender issued a book entitled, **A Handbook of Policies and Procedures for the Organization and Operation of Emergency Nursery Schools.**

Wilbur W. Miller 22 is assistant superintendent of the Columbus, Ohio, schools. He has charge of all the elementary schools of the city. Mrs. Miller was formerly Mary Warye x24 of West Liberty, Ohio.

John W. Horner x16 and his brother Anson G. Horner x16 of Kokomo, Indiana, are principals of the two consolidated schools in Center township. The former has been principal of the Wallace school for the past ten years, the latter of Darrough Chapel School. Each school has five teachers. John Horner is deacon and Anson, minister in the Howard-Miami congregation near Kokomo, Indiana.

Dr. S. T. Miller 05, of Elkhart, Indiana, visited Alaska during the past summer. On his tour he took several reels of moving pictures which he has been showing before civic and social organizations in the county.

Joseph P. Eckstadt x34 and Merle Hartzler 33 after a modest beginning in the electrical business in a room in the rear of John Grabill's barber shop on South Eighth Street a few years ago, are now a thriving wholesale concern, dealing in electrical wiring supplies, fixtures, and appliances. Under the firm name Goshen Electric Supply Company they are doing business in salesrooms on East Washington Street.

Dr. Orus Ray Yoder 12, assistant medical superintendent of the State Hospital at Ypsilanti, Michigan, delivered an address before the School Health and Physical Education section of the Indiana State Teachers Convention at Indianapolis on October 22. Dr. Yoder is scheduled for an address on "Mental Moratoriums" as a regular number on the Goshen College Lecture course on April 23, 1937.

At the North Central Indiana Teachers Convention held at South Bend, October 22, 23, Samuel H. Welty 23 served as a member of the necrology committee. Arthur Smith 23, teacher of botany in Central High School, South Bend, was chairman of the science section.

The Indiana and Michigan literary societies have launched a new publication—**Indiana Literaries.** Volume 1, Number 1, appeared on November 2. Raymond Yoder 38, editor and compiler of **Indiana Literaries,** the book advertised in the October issue of the NEWS LETTER, is editor of the new paper. The first issue of six pages contains important announcements concerning the next annual convention to be held at Goshen College on May 15-16, 1937, interesting news items and a record of recent activities of the individual societies.

Rev. G. T. Soldner, pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, of Goshen, resigned on October 18 to accept a position as field representative for Bluffton College, Bluffton, Ohio. He came to Goshen in June, 1931, from the Zion Mennonite Church (General Conference) in Souderton, Pa.

Allen Y. King 22 has been appointed supervisor of social studies in the Cleveland Public Schools. His committee in the department of social studies has just completed a hand book of 119 pages—**9A—Social Studies—A Tentative Outline.**

Rev. I. R. Detweiler 01 has severed his official connection with Bluffton College to accept the pastorate of the East White Oak Church (Central Conference) near Normal, Illinois.

On Sunday afternoon, October 18, John A. Lehman 29 was chosen by lot for the ministry at the Blough Church near Hollsopple, Pa. The ordination service was in charge of Bishops James Saylor and A. J. Metzler. Mr. Lehman is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Kathryn Spiegle Blough 16, widow of Dr. Homer C. Blough, deceased.

Goshen alumni are making an excellent record in the schools of Elkhart County. In Olive township the schools headed by Principal C. J. Gerber 14, 17 lead in attendance with a percentage of 99.21 for the month of September. Harrison township schools with a majority of teachers trained in Goshen College is second with 99.04 percent, average daily attendance. The Jones school in Harrison township, Lois Yoder 36, teacher, had a perfect attendance record for the month. Harold Berkey x36, teacher of the Bowser school in Harrison township, and Shirley Holoway, of the Berlin school in Locke township, reported records of 99.7 percent for the month.

Frieda Enss x36 is employed as secretary by Associated Properties, incorporated, 3108 Book Tower, Detroit, Michigan.

Alma Zehr x30, formerly teacher of the intermediate room at Pleasant Hill, Illinois, is principal of the two room rural school at Allentown, Illinois.

John C. Wenger 34, of Telford, Pa., is continuing his graduate study in Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. He is living at home and commuting. His **History of the Franconia Conference** has reached the stage of manuscript "polishing."

James R. Clemens 35, of Lansdale, Pa., is teaching English and social science in the Kulpsville, Pa., high school. He is also adviser for the editorial staff of the high school publication.

Lois Winey 36 spent the few weeks between the summer and fall sessions at her home in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She made the trip with her parents and sister by way of The Black Hills of South Dakota and Yellowstone Park of Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Emmert (Marion Hamm x35), formerly of 419 South Third Street, have moved into the residence at 411 South Sixth Street which they recently purchased and remodeled.

Orus Jessup x36 is teaching algebra, social science and physical education in the Trotwood, Ohio, junior high school near Dayton.

On September 11, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Vogt and children, Merle, aged 8, Laverne 5, and Virgil 2 set sail from Seattle for India for their second period of service. They were accompanied by Deacon H. V. Albrecht, of Tiskilwa, Illinois, the seventy-six-year-old father of Mrs. R. R. Smucker (Alma Albrecht 11). Twelve years ago Deacon Albrecht made the trip with the late Bishop J. A. Ressler.

Ada I. Burkhart 33, supervisor of the surgical floor at the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta, Colorado, spent her vacation at her home in Pennsylvania in July.

John E. Leatherman x30, missionary to Africa, and the workers associated with him have a teacher training school with a three-year curriculum at Bukiroba near Musoma, Tanganyika Territory, in East Africa to equip native men for an active gospel ministry among their own people.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hershey 10, who are organizing a chain of missions among the Mexicans living in Texas, are located temporarily at Tuleta, Bee County, Texas. They drove to the field from Lancaster, Pa., in a Ford V8 and a "Covered Wagon" Trailer which the Mission Board and the generosity of friends placed at their disposal for this work.

The following schedule of dates has been announced for communion services in the congregations over which Bishop O. N. Johns x07 of Canton, Ohio, has bishop oversight: Beech, October 4; Bethel (Medina County), October 11; Kolb's, October 18; Walnut Creek, November 1; Martin's (Wayne County), November 8; Martin's Creek (Holmes County) November 15; and Canton Mission, November 29.

Linus Eigsti 33, teacher at Tiskilwa, Illinois, was elected assistant superintendent of the Willow Springs Mennonite Sunday school near Tiskilwa on September 20. Mary Kauffman 36, also teaching near Tiskilwa, was elected one of the choristers.

Glenn S. Kropf 22, principal of Riley High School, South Bend, is one of ten instructors teaching courses in the leadership training schools being conducted in South Bend under the auspices of the St. Joseph County Council of United Churches. Mr. Kropf is assuming a leading role in the religious, educational, and civic life of his adopted city.

At the Thirty-seventh Annual Convention held in South Bend, October 8-10, Mayor Clell E. Firestone 13, 19 of Goshen, was elected president of the Indiana Municipal League, a non-partisan organization of Hoosier city officials. Mayor Firestone is a democrat and a strong advocate of municipal ownership of public utilities.

Kenneth Snapp x39 has transferred to the University of Miami at Coral Gables, Florida, to specialize in band and orchestra music. He has a scholarship that pays most of his expenses and is a member of the University Band, one of the leading organizations of its kind in America.

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to make these desirable contacts and how to guide the young people in their choice of recreational activities. If a college course is to be a training in the art of living, it is certainly in order to suggest that a large amount of every student's time should be devoted to education for leisure time.

For those who wish to read on the subject of the worthwhile use of leisure time the writer suggests the following will be found valuable:

Leisure, The Magazine of a Thousand Diversions, Boston, Mass. $1.00 a year.

"Recreation Number of Building America," **Building America,** 425 West 123rd Street, New York, N. Y.

Scholastic, Oct. 27, 1934.

(This issue lists a five-foot bookshelf on leisure and contains a number of articles on the subject.)

Scholastic, Chamber of Commerce Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. The "Do-it-yourself" Books, $1.00 each. Grosset & Dunlap, Publishers, New York, N. Y.

Leisure League Little Books, 25 cents each. (Over 20 have been published). Leisure League of America, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.

Perhaps the most valuable book the student can purchase is No. 1 **Leisure League Little Book.** This book lists 218 hobbies and gives a bibliography for each one.

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